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AMERIGEN PHARMACEUTICALS LIMITED  
AND ARGENTUM PHARMACEUTICALS, LLC,

Petitioners,

vs.

JANSSEN ONCOLOGY, INC.,

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2016-00286  
Patent No. 8,822,438 B2

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DEPOSITION OF CHRISTOPHER VELLTURO, Ph.D.

New York, New York

Tuesday, December 20, 2016

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Deposition of CHRISTOPHER  
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1 C H R I S T O P H E R V E L L T U R O ,  
2 called as a witness, having been duly sworn,  
3 was examined and testified as follows:

4 EXAMINATION BY

5 MS. RATHINAM:

6 Q. Good morning, Dr. Vellturo. My  
7 name is Renita Rathinam. I represent the  
8 petitioner, Amerigen, in this proceeding, and  
9 I will quickly cover a few ground rules.

10 Do you understand that when I ask  
11 my questions, you must answer -- your answer  
12 must be complete and truthful, because you  
13 are under oath?

14 A. Yes.

15 Q. Do you understand that you are to  
16 respond to my questions regardless of your  
17 counsel's stated objection, unless your  
18 counsel expressly instructs you not to  
19 respond to my question?

20 A. I agree, as long as an answer such  
21 as "I don't understand the question" --

22 Q. Sure.

23 A. -- is legitimate there.

24 Q. Yeah. And if for any reason you  
25 don't understand the question, you feel free

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1 to ask me for a clarification. You  
2 understand that, right?

3 A. Yes.

4 Q. Do you understand that you are not  
5 to confer or consult with counsel regarding  
6 any questions that I ask you?

7 MR. OLSON: Objection to form.

8 A. While the deposition is currently  
9 live or at any time?

10 Q. At any time. Once the deposition  
11 has begun, do you understand that you are not  
12 to confer or consult with counsel on  
13 questions that may come up in this  
14 proceeding?

15 A. I don't particularly know that one  
16 way or the other, but if you are telling me  
17 that's the governing rule, then I will abide  
18 by that.

19 MR. OLSON: Renita I'm sorry just  
20 to interject here. I believe to the  
21 extent there are any questions about  
22 whether or not Dr. Vellturo may disclose  
23 attorney/client communications and  
24 wishes to consult with me regarding  
25 that, that would be fair game.

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