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1	Exhibit 2007	Copy of laboratory notebook	5 13	1	7 MS. CIPRIANO: Linnea Cipriano with Goodwin
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2		per 11008 (retained by deponent)	1.2	2	Procter representing Celltrion.
3		Copy of laboratory notebook	13	3	THE VIDEOGRAPHER: Thank you.
4		per 11297 (retained by deponent)	1.2	4	The court reporter today is Charlotte Lacey
5		Copy of laboratory notebook	13	5	representing Planet Depos.
6		per 11568 (retained by deponent)	10	6	Would the reporter please administer the oath.
7		Declaration of Irene Loeffler in	12	7	IRENE LOEFFLER,
8		number IPR2017-01488 (retained		8	the witness herein, having been first duly sworn, was
9		eponent)		9	examined and testified as follows:
		Declaration of Irene Loeffler in	12	10	8 , 8 8
11		number IPR2017-01489 (retained			to state an objection on the record. During a break in
12	by de	eponent)			the earlier deposition of Len Presta, we were informed
13					for the first time that counsel had brought today what
14					he said were the microfilmed versions of various
15					documents, notebooks that had been presented as
16				16	exhibits as exhibits by Genentech in this case.
17				17	At a subsequent break, 12:15, for the first
18				18	time, counsel put those microfilmed versions in front of
19				19	us. There are hundreds of pages of documents there. We
20				20	object to the extent that counsel intends to raise these
21				21	documents today at the deposition. We have not had the
22				22	chance to review them. They have not been submitted as
23				23	exhibits. We were given a very brief time to review
24				24	them. And despite counsel's representation that the
25				25	documents are identical to those that were already
			6		8
1		OCEEDINGS		1	produced, just in the half an hour we've had a chance to
2	THE VID	DEOGRAPHER: Here begins video i	number 1	2	review them today, we've already found at least three
3	in the videotap	ed deposition of Irene Loeffler in the	e	3	differences between the microfilmed versions and the
4	matter of Pfize	er Incorporated versus Genentech		4	produced the versions that were produced to us.
5	Incorporated, I	PR number 2017-01488 and 01489,	and	5	And so we object to the use of these documents
6	Celltrion versu	us Genentech, IPR number 2017-013	73 and	6	during the deposition today. We object to their use in
7	01374 in the U	Jnited States Patent and Trademark O	ffice	7	these proceedings as a whole.
8	before the Pate	ent Trial and Appeal Board.		8	MR. DANFORD: I object to that colloquy. I
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Today's date is May 1st, 2018, and the time on 10 the video monitor is 12:59 p.m. The videographer today 11 is Joseph Mourgos representing Planet Depos. This video 12 deposition is taking place at 217 Leidesdorff Street, 13 San Francisco, California.

Would counsel voice identify yourselves and 15 state whom you represent.

MR. NAQI: My name is Sharick Naqi. I'm from 17 Kirkland & Ellis, and I represent Pfizer. And with me 18 today is my colleague, Benjamin Lasky, also from 19 Kirkland & Ellis.

20 MR. DANFORD: My name is Andrew Danford from 21 WilmerHale, and I represent Genentech and the witness. 22 And I'm joined today by my colleague Nora Passamaneck of 23 WilmerHale and Traci Ropp of Genentech.

24 THE VIDEOGRAPHER: And on the telephone, we 25 have...

8 MR. DANFORD: I object to that colloquy. I 9 mean, as I understand it, Mr. Naqi's taking the 10 deposition here today, and you're in the second chair. 11 So -- that's for starters.

12 I also say we gave you sufficient time for 13 this. If you want to ask about the microfilms, you're 14 welcome to do so. We are not pressuring you to go 15 forward with this right now. You could have taken as 16 much time as you wanted to review those. There have

17 been questions raised in these proceedings about the

18 microfilms. There is no difference, from our 19 perspective, from the lab notebooks that have been

20 produced and the microfilms, and so we're making them

21 available to you now in case you had any questions about 22 them.

MR. LASKY: Mr. Danford, the issues of 24 microfilms have been -- have been raised since at least 25 Dr. Carter's deposition and possibly even before, and

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1 that was down as Thomas as a second which and dole	11
1 that was days ago. There's no reason why this couldn't	1 A Verifying lab notebooks at Genentech; previous
2 have been raised earlier. Frankly, there's no reason	2 jobs, previous documents.
3 why this couldn't have been produced when the exhibits	3 Q And were these patent matters?
4 were produced in the first place. I can demonstratively	4 A At Genentech?
5 prove to you that there are differences between the	5 Q Yes.
6 microfilms versions and the versions that were produced	6 A I I don't really remember the nature of the
7 to us.	7 case.
8 We were not given time to review these today.	8 Q You are currently employed at Genentech; is
9 We're here sitting in San Francisco where we've traveled	9 that right?
10 for this deposition, and we have not had more than half	10 A Yes.
11 an hour to review this. It was raised I don't even	11 Q What is your current title at Genentech?
12 know why it wasn't raised earlier during Dr. Presta's	12 A Associate Director.
13 deposition, why you had to wait till the second	13 Q In general, what is your role in that
14 five-minute break that we received.	14 position?
And as for the fact that I'm not taking this	15 A Records management.
16 deposition, you raised these documents first during the	16 Q And could you elaborate on that?
17 deposition of Dr. Presta, and as you're well aware, my	17 A Specifically for the case, we're talking about
18 colleague and I share in the duties today.	18 laboratory notebooks, so I oversee the issuing,
19 MR. DANFORD: Well	19 tracking, recalling, scanning, indexing, and retrieving
MS. CIPRIANO: And if I can note for the	20 lab notebooks of their images.
21 record that Celltrion has not been produced they have	21 Q And what was your title at Genentech in 1989?
22 not been provided an opportunity to review these	22 A Whatever it said in my deposition. I don't
23 documents. They were given a hard copy, and I am	23 remember the exact title at that time.
24 attending the deposition electronically.	24 Q And what was your role in 1989?
25 MR. DANFORD: Okay.	25 A Records. It's been records my entire career.
10	12
1 MS. CIPRIANO: And we add, for the record, we	1 Q So was it similar to your current role?
2 have the same objections as Mr. Lasky.	2 A I've been promoted a few times, so I have more
3 MR. DANFORD: All right. Your objections have	3 responsibilities as time went on.
4 been noted. Let's see where this goes.	4 Q I've just handed you two documents. The first
5 EXAMINATION	5 document has been marked as Exhibit 2019 in
6 BY MR. NAQI:	6 IPR2017-01488 and the other one has been marked as
7 Q Good morning.	7 Exhibit 2019 in IPR2017-01489.
8 A Good morning.	8 Have you seen these documents before?
9 Q Would you please state your full name for the	9 A Yes.
10 record.	10 Q And are these declarations that you have
11 A Irene Loeffler.	11 submitted in proceedings regarding U.S. patent
12 Q Ms. Loeffler, have you had your deposition	12 number 6,407,213?
13 taken before?	13 A Yes.
14 A Yes.	14 Q Is it fair to say that these two declarations
15 Q How many times?	15 are substantively identical in terms of their contents?
16 A In my life, maybe four or five.	16 A Yes.
17 Q And when was the first time you were deposed?	17 Q And to the extent that declarations were
18 A Previous employment, back in the probably	18 submitted from you in multiple proceedings involving
19 early '80s.	19 Pfizer and Celltrion, they would be copies of the same
20 Q And your subsequent depositions, were they all	20 declaration?
21 related to your work at Genentech?	21 A Yes.
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 23 employment and maybe two or three at Genentech. 24 Q And what was the subject matter of these 	23 one of these, would your answers apply equally to the 24 other declarations as well?

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25 A Yes.

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13 15 Q Did you review your declaration in preparation Q So Genentech Exhibits 2001 through 2009 are the high-resolution, color-scanned copies made from the for this deposition? A Yes. physical notebooks in 2016; is that correct? Q Was there anything in there that you saw that A Right. Q And separate copies of these notebooks were was incorrect? A No. also made early earlier in the 1990s using microfilm Q Is there anything in there that you saw that technology? would change if you could write it again? A Right. A No. Q Now, you have not presented the microfilm 10 versions of these notebooks made early in '90 -- in Q Let's turn to page 1 of your declaration. You 11 can use the one marked for -- 1488. Do you see it --11 1990s in your declaration. 12 the proceedings. A The declaration pertained to the scanned ones. 13 So at paragraph 4 on page 1 of your Q So let's turn to page 6 of your declaration 14 declaration, do you see the first sentence that says, 14 starting at the first sentence. I'm sorry. Paragraph 6 15 "The exhibits listed below are true and authentic copies 15 of your declaration starting at the first sentence. 16 of several Genentech laboratory notebooks"? There, you state, 'I am familiar with 16 17 Genentech's practices regarding the creation, Q Now, you're referring to the Genentech 18 modification, and keeping of its laboratory notebooks 18 19 Exhibits 2001 through 2009 listed in paragraph 4 of your 19 through my employment at Genentech." 20 declaration; is that correct. A Right. 20 A Yes. "Each of the laboratory notebooks listed above Q Now, do you know how the -- how the copies 22 was created by Genentech personnel during the regular 22 23 that you referred to in paragraph 4, first sentence of 23 course of business." 24 your declaration were made? A Right. 24 MR. DANFORD: Objection to form. 25 25 And then you state, "It was the regular A I'm sorry? 1 practice of Genentech's personnel to create such records MR. DANFORD: I just objected to the form of at or near the time the recorded act, event, condition, or opinion occurred." the question. Q You can answer. A Right. MR. DANFORD: If you understand it. Q And then you state -- and you state, 'It was the general practice of Genentech's personnel to date A Yeah. So the copies had been scanned, and then I believe what you have now are printouts. such documents as of the date the record was Q And when were these copies scanned? modified" -- I'm sorry -- "was created or modified." A They were on or around the time of the A Right. 10 declaration. Q So here in paragraph 6, you're discussing the Q Now, on -- and when was that declaration 11 regular practice of Genentech's personnel or the general 12 practice of -- of Genentech's personnel; is that 12 prepared? A August 4th, 2017. 13 correct? Q So Exhibits 2001 through 2009 are copies that A Yes. 15 were scanned from the actual notebooks in August 2017; Q Do you have any knowledge about the practice 16 is that correct? 16 of any particular Genentech employee in terms of making A I--**17** 17 entries into these notebooks? 18 MR. DANFORD: Objection; lacks foundation. 18 MR. DANFORD: Objection to form. A I don't know exactly when they were scanned, 19 A No. 20 but, yes, they were scanned from the original lab Q So you don't have any personal knowledge about

25 knowledge or from information transmitted by someone

A No.

21 how each one of these notebooks was filled in.

Q And in the last sentence of paragraph 6, you

24 state, "Such records would only be made by someone with

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21 notebooks.

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Q Maybe I can help you. If you turn to page 3

23 of your declaration, paragraph 7, last sentence.

A Okay. So around November 2016.

Do you see where it says --

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