MYLAN PHARMACEUTICAL INC. v. MONOSOL RX, LLC Hearing on 10/04/2017

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MYLAN PHARMACEUTICAL INC., Petitioner,

 \mathbf{v}

MONOSOL RX, LLC, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-00200 Patent 8,603,514 B2

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PAR PHARMACEUTICAL, INC. AND INTELGENX CORP., Petitioners,

v. MONOSOL RX, LLC, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-01557 Patent 8,603,514

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DR. REDDY'S LABORATORIES S.A. and DR. REDDY'S LABORATORIES, INC. Petitioner,

v. MONOSOL RX, LLC, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-01582 Patent 8,603,514

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MR. HAROLD FOX: Good afternoon, Your Honor. 1 This is Harold Fox, lead counsel for Monosol in the three 2 3 named IPR's. We do have a court reporter on the line. With me I have Dustin Weeks and Sharon Broma who are 4 co-counsel, back-up counsel, on the 200 proceedings. 5 JUDGE FRANKLIN: And you are willing to 6 7 participate in this combined call? MR. HAROLD FOX: 8 Yes. 9 JUDGE FRANKLIN: And also I'm going to ask that 10 you file a copy of the transcript when it's available. MR. HAROLD FOX: We will do so. 11 JUDGE FRANKLIN: And, Petitioner Mylan. 12 MR. STEVE PARMELEE: Good afternoon, Your Honor. 13 This is Steve Parmelee, lead counsel for Petitioner 14 Mylan Technologies, Inc. And we're here on the 2017-15 00200 and I quess the--I'm not sure if the other case 16 is also involved in this call. My impression is it is 17 not so we do not have a court reporter. We're willing 18 to participate to the extent that this involves the 19 termination discussion, termination of our proceeding, 20 and that's the limited nature of our appearance this 21 22 afternoon. JUDGE FRANKLIN: And to clarify, the parties 23

IPR200 but also IPR2017-01557 and 01582. So having

invited to this call are parties for your proceeding,

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- 1 their participation in the call along with you and your
- 2 case is what I'm seeking confirmation of whether you
- 3 agree or are willing to have this combined call.
- 4 MR. STEVE PARMELEE: Yes, Your Honor.
- JUDGE FRANKLIN: Thank you. And, Petitioner Par?
- 6 MR. JONATHAN STRANG: Good morning, Your Honor.
- 7 This is Jonathan Strang, counsel for Petitioner Par.
- 8 And with me today I have Brenda Danek. We do not have
- 9 a court reporter. Patent Owner indicated it will file
- 10 the transcript, and we do not object to the combined
- 11 call.
- 12 JUDGE FRANKLIN: Thank you. And can you spell
- 13 your last name for me.
- 14 MR. JONATHAN STRANG: Yes, Your Honor. S-T-R-A-N-
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- 16 JUDGE FRANKLIN: Thank you. Petitioner Dr.
- 17 Reddy's.
- 18 MR. IRA LEVY: Good afternoon, Your Honor. It is
- 19 Ira Levy from Goodwin on behalf of Dr. Reddy's in
- 20 IPR2017-01582. I am joined by my colleague Robert
- 21 Frederickson, who has not appeared but will be
- 22 appearing in the proceedings and we agree to join the
- joint call. And similar to Par, we understand that
- 24 Patent Owner has a court reporter and will be filing
- 25 the transcript.

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- 1 JUDGE FRANKLIN: Okay. Thank you all for that.
- 2 Before I talk to Par and Dr. Reddy's, the Petitioners
- 3 who urgently asked for this conference call, I'd like
- 4 to direct one question to Petitioner Mylan, Petitioner
- of the 200IPR, a point of clarification.
- It seems that at least in one, perhaps in both,
- 7 with respect to the joinder in both 1557 and 1582 you
- 8 may have indicated you do not oppose. We understand
- 9 that Mylan and Monosol have reached a settlement in
- 10 IPR200 and that as authorized have filed a motion to
- 11 terminate that proceeding. In view of that settlement
- 12 and that filing, does Mylan oppose the joinder request
- 13 in 1557 and 1582?
- MR. STEVE PARMELEE: Your Honor, we're here to
- 15 talk about the termination of this 200 case. Our
- 16 position has not changed on those joinders cases
- 17 themselves.
- JUDGE FRANKLIN: Okay. What I'm asking is for you
- 19 to clarify then. You're telling us that you do not
- 20 oppose joinder of 1557 and 1582 with you in the IRP200.
- MR. STEVE PARMELEE: Well, we'd like to have this
- 22 proceeding terminated. And what Your Honor does with
- the other cases and how they are treated doesn't
- 24 necessarily turn on termination here.
- JUDGE FRANKLIN: Correct. I just wanted to ask



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- 1 this one more time. This is for my clarification. I
- 2 want to know your position. Apart from termination, do
- 3 you have any issue with joinder with Par and Dr.
- 4 Reddy's in the IPR200?
- 5 MR. STEVE PARMELEE: Our position is the same as
- 6 we previously stated. We don't have an issue with the
- 7 joinder petitioners or petitions, but we do want our
- 8 proceeding terminated. We don't want responsibility for
- 9 the IPR200 as it goes forward or if it is to go
- 10 forward.
- JUDGE FRANKLIN: Okay. And, Patent Owner, I think
- 12 I understand from an email that you sent your position,
- 13 but I want to give you an opportunity to respond to the
- 14 same question.
- 15 MR. HAROLD FOX: Your Honor, this is Harold Fox.
- 16 Dustin Weeks will be presenting for Patent Owner and
- 17 can address that point.
- MR. DUSTIN WEEKS: Yes, Your Honor, this is Dustin
- 19 Weeks for Patent Owner. Patent Owner does oppose
- joinder of both--of Dr. Reddy's and Par in this case.
- 21 And while we have not filed an opposition to the motion
- 22 for joinder for Par, I guess depending on how this call
- 23 goes today, Patent Owner would ask for authorization to
- 24 submit additional briefing in both cases opposing
- joinder, given the change in circumstances due to the



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