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ARGENTUM PHARMACEUTICALS LLC, Petitioner

v.

COSMO TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED, Patent Owner.

U.S. Patent No. 9,320,716 to Villa *et al.* Issue Date: April 26, 2016 Title: Controlled Release and Taste Masking Oral Pharmaceutical Compositions

Inter Partes Review No.: IPR2018-00080

**DECLARATION OF HARTMUT DERENDORF, PH.D** 

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I, Hartmut Derendorf, Ph.D., do hereby declare and state as follows:

1. I understand that Petitioner Argentum is seeking to join IPR2017-01035, in which the petitioner, Mylan, relies on the expert testimony of Dr. Palmieri. For that reason, my testimony below repeats verbatim Dr. Palmieri's declaration testimony from IPR2017-01035, with the exception of omitting testimony related to a second patent not the subject of this IPR petition, and reciting my own background and qualifications instead of those of Dr. Palmieri. I provide this testimony below:

#### I. INTRODUCTION

2. I am over the age of eighteen (18) and otherwise competent to make this Declaration.

3. My services have been retained on behalf of Petitioner for the abovecaptioned *inter partes* reviews ("IPRs"). Our consulting company is being compensated for my time in connection with this IPR at my standard consulting rate, which is \$600 per hour for all work conducted in this matter and \$6000 per day for deposition. This compensation does not depend in any way on the outcome of any of the IPRs.

4. It is my understanding that the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review in this matter involves U.S. Patent No. 9,320,716 ("the '716 patent") (EX1001).

5. The '716 Patent names Roberto Villa, Massimo Pedrani, Mauro Ajani, and Lorenzo Fossati as the purported inventors. I understand that the '716 patent is

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