

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

KVK-Tech, Inc.
Petitioner

v.

Shire PLC
Patent Owner

Case IPR2017-00293
U.S. Patent No. 9,173,857

**DECLARATION OF THOMAS HEDEMANN IN SUPPORT OF MOTION
FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

I, Thomas Hedemann, declare as follows:

1. I was admitted to the Connecticut Bar in 2005. I have been practicing law for over 12 years. For more than 10 years my practice has focused primarily on patent litigation.

2. Over the course of my career, I have been counsel in over 10 patent litigations.

3. I am a member of good standing in the Connecticut Bar and am admitted to practice before the U.S. District Court of Connecticut. I am also admitted to practice before the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit and the U.S. Supreme Court.

4. My Connecticut Bar membership number is 424936.

5. I have never been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body.

6. I have never had a court or administrative body deny my application for admission to practice.

7. I have read and will comply with the Patent Office Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules for Practice for Trials, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. Part 42.

8. I agree to be subject to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et seq.* and disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a).

9. I have currently applied to appear *pro hac vice* in the following related proceeding before the United States Patent and Trademark Office IPR2017-00290. I have not applied to appear *pro hac vice* before the United States Patent and Trademark Office in any other proceedings in the last three years.

10. I am intimately familiar with the subject matter of U.S. Patent No. 9,173,857. I am also intimately familiar with amphetamine salt formulations, such as Adderall XR[®] as a result of my participation as counsel in litigation related to Adderall XR[®], specifically, Shire LLC et al. v. Abhai, LLC, 1:15-cv-13909 (D. Mass.). In addition, I have represented a number of life sciences and pharmaceutical companies in patent litigation matters before federal district courts and appellate courts. The technology in these disputes includes pharmaceutical compounds, including those for the treatment of attention deficit disorder, and method-of-treatment claims.

11. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements and the like are punishable by

fine, imprisonment, or both under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code.

Respectfully submitted,

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