

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

KVK-TECH, Inc.,
Petitioner

v.

SHIRE LLC,
Patent Owner

Case IPR2018-00293
Patent 9,173,857

**PATENT OWNER MANDATORY NOTICES
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2)**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8, Patent Owner Shire, LLC (“Patent Owner”) submits the following Mandatory Notices in response to the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 9,173,857 (“the ’857 patent”).¹

I. Real Party-In-Interest – 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(1)

The real parties-in-interest are Shire, LLC, Shire US, Inc., Shire Development, LLC and Shire Plc.

II. Related Matters – 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2)

The ‘857 patent is being asserted in *Shire Development LLC et al v. Teva Pharmaceuticals USA, Inc. et al*, 1:17-cv-01696-RGA (D. Del).

The Patent Owner is not aware of any other judicial or administrative matters that would affect, or be affected by, a decision in this proceeding.

¹ The Petition names Shire Plc, however, the Patent Owner is Shire LLC. The assignment filed in USPN 8,857,100 (the parent of the ’857 patent) at Reel 018428, Frame 0510 is also being filed in the USPTO assignment records for the ’857 patent.

III. Lead and Back-Up Counsel – 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3)

Patent Owner provides the following designation of counsel:

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Each of the attorneys listed above is associated with customer number 06980. A power of attorney was filed in the '857 Patent on December 20, 2017, which appointed practitioners associated with customer number 06980 to represent Patent Owner in matters before the USPTO. Accordingly, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(b), Patent Owner does not believe a further power of attorney is necessary.

IV. Service Information – 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(4)

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing Patent Owner Mandatory Notices Under 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2) and the associated power of attorney were served via electronic mail on December 29, 2017 on attorneys for

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