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sworn by the Notary Public, was examined and  
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EXAMINATION BY MR. CHAKANSKY:

Q.        Good morning, Dr. Hoem.

A.        Good morning.

Q.        I think as we have been through this  
a quite a number of times, you are probably  
familiar with the process?

A.        I am.

Q.        Is there any reason you can't give  
your testimony today?

A.        No.

Q.        Let me put in front of you what was  
previously marked as Aker Exhibit 2001, the  
Declaration of Dr. Nils Hoem in support of  
patent owners response and motion to amend in  
case number IPR2018-1730. Do you recognize  
that document?

A.        Yes, I do.

Q.        Could you turn to page 91, please.  
I ask if that is your signature at the bottom?

A.        Yes, it is.

1 N. Hoem

2 Q. Dr. Hoem, is there any reason your  
3 CV was not attached to this declaration?

4 A. No, not that I know of. It's  
5 probably a mistake.

6 MR. JONES: We can submit a  
7 corrected version of it. It would be the  
8 same CV as the other cases.

9 MR. CHAKANSKY: We can use the CV  
10 from the other case then?

11 MR. JONES: Yes.

12 Q. I direct your attention to page 5 of  
13 Exhibit 2001. It actually has reference to the  
14 CV. I didn't realize that. So maybe you can  
15 just submit a new one.

16 MR. JONES: Okay.

17 Q. It talks about your qualifications  
18 in paragraph 5; is that correct?

19 A. Yes, it does.

20 Q. What, if anything, was your  
21 experience with extraction prior to 2008?

22 A. My experience with extraction prior  
23 to that was from my previous work as an  
24 academic in -- as lab work. I worked on  
25 fractionation -- purifications and

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