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## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

NEPTUNE GENERICS, LLC, Petitioner,

v.

AVENTIS PHARMA S.A., Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2019-00136 Patent 5,847,170

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Before ANDREI IANCU, *Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office*, ANDREW HIRSHFELD, *Commissioner for Patents*, and SCOTT R. BOALICK, *Chief Administrative Patent Judge*.

PER CURIAM.

## **ORDER**

The Office received a request for Precedential Opinion Panel (POP) review of an issue raised in this case. *See* Ex. 3001. The request was referred to the POP panel referenced above.



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Upon consideration of the request, it is

ORDERED that the request for POP review is denied; and

FURTHER ORDERED that the original panel maintains authority over all matters, including considering the submitted rehearing request.



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