

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

HOPEWELL PHARMA VENTURES, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

MERCK SERONO SA,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2023-00480

U.S. Patent 7,713,947

**PATENT OWNER'S NOTICE OF DEPOSITION OF
RODOLFO PINAL, PH.D.**

Patent Owner's Notice of Deposition of Rodolfo Pinal, Ph.D.

Please take notice that pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.53, Patent Owner Merck Serono SA, by and through its counsel, will take the deposition of Petitioner Hopewell Pharma Ventures, Inc.'s declarant, Rodolfo Pinal, Ph.D., in an in-person deposition. The deposition will be taken on April 26, 2024, commencing at 9:00 AM EDT, at the offices of Sterne, Kessler, Goldstein & Fox P.L.L.C., 1101 K Street, NW, Washington, DC, 20005. The deposition will be recorded by stenographic means by a court reporter licensed to administer oaths, arranged for by Petitioner's counsel, and may be videorecorded.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.53(d)(1), the parties conferred and agreed upon an in-person deposition conducted on this date, time, and location.

Dated: April 16, 2024

Respectfully Submitted,

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