

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MYLAN PHARMACEUTICALS INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

NOVO NORDISK A/S,
Patent Owner.

IPR2023-00724
Patent 10,335,462 B2

Before JOHN G. NEW, SUSAN L. C. MITCHELL, and
ROBERT A. POLLOCK, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

MITCHELL, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Conduct of the Proceeding
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

On December 15, 2024, Patent Owner contacted the Board by email, requesting an increase to the word count limits for its Patent Owner Response by 4,000 words, the Petitioner's Reply by 4,000 words, and Patent Owner's Sur-reply by 2,000 words. Ex. 3003. We granted the request during a conference call held on December 19, 2024 between the panel for this proceeding and counsel for the parties. We provided an Order commemorating this decision, but inadvertently stated that Petitioner's Reply would be increased by 2,000 words instead of 4,000 words as agreed by the parties. *See* Paper 24, 3.

As we have previously determined, having duly considered the matter, we agreed with the parties that the additional word counts for the three briefs are in the interests of justice and granted such additional word counts. *See* 37 C.F.R. 42.24(a)(2); *see* Paper 24, 3. This Order corrects the additional word count for Petitioner's Reply to 4,000 words.

ORDER

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the request to increase the word count limit for the Patent Owner Response and Petitioner's Reply by 4,000 words is *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that the word count limit for Patent Owner's Sur-reply is increased by 2,000 words.

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