UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

NANOSTRING TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF HARVARD COLLEGE,
Patent Owner

IPR2024-00526
U.S. Patent No. 11,542,554

UNOPPOSED MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE PARTY

Pursuant to the Board's July 16 authorization, Petitioner hereby submits this unopposed motion to substitute Bruker Spatial Biology, Inc. ("Bruker Spatial") in place of NanoString Technologies, Inc. ("NanoString") as the Petitioner in the above-captioned proceeding. Submitted herewith are updated mandatory notices consistent with this proposed substitution.

By way of background, on February 4, 2024, NanoString filed a petition for relief under chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of Delaware. On March 22, 2024, the Board stayed all deadlines in this proceeding until chapter 11 proceedings in the Bankruptcy Court and any related appeals conclude or until the Board received notice that the Bankruptcy Court has lifted the stay with respect to this proceeding. On April 19, 2024, the Bankruptcy Court approved the sale transaction of substantially of all of NanoString's assets to Bruker Corporation ("Bruker"). On May 5, 2024, Bruker assigned its rights and obligations under the associated Asset Purchase Agreement to Bruker Spatial. On May 6, 2024, the acquisition closed. Following a July 12 request from Petitioner, the Board authorized the submission of the instant motion to substitute and updated mandatory notices.

In view of the foregoing, Bruker Spatial respectfully submits that it be substituted for NanoString as the Petitioner in this proceeding. Petitioner does not oppose this request.

Dated: July 16, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of **UNOPPOSED MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE PARTY** was served on July 16, 2024, via email pursuant to 37 C.F.R. and § 42.6(e) to counsel for Petitioner, at the addresses below:

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