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Petitioner,

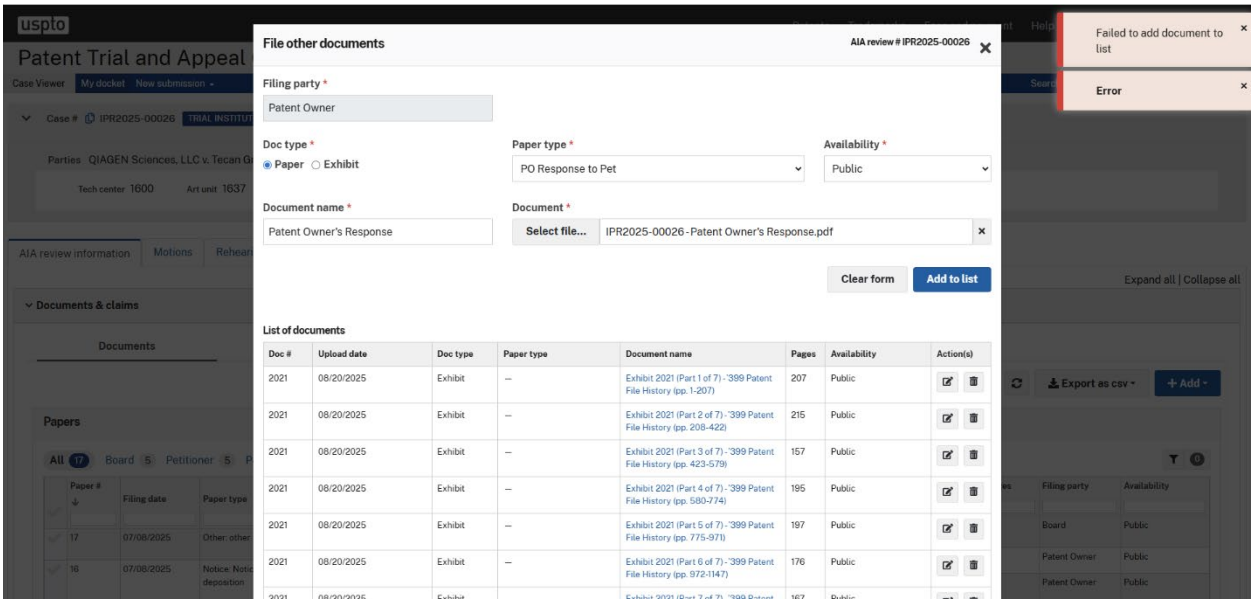
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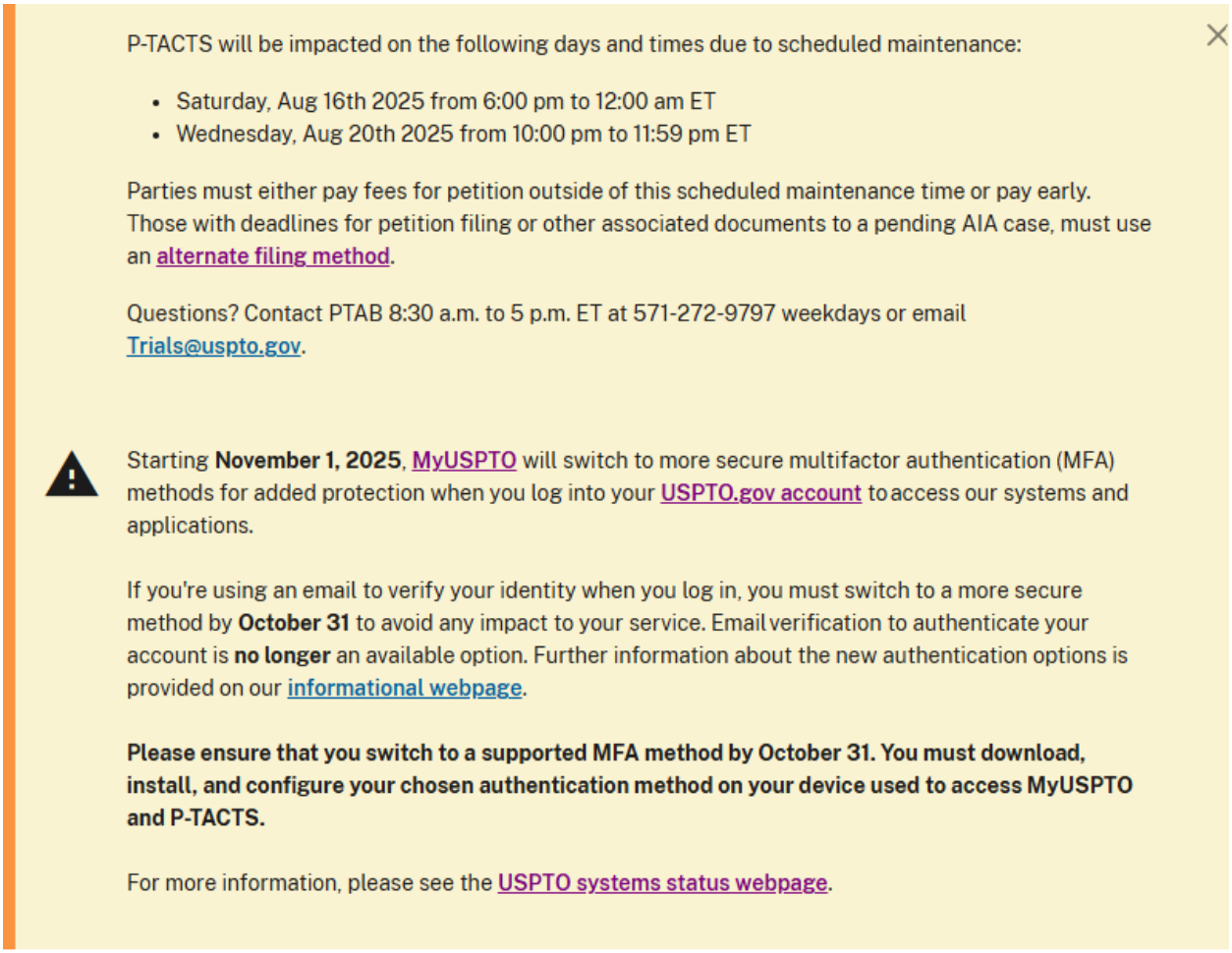
TECAN GENOMICS, INC.,
Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2025-00026
U.S. Patent No. 11,098,357

PATENT OWNER'S MOTION REQUESTING ACCEPTANCE OF SUBMISSION OF PATENT OWNER'S RESPONSE FILED UNDER BOARD'S ALTERNATIVE MEANS

Patent Owner Tecan Genomics, Inc. ("Tecan") submits this Motion Requesting Acceptance of Submission of Patent Owner's Response Filed Under Board's Alternative Means, including all accompanying exhibits (collectively "Patent Owner's Response"). The PTAB P-TACTS filing system was unavailable between 10:00 p.m. (ET) until 11:59 p.m. (ET) on August 20, 2025 due to scheduled maintenance. A true and correct screenshot from the Patent Trial and Appeal Board website viewed by Tecan's counsel while attempting to file the Patent Owner's Response is provided below, along with the notice of scheduled maintenance for August 20, 2025:





P-TACTS will be impacted on the following days and times due to scheduled maintenance:

- Saturday, Aug 16th 2025 from 6:00 pm to 12:00 am ET
- Wednesday, Aug 20th 2025 from 10:00 pm to 11:59 pm ET

Parties must either pay fees for petition outside of this scheduled maintenance time or pay early. Those with deadlines for petition filing or other associated documents to a pending AIA case, must use an alternate filing method.

Questions? Contact PTAB 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. ET at 571-272-9797 weekdays or email Trials@uspto.gov.

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On August 20, 2025, Tecan's counsel attempted to file the Patent Owner's Response on behalf of Tecan using the PTAB P-TACTS system, but as indicated above, the P-TACTS system was unavailable due to scheduled maintenance. Accordingly, Tecan's counsel proceeded according to the alternative filing procedure set forth on the PTAB website for "Filing documents during an outage" (https://www.uspto.gov/patents/apply/filing-online/filing-documents-during-outage). In particular, Tecan completed email service of the Patent Owner's

Response (including exhibits thereto) via email on Petitioner Qiagen Sciences, LLC counsel on August 20, 2025 (the date of transmission pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(b)(2)(i)(B)). Thereafter, Tecan provided notice to the Board of the service via email. The following day, August 21, 2025, the PTAB P-TACTS filing system became operational again. Tecan used the P-TACTS filing system to electronically submit the Patent Owner's Response (including exhibits thereto), together with this Motion.

The Board has accepted filings submitted under similar circumstances. *See, e.g.*, *Arthrex, Inc. v. P Tech, LLC*, IPR2022-00786, Paper 13 (March 7, 2023); *Nitro Fluids, L.L.C. v. Cameron Int'l Corp.*, IPR2020-00691, Paper 11 (June 30, 2022); *Huawei Device Co., Ltd. v. Maxell, Ltd.*, IPR2018-00209, Paper 17 (Aug. 30, 2018); *Microsoft Corp. v. Smart Skins LLC*, IPR2016-00404, Paper 11 (Aug. 2, 2016).

Having followed the Board's alternative filing procedures, Tecan respectfully requests acceptance of its Patent Owner's Response in this matter and that the Patent Owner's Response be accorded the date on the certificate of service (i.e., August 20, 2025) as the filing date of the Patent Owner's Response (including exhibits thereto), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(b)(2)(i) and the Board's alternative filing procedure.

Dated: August 21, 2025

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that, on August 21, 2025, a copy of the foregoing **Patent Owner's Motion Requesting Acceptance of Submission of Patent Owner's Response Filed Under Board's Alternative Means** was served on the counsel of record for Petitioner by filing the same through the P-TACTS System as well delivering a copy via electronic mail to the following addresses:

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