UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ABBOTT LABORATORIES,

Petitioner,

v.

MIRACOR MEDICAL SA,

Patent Owner.

IPR2025-00115

U.S. Patent No. 11,674,517

DECLARATION OF NIMALKA WICKRAMASEKERA IN SUPPORT OF PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION

I, Nimalka Wickramasekera, declare and attest that:

1. I am a member in good standing of the State Bar of California and the State Bar of Illinois;

2. I have not been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body;

3. I have never been denied admission to practice before any court or administrative body;

4. I have never been sanctioned or had a contempt citation imposed by any court or administrative body;

5. I have read and will comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules of Practice for Trials set forth in 37 C.F.R. part 42;

6. I will be subject to the USPTO Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 11.101 *et seq.* and disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a);

7. In the last three years, I have not applied to appear *pro hac vice* in any proceedings before the Office;

8. I have legal familiarity with U.S. Patent Nos. 11,351,356; 11,351,357; 11,376,415; 11,572,879; 11,674,517; and 11,754,077 due to my involvement in the litigation styled *Miracor Medical SA v. Abbott Laboratories et al.*, Case No. 1-23cv-16257 (Northern District of Illinois), where I represent the defendant/petitioner, Abbott Laboratories. I have also obtained substantial familiarity with the prior art

and the various issues raised in this proceeding. I have reviewed the Petition, and the cited materials, and am familiar with the subject matter involved in this proceeding. Further, I am a litigation attorney who has been involved in multiple patent infringement cases in federal district courts and have participated in multiple patent cases, including trials and claim construction hearings;

9. I satisfy all requirements set forth by the Board for pro hac vice recognition of a provisionally recognized PTAB attorney. Specifically, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)(2)(i), I am an attorney who is not a USPTO registered practitioner, who has been previously recognized pro hac vice in a Board proceeding, and who has not subsequently been denied permission to appear pro hac vice in a Board proceeding.

I declare under penalty of perjury that all statements made of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Date: February 25, 2026

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