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AQUESTIVE THERAPEUTICS, INC.

Petitioner

v.

IONO PHARMA, LLC

Patent Owner

IPR2025-00874

U.S. Patent No. 11,021,437 B2

DECLARATION OF ROMONA McCUDDEN

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I, Ramona McCudden, do hereby make the following declaration:

1. I am the Recruiting Specialist at Petitioner Aquestive Therapeutics, Inc. and before that at Petitioner's predecessor MonoSol Rx, LLC.
2. I have been at Aquestive and/or its predecessor MonoSol Rx, LLC continuously since December 2013.
3. EX1071 is a true and correct copy of the 5-27-2016 email from Steve Wargacki to Ramona McCudden re: Possible candidate source.
4. EX1072 is a true and correct copy of the 6-16-2016 email from Ramona McCudden to Steve Wargacki re: MonoSol Rx (2).
5. EX1073 is a true and correct copy of the 6-16-2016 email from Ramona McCudden to Steve Wargacki re: MonoSol Rx (1).
6. EX1074 is a true and correct copy of the 10-23-2016 email from Steve Wargacki to Ramona McCudden re: email from Almoazen.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this the 15.00 day of September, 2025.

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Ramona McCudden