UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

STRAUMANN USA, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

SMART DENTURE CONVERSIONS, LLC,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-00956
Patent 11,937,992

DECLARATION OF DR. BRANDON KOFFORD

April 3, 2026

I, Dr. Brandon Kofford, hereby declare:

1. I am over 18 years of age and am fully competent to give this declaration based upon my personal knowledge and recollection of the matters stated herein. All statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and all statements made on information and belief are true.

2. I submit this declaration in support of Patent Owner's Responses to Petitioner's Second Objections to Evidence Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.64(b)(1) in this inter partes review proceeding (IPR2025-00956) of U.S. Patent No. 11,937,992.

3. I am a co-inventor of U.S. Patent No. 11,937,992 and the Vice President of Product Development at Patent Owner Smart Denture Conversions, LLC. I am personally familiar with the invention, marketing, and sale of Patent Owner's products as well as the technology claimed in the '992 patent.

4. **Exhibit 2024** is a true and accurate printed copy of the *About Us* page on Smart Denture Conversion's Smart on X website, available at https://smartonx.com/pages/about-us, as it existed on March 13, 2026 and through the date of this declaration. I personally helped develop the statements on this page; the statements therein about Patent Owner's products and history are accurate and based on my own personal knowledge. Patent Owner created Exhibit 2024 to provide information about Patent Owner and its history. Preparing Exhibit

2024 and other webpages on the Smart on X website is a regular practice in Patent Owner's business activities; Exhibit 2024 was made and kept in the ordinary course of that business.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. These statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

Executed on 3 April 2026, at Apex, North Carolina.

Dr. Brandon Kofford