Filed on behalf of: Janssen Biotech, Inc.

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ACCORD BIOPHARMA, INC., INTAS PHARMACEUTICALS LTD., AND BIO-THERA SOLUTIONS, LTD.,
Petitioner,

v.

JANSSEN BIOTECH, INC.,
Patent Owner.

IPR2026-00258
Patent No. 12,122,824

DECLARATION OF KEVIN N. ZHANG IN SUPPORT OF PATENT OWNER'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)(1)

I, Kevin N. Zhang, resident of Vienna, Virginia, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney at the firm of Latham & Watkins LLP, counsel of record for Patent Owner Janssen Biotech, Inc. ("Patent Owner"). I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth in this declaration and, if called as a witness, could and would testify competently under oath.

2. I am a member in good standing of the District of Columbia Bar (Bar No. 90004398) and the New York State Bar (Bar No. 5777842), and on June 25, 2026, I was admitted to practice before the United States District Court of Colorado.

3. I have never been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body. No application of mine for admission to practice before any court or administrative body has ever been denied. No court or administrative body has imposed sanctions or contempt citations against me.

4. 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 Code of Federal Regulations part 42. I acknowledge and agree that I will be subject to the United States Patent and Trademark Office (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).

5. I received a Bachelor of Arts degree in Chemistry & Economics from Dartmouth College in 2016. I earned a law degree from the George Washington

University Law School in 2019.

6. I am an associate attorney with Latham & Watkins' intellectual property group, with a focus on intellectual property and patent litigation. I have practiced in this group for almost four years.

7. I have an established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in this proceeding. I have been actively involved and counsel of record in the related district court litigation between the Petitioner and Patent Owner, before the United States District Court for the District of Delaware (*Janssen Biotech, Inc. v. Accord BioPharma, Inc.*, No. 1:26-cv-00222).

8. U.S. Patent No. 12,122,824 ("'824 patent"), which is at issue in this proceeding, was one of the patents asserted by the Patent Owner in the above district court litigation but was dismissed from the litigation without prejudice by party stipulation. I have been actively involved in Patent Owner's factual investigation and development of its legal positions regarding the claims of the '824 patent at issue here.

9. I have been actively involved in analyzing and assisting with responding to the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review submitted in the immediate IPR proceeding.

10. I am concurrently applying to appear *pro hac vice* in the following proceedings before the USPTO: Case Nos. IPR2026-00256, IPR2026-00257, and

IPR2026-00259.

11. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. I further declare that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under section 1001 of title 18 of the United States Code.

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

Executed on September 23, 2026, in Vienna, Virginia.

By: / Kevin N. Zhang /
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