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Sir:

I, Elizabeth A. McGraw, declare as follows:

The above-referenced patent was owned by Novartis Animal Health US Inc. as evidenced by the Assignment recorded on July 30, 2007 at Reel 019621, Frame 0369.

On January 1, 2015, Eli Lilly and Company purchased Novartis Animal Health US, Inc. and all its assets including intellectual property.

On February 10, 2015, an Assignment from Novartis AG to Novartis Tiergesundheit AG, a Swiss entity also purchased by Eli Lilly and Company on January 1, 2015, was erroneously recorded at Reel 034926, Frame 0543. This assignment should be discarded, as Novartis AG does not own nor have the right to assign the patent.

Please be informed the chain of title for the patent identified should not be considered altered by the incorrect assignment. The last correct assignee, Novartis Animal Health US, Inc., has been, and continues to be, the owner of the patent at issue.

Respectfully submitted,

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