

NOTE: This disposition is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals
for the Federal Circuit**

ABBVIE BIOTECHNOLOGY, LTD.,
Appellant

v.

**UNITED STATES, ANDREI IANCU, UNDER
SECRETARY OF COMMERCE FOR
INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND DIRECTOR OF
THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK
OFFICE,**
Intervenors

2017-2304, 2017-2305, 2017-2306, 2017-2362, 2017-2363

Appeals from the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Patent Trial and Appeal Board in Nos. IPR2016-00172, IPR2016-00188, IPR2016-00189, IPR2016-00408, IPR2016-00409.

JUDGMENT

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THIS CAUSE having been heard and considered, it is

ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

PER CURIAM (DYK, O'MALLEY, and CHEN, *Circuit Judges*).

AFFIRMED. See Fed. Cir. R. 36.

ENTERED BY ORDER OF THE COURT

January 7, 2020
Date

/s/ Peter R. Marksteiner
Peter R. Marksteiner
Clerk of Court