BEFORE THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND INDUSTRY SUBCOMMITTEE OF THE INDEPENDENT CITIZENS' OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

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CONSIDERATION OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY REGULATIONS, INCLUDING BUT NOT LIMITED TO REVENUE SHARING PROVISIONS AND DEFINITIONS.

PUBLIC COMMENT NONE

1	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: WONDERFUL. WELL,
2	THE ITEM OF BUSINESS THAT WE'RE GOING TO ADDRESS ARE
3	SOME REVISIONS TO OR PROPOSED REVISIONS TO SOME OF
4	THE REGULATIONS THAT WE HAVE GOVERNING THE
5	INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AREA WITH RESPECT TO REVENUE
6	SHARING BOTH FOR NON-PROFIT INSTITUTIONS AS WELL AS
7	FOR-PROFIT ENTITIES.
8	AND SO I'M GOING TO TURN THE CALL OVER AT
9	THIS POINT TO ELONA TO JUST DESCRIBE, GENERALLY
10	SPEAKING, WHAT THESE PROPOSED REVISIONS PROVIDE FOR.
11	MS. BAUM: OKAY. THANK YOU, STEVE, FOR
12	THE OPPORTUNITY AND FOR MEMBERS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE
13	FOR ALLOWING ME TO PROVIDE SOME BACKGROUND AND SOME
14	DETAIL ON WHAT THESE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS ARE. YOU
15	SHOULD HAVE ALREADY RECEIVED COPIES OF THE MEMO AND
16	THE ACTUAL MARKUP SEVEN TO TEN DAYS AGO.
17	SO JUST BY WAY OF BACKGROUND, LET ME
18	REMIND US ALL OF WHAT THE PROPOSITION REQUIRED IN
19	TERMS OF REGULATIONS AND IN PARTICULAR OUR REVENUE
20	SHARING REGULATIONS. AS YOU ALL REMEMBER, WE WERE
21	REQUIRED TO STRIKE A BALANCE THAT ENSURED THAT
22	CIRM'S REVENUE SHARING REGULATIONS, WHILE ALLOWING
23	CALIFORNIA TO BENEFIT FROM INVESTMENTS MADE IN THE
24	RESEARCH, WOULD NOT BE AT THE LEVEL WHERE IT WOULD
25	UNREASONABLY HINDER RESEARCH.
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1	AND IN 2010 SENATOR ALQUIST INTRODUCED SB
2	1064, WHICH CODIFIED THE REGULATIONS THAT WE HAVE
3	BEFORE US TODAY IN WHICH WE STRUCK A BALANCE. BUT
4	THOSE STATUTES SAID THAT IF THE ICOC DETERMINED THAT
5	IT NEEDED TO REBALANCE IN ORDER TO MEET THOSE
6	OBJECTIVES; I.E., ENSURING THAT CALIFORNIANS COULD
7	SHARE IN THE REVENUES, BUT AT THE SAME TIME ENSURING
8	THAT RESEARCH WAS NOT UNREASONABLY HINDERED, IT WAS
9	ABLE TO DO SO.
10	SO AGAINST THAT BACKDROP, I JUST WANT TO
11	GO THROUGH THE FIVE SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES. I'M NOT
12	GOING WORD BY WORD; BUT FROM A GLOBAL PERSPECTIVE,
13	THERE'S FIVE ESSENTIAL CHANGES THAT WE'RE MAKING.
14	AND I'LL JUST SUMMARIZE THEM BELOW.
15	SO THE FIRST ONE IS GEARED TO SECTION
16	100608 A. THAT'S OUR LICENSING REVENUE PROVISION.
17	AND WHAT WE'RE SEEKING TO DO IS SIMPLY SIMPLIFY IT,
18	SIMPLIFY THE PROPORTIONALITY ASPECT OF IT. FOR
19	INSTANCE, THE EXISTING REGULATIONS PROVIDE FOR 25
20	PERCENT OF THE REVENUES, LICENSING REVENUES, THAT A
21	GRANTEE EARNS TO BE SHARED WITH CALIFORNIA, BUT THAT
22	IS SUBJECT TO A REDUCTION BASED ON CALIFORNIANS'
23	CONTRIBUTION TO THE TOTAL COST OF THE PROJECT AS A
24	WHOLE, AND IT REQUIRES A LOT OF DETAILED
25	RECORDKEEPING.
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1	WHAT WE PROPOSE IS SOMETHING TO SIMPLIFY
2	IT.
3	MR. ROTH: ELONA, CAN I INTERRUPT ONE
4	SECOND? I THINK YOU JUST SAID SOMETHING THAT WASN'T
5	QUITE RIGHT. YOU SAID AS A WHOLE. IT'S DURING THE
6	PERIOD.
7	MS. BAUM: DURING THE PROJECT PERIOD, YES.
8	IT'S ALWAYS DURING THE PROJECT PERIOD. THANK YOU IF
9	I DIDN'T MAKE THAT CLEAR.
10	SO WHAT WE'RE PROPOSING TO DO TODAY IS TO
11	SIMPLIFY IT BY JUST CREATING TWO TIERS. IN OTHER
12	WORDS, IF CALIFORNIA FUNDED 50 PERCENT OR MORE OF
13	THE PROJECT, THEN THE ROYALTY SHARING RATE WOULD BE
14	25 PERCENT. IF CALIFORNIA OR CIRM, IN OTHER WORDS,
15	FUNDED LESS THAN 50 PERCENT OF THE PROJECT THAT
16	GENERATED THE IP, THEN IT WOULD BE AT A RATE OF 15
17	PERCENT. SO THAT'S JUST THE FIRST PROPOSED
18	SUBSTANTIVE CHANGE.
19	THE SECOND ONE THAT I WANT TO BRIEFLY
20	DESCRIBE IS TO MAKE US IN LINE WITH THE RECENTLY
21	APPROVED LAST LOAN ADMINISTRATION POLICY REGULATIONS
22	THAT WERE APPROVED BY THE BOARD. AND THAT IS TO
23	CHANGE THE DEFINITION OF LICENSING REVENUE WITH
24	RESPECT TO FOR-PROFIT GRANTEES ONLY SUCH THAT IT
25	WOULD NOT INCLUDE PRECOMMERCIAL REVENUE. AND THIS
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1	WAS DISCUSSED IN THE CONTEXT OF THE BOARD LAST
2	MONTH, AND WE'RE ALIGNING THESE REGULATIONS
3	ACCORDINGLY.
4	THE THIRD CHANGE IS A CHANGE TO 100608 B,
5	AND THAT IS GEARED TOWARDS EXPANDING ITS REACH. SO
6	RIGHT NOW THE CURRENT REGULATION AND STATUTE APPLIES
7	TO GRANTEES AND COLLABORATORS. WE'RE PROPOSING THAT
8	WITH RESPECT TO FOR-PROFIT ENTITIES AND GRANTS TO
9	FOR-PROFITS THAT IT NOW EXPAND TO REACH LICENSEES AS
10	WELL.
11	THE FOURTH CHANGE, JUST THE FOURTH AND ONE
12	MORE AFTER THAT, IS TO ADD A SUBSECTION UNDER 100608
13	A SUCH THAT IF CIRM OR IN REALITY CALIFORNIA IS
14	RECEIVING REVENUE SHARING AS A RESULT OF THE CHANGE
15	THAT I JUST DESCRIBED, THEN IF ANOTHER ENTITY IS
16	RECEIVING REVENUES, THOSE WOULD NOT BE COUNTED OR
17	OBLIGATED TO BE PAID TO CALIFORNIA BECAUSE WE DIDN'T
18	WANT TO DOUBLE-COUNT THE REVENUE STREAM. SO THIS
19	APPLIES TO THE SAME EXACT REVENUE STREAM WHERE YOU
20	HAVE A LICENSEE AND A COMMERCIALIZING ENTITY PAYING
21	CALIFORNIA. THEN IF ANOTHER ENTITY UPSTREAM THAT
22	WAS INVOLVED IN THE DEVELOPMENT IS ALSO OBTAINING
23	SOME SORT OF REVENUES AS A RESULT OF THE
24	COMMERCIALIZATION OF THAT DRUG PRODUCT OR SERVICE,
25	THEY DO NOT NEED TO SHARE WITH CALIFORNIA AS WELL.
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1	SO WE'RE NOT DOUBLE COUNTING.
2	AND THE FINAL AND IN MY MIND PERHAPS ONE
3	OF THE MOST IMPORTANT ASPECTS OF THESE PROPOSED
4	CHANGES IS A CHANGE IN THE ROYALTY FORMULA SO THAT
5	IT SMOOTHS OUT THE OBLIGATION. I THINK THAT THIS
6	WILL DO A GREAT SERVICE TO ATTRACTING INVESTMENT IN
7	OUR FUNDED PROGRAMS TO DATE AND IN THE FUTURE. AND
8	SO HERE'S WHAT THE PROPOSED NEW ROYALTY FORMULA IS.
9	IT'S 1 PERCENT PER \$1 MILLION IN GRANTS
10	PROVIDED TO A FOR-PROFIT GRANTEE FOR THE LESSER OF
11	TEN YEARS OR NINE TIMES DID I SAY 1 PERCENT?
12	.1 PERCENT, SORRY. SO IT'S ZERO THAT'S WHY I
13	ALWAYS STICK THE ZERO IN FRONT OF IT TO REMIND ME.
14	0.1 PERCENT PER MILLION DOLLARS TO A FOR-PROFIT
15	ENTITY FOR THE LESSER OF TEN YEARS OR NINE TIMES THE
16	AWARD. AND ONCE THAT IS SATISFIED, IN THE EVENT
17	THAT THERE IS A PATENTED INVENTION THAT ARISES FROM
18	CIRM'S FUNDING, THERE'S A 1 PERCENT ROYALTY FOR THE
19	LIFE OF THE PATENTED INVENTION, ALSO ASSUMING THAT
20	THERE IS A \$5 MILLION INVESTMENT THAT HAS BEEN MADE.
21	AND THAT 1 PERCENT ROYALTY APPLIES TO ANNUAL
22	REVENUES ABOVE \$500 MILLION. IT'S ALL WRITTEN DOWN
23	IN THE DOCUMENTATION IF YOU'RE NOT FOLLOWING ME
24	PRECISELY.
25	SO THOSE ARE THE FIVE SUBSTANTIVE CHANGES
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1	THAT WE'RE PROPOSING. WE'RE DOING IT BECAUSE WE
2	THINK THAT IT WILL SERVE BOTH THE ABILITY OF CIRM
3	AND CALIFORNIA TO SHARE IN THE REVENUES, BUT AT THE
4	SAME TIME MAKING SURE THAT THE BALANCE IS STRUCK
5	SUCH THAT IT'S NOT UNREASONABLY HINDERING RESEARCH.
6	AND WE'RE ALSO TRYING TO, AS WE SAID, SIMPLIFY THE
7	PROPORTIONALITY ASPECTS OF THESE REVENUE SHARING
8	PROVISIONS AS THEY RELATE TO THE FIRST SECTION I
9	DESCRIBED AND AT THE SAME TIME MAKING SURE THAT IN
10	ALL OTHER RESPECTS WE'RE NOT IMPACTING THE TREATMENT
11	OF NON-PROFIT ENTITIES, WHICH IS WHY A LOT OF WHAT I
12	JUST DESCRIBED ONLY APPLIES IN THE CONTEXT OF GRANTS
13	TO FOR-PROFIT ENTITIES.
14	SO THAT'S THE SUM AND SUBSTANCE OF IT.
15	AND WHAT WE HAD PROPOSED IS, AFTER YOU HAVE THE TIME
16	TO CONFER AND DISCUSS, TWO MOTIONS, ONE DETERMINING,
17	IF YOU BELIEVE THIS TO BE THE CASE, THAT THESE
18	AMENDMENTS ARE APPROPRIATE TO RESTRIKE THE BALANCE
19	AND ENSURE THAT RESEARCH IS NOT UNREASONABLY
20	HINDERED. AND, OF COURSE, THE SECOND MOTION, IF YOU
21	SO DESIRE TO APPROVE NOT TO APPROVE, BUT TO
22	RECOMMEND THE APPROVAL OF THE PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO
23	THE BOARD.
24	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: VERY GOOD. THANK
25	YOU, ELONA. SO LET ME START WITH ANY OF THE
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1	COMMITTEE MEMBERS WHO MIGHT HAVE QUESTIONS ABOUT
2	THESE PROPOSED CHANGES OR THE DESIRE TO MAKE THESE
3	CHANGES. ALL RIGHT. WELL, I HAVE A COUPLE OF
4	QUESTIONS THEN.
5	SO THE FIRST IS THE \$500 MILLION ANNUAL
6	REVENUE THRESHOLD THAT IS PART OF THE PATENT ROYALTY
7	SECTION, WHERE DID THAT NUMBER COME FROM? WHY IS
8	THAT THERE?
9	MR. ROTH: I THINK IT'S 500,000, RIGHT?
10	MS. BAUM: 500 MILLION?
11	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: IT'S 500 MILLION,
12	DUANE.
13	MR. ROTH: WHERE IS THAT?
14	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: IT'S TOWARDS THE END
15	OF THE REVISIONS. AND, IN ESSENCE, IT SAYS THAT THE
16	1 PERCENT ROYALTY BASED ON A PATENT DOESN'T COME
17	INTO PLAY UNTIL THERE'S AT LEAST \$500 MILLION OF
18	ANNUAL REVENUES, ANNUAL COMMERCIAL REVENUES. AND SO
19	I'M ASKING WHERE THAT CAME FROM.
20	MS. BAUM: SO LET ME START AND THEN MAYBE
21	SCOTT HAS A LITTLE MORE HISTORY THAN I DO SINCE HE
22	WAS HERE LONGER THAN I'VE BEEN HERE. BUT THAT WAS
23	PART OF THE BLOCKBUSTER PROVISIONS THAT WERE ENACTED
24	YEARS AGO IN THE FIRST ROUND. AND WHEN WE WERE
25	DRAFTING IT, WE JUST PRESERVED WHAT THAT FORMULA WAS
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1	FROM THE PAST BECAUSE IT WAS DETERMINED THAT WE JUST
2	WANTED TO HAVE A LONGER TERM ROYALTY THAT THE PATENT
3	RELATED WITH RESPECT TO REVENUES ABOVE WHAT IS
4	CONSIDERED OR WAS CONSIDERED BLOCKBUSTER REVENUE.
5	MR. ROTH: I CAN ADD TO THAT. THAT'S
6	CORRECT. IT WAS A NEGOTIATION. THERE WAS A LOT OF
7	INPUT FROM THE PATIENT COMMUNITY, THAT THEY WANTED
8	TO MAKE SURE THAT IF SOMETHING REALLY, REALLY
9	WORKED, THAT THERE WAS AN ADDITIONAL UPSIDE PAYBACK.
10	SO WE PUT IN A 1 PERCENT OVER 500 MILLION PROVIDED
11	THERE'S A PATENT AND THERE WAS A MEANINGFUL
12	INVESTMENT ON CIRM'S PART.
13	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: WELL, ALL RIGHT.
14	FINE. I UNDERSTAND THE HISTORIC NATURE. AS I THINK
15	I'VE SAID BEFORE IN OTHER SETTINGS, THE VALUE OF A
16	PATENT IS ITS EXCLUSIONARY VALUE. IT HAS THE
17	ABILITY TO EXCLUDE OTHERS FROM PRACTICING THE
18	INVENTION THAT'S DESCRIBED WITHIN THE PATENT. AND
19	SO IRRESPECTIVE OF THE AMOUNT OF REVENUE THAT'S
20	GENERATED, IT HAS THAT VALUE AND THEN NOBODY ELSE
21	CAN DO THE SAME THING AS THAT IS WITHIN THE PATENT.
22	AND SO IT'S NOT ENTIRELY CLEAR TO ME WHY THERE
23	SHOULD BE ANY THRESHOLD, YOU KNOW, AT ALL, LET ALONE
24	A \$500 MILLION THRESHOLD. I GUESS THAT'S MY
25	QUESTION.
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1	I UNDERSTAND THE NOTION OF WANTING TO
2	RECEIVE MORE REVENUE IF IT'S A BLOCKBUSTER PRODUCT,
3	AND I WOULD ARGUE, THEN, THAT THERE OUGHT TO BE A 1
4	PERCENT ROYALTY NO MATTER WHAT AND THEN 2 PERCENT
5	ROYALTY IF IT'S ABOVE 500 MILLION IF THAT'S THE
6	THINKING. BUT ANYWAY, SO
7	MR. ROTH: IT WAS ASSUMED THERE WOULD BE A
8	TENFOLD PAYBACK AT THAT POINT OR NINEFOLD PAYBACK.
9	SO IT WAS CAPPED AT NINE TIMES THE AMOUNT WE
10	INVESTED. AND SO THEN ONCE THAT NINE TIMES IS PAID
11	BACK, IF IT WAS TRULY A BLOCKBUSTER AT THAT POINT,
12	WHICH IT WOULD BE, THEN THERE WAS THE 1 PERCENT
13	ROYALTY PROVIDED THERE WAS A PATENT.
14	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: WELL, I DON'T FEEL
15	STRONGLY ABOUT THIS, BUT I JUST TO ME IT'S A BIT
16	OUT OF SYNC WITH WHAT, AT LEAST, I'M MORE FAMILIAR
17	WITH BASED ON MY PAST EXPERIENCE MORE ON THE
18	COMMERCIAL SIDE.
19	SO THE OTHER QUESTION THAT I HAVE AND,
20	ELONA, IF YOU COULD JUST TAKE US THROUGH AN EXAMPLE
21	OF THIS ISSUE OF POTENTIAL DOUBLE COUNTING THAT
22	WE'VE EXCEPTED OUT OF THESE REGULATIONS. SO JUST IF
23	YOU COULD PROVIDE AN EXAMPLE OF HOW THAT MIGHT COME
24	INTO PLAY SO THAT THAT WE PROVIDE THAT THAT ISN'T
25	A CONCERN.
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1	MS. BAUM: OKAY. SO LET'S JUST THINK OF
2	THIS FOLLOWING SCENARIO. YOU HAVE A NON-PROFIT THAT
3	ENDS UP GETTING A GRANT. THEY CREATE A SPIN-OUT
4	COMPANY, THAT'S COMPANY B, AND THEN ULTIMATELY, AS
5	IN THE TYPICAL CASE, THE SPIN-OUT, THE SMALL
6	BIOTECH, ENDS UP OUT-LICENSING TO A PHARMA OR LARGE
7	BIOPHARMA. SO WHAT COULD HAPPEN IS THAT THE AND
8	LET'S JUST SAY THAT THE SMALL BIOPHARMA ALSO GETS A
9	GRANT ALONG THE WAY. WHAT COULD HAPPEN IS THE SMALL
10	BIOPHARMA EVENTUALLY COULD CUT THEIR DEAL WITH THE
11	PHARMA AND THEY'LL GET UP-FRONT PAYMENTS, THEY'LL
12	GET DEVELOPMENT MILESTONES, BUT THEN THEY MIGHT
13	ACTUALLY ALSO GET SOME ROYALTY OFF OF THE PRODUCT
14	SALES.
15	WHAT WE'RE SAYING IS THAT ONCE THE
16	LICENSEE, THAT PHARMA, OWES US A CERTAIN AMOUNT OFF
17	OF THE PRODUCT SALES, THAT THEN IT'S THE SAME
18	REVENUE STREAM WHEN THEY SELL THE DRUG THAT WOULD
19	POTENTIALLY, IF WE DIDN'T HAVE THIS EXCLUSION, APPLY
20	AND WE'D BE COLLECTING FROM THE LICENSEE AND THEN
21	WE'D BE COLLECTING FROM COMPANY B, THE SMALL
22	BIOTECH. AND WE THOUGHT IT WOULD BE ONLY
23	APPROPRIATE TO, AND THAT'S HOW I THINK WHEN WE WERE
24	THINKING OF OUR FORMULA, IS THAT WE SHOULD ONLY SEEK
25	TO REVENUE SHARE FROM THE ULTIMATE SALES STREAM AND

1	NOT FROM BOTH. BECAUSE TECHNICALLY SPEAKING, WHEN
2	THE COMPANY B RECEIVES THESE ROYALTY PAYMENTS, THAT
3	COULD BE CONSIDERED LICENSING REVENUES UNDER
4	SUBSECTION A. AND WE WANTED TO ENCOURAGE INVESTMENT
5	AND NOT MAKE IT TOO EXPENSIVE FOR THE PHARMA TO
6	INVEST IN THE PROJECT. AND, THEREFORE, WE THOUGHT
7	WE SHOULD EXCLUDE THE MIDSTREAM TO THE MIDDLE
8	PLAYER.
9	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: WELL, SO LET ME
10	UNDERSTAND THIS. LET ME JUST USE A LITTLE MORE
11	SPECIFICS. ASSUME WE HAVE A PRODUCT ON THE
12	MARKETPLACE, ASSUME THERE'S A SMALL BIOPHARMA
13	COMPANY THAT INITIALLY LICENSED THIS FROM A
14	UNIVERSITY, HAS DEVELOPED IT SO SOME EXTENT, NOW
15	LICENSED IT TO A MUCH LARGER COMPANY, THE LARGER
16	COMPANY SELLS THE PRODUCT, THE LARGER COMPANY PAYS
17	THE BIOPHARMA A 10-PERCENT ROYALTY ON PRODUCT SALES,
18	FOR EXAMPLE. AND IN TURN, THE SMALL BIOPHARMA
19	COMPANY PAYS THE UNIVERSITY A STREAM OF MONEY
20	ROYALTY PROBABLY BASED UPON ITS ORIGINAL LICENSE
21	FROM THE UNIVERSITY.
22	NOW, AMONGST THOSE THREE ENTITIES IN YOUR
23	EXAMPLE, UNIVERSITY, SMALL BIOPHARMA, BIG BIO, BIG
24	PHARMA, WHO'S THE PAYOR IN THAT PARTICULAR CASE?
25	WHICH OF THOSE ENTITIES ARE WE LOOKING TO?

1	MS. BAUM: THE ANSWER IS THAT YOU HAVE TO
2	LOOK AT IT ON A GRANT-BY-GRANT BASIS. SO I DIDN'T
3	COPY DOWN THE WHOLE HYPO, BUT THE GRANTS THAT GO TO
4	THE NON-PROFITS WOULD WE WOULD JUST SHARE
5	ANY THE 25 PERCENT SUBJECT TO THE REDUCTION OF
6	ROYALTIES THAT GO TO THERE. IF THERE'S A GRANT THAT
7	GOES TO THE BIOPHARMA, AND THERE'S THIS ULTIMATE
8	COMMERCIALIZING ENTITY, THEN THAT'S THIS NEW
9	FORMULA. SO THE GRANT TO THE NON-PROFIT IS NOT
10	TOUCHED IN ANY WAY, AND IT'S THE NEW FORMULAS THAT
11	APPLY TO THESE GRANTS TO THE BIOPHARMAS.
12	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: AND SO WOULD
13	THAT IN THE SECOND OF THOSE TWO PARTS THAT YOU
14	JUST EXPLAINED AS BETWEEN THE SMALL BIOPHARMA AND
15	THE BIG PHARMA ON COMMERCIAL REVENUES, WHICH OF
16	THOSE TWO ENTITIES WILL ULTIMATELY PAY THE STATE OF
17	CALIFORNIA THE ROYALTIES?
18	MS. BAUM: IT WOULD BE C, THE PHARMA.
19	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: THE LARGE PHARMA AND
20	NOT THE SMALL BIOPHARMA. AND WHY THE LARGE PHARMA
21	AS OPPOSED TO THE SMALL BIOPHARMA?
22	MS. BAUM: WELL, ULTIMATELY I MEAN,
23	QUITE FRANKLY, THE POINT IS JUST TO HAVE ONE ENTITY
24	PAY.
25	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: RIGHT.
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1	MS. BAUM: YOU COULD MAKE THE SMALLER
2	BIOPHARMA MAKE THE PAYMENTS DIRECTLY TO US; BUT IF
3	THEY GO OUT OF BUSINESS, IT'S NOT AS ADVANTAGEOUS AS
4	IF WE HAD A DIRECT OBLIGATION TO THE PHARMA COMPANY,
5	WHICH IS WHY WE EXPAND OUR REGULATIONS TO MEET THE
6	LICENSEES TO REACH THE LICENSEES.
7	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: ALL RIGHT. FAIR
8	ENOUGH. AND SO WITHOUT GOING BACK AND LOOKING AT
9	THESE PROPOSED CHANGES AGAIN, IS IT ALWAYS THE CASE
10	THAT IT'S THE ULTIMATE LICENSEE OR SUBLICENSEE, I
11	GUESS, THAT PAYS? OR IS IT RATHER IT CAN VARY FROM
12	CIRCUMSTANCE TO CIRCUMSTANCE AT CIRM'S ELECTION?
13	HOW WOULD THAT WORK?
14	MS. BAUM: WELL, YOU KNOW, I THINK THE WAY
15	WE DRAFTED THE REGULATIONS, IT ACTUALLY SAID THE
16	LICENSEE IS OBLIGATED TO PAY. SO I WOULD THINK THAT
17	A READING OF THAT WOULD REQUIRE IT BE THE PHARMA
18	COMPANY THAT PAYS INTO THE FUND. WE COULD CLARIFY
19	THAT.
20	MR. TOCHER: THE COMMERCIALIZING ENTITY, I
21	THINK, IS THE TERM THAT YOU USED.
22	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: OKAY.
23	DR. PLUNKETT: STEVE, ONE CLARIFICATION TO
24	THAT THOUGH. FOR A NON-PROFIT AWARDEE WOULD
25	CONTINUE TO BE UNCHANGED FROM THE CURRENT
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1	CIRCUMSTANCE.
2	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: RIGHT. NO, I
3	UNDERSTAND THAT. YEAH.
4	MS. BAUM: AND THE NUANCE, WHICH I DON'T
5	WANT TO COMPLICATE IT TOO MUCH, IS THAT IT'S THE
6	COMMERCIALIZING ENTITY OF A DRUG PRODUCT OR SERVICE.
7	SO IF THERE IS THIS METHOD SUCH AS THE PDL
8	SITUATION, THE BIOPHARMA HAS A METHOD THAT IT
9	LICENSES FREELY, THEY OWE US DIRECTLY OR OWE
10	CALIFORNIA DIRECTLY.
11	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: ALL RIGHT. THANK
12	YOU. THAT ANSWERS MY QUESTIONS. THANK YOU.
13	ARE THERE QUESTIONS ANY OTHER QUESTIONS
14	FROM COMMITTEE MEMBERS NOW THAT I'VE MONOPOLIZED THE
15	LAST TEN MINUTES? HEARING NONE, ARE THERE ANY
16	QUESTIONS OR COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC? WELL,
17	HEARING NONE, THEN, THERE ARE TWO MOTIONS THAT ELONA
18	HAS PROPOSED.
19	ELONA, IF YOU COULD REPEAT MORE
20	SPECIFICALLY THE LANGUAGE OF THE FIRST MOTION THAT
21	YOU RECOMMEND WE CONSIDER AND ADOPT, THAT WOULD BE
22	HELPFUL FOR ME.
23	MS. BAUM: OKAY. SO IT WOULD BE A FINDING
24	THAT A MODIFICATION OR AMENDMENT OF OUR REGULATIONS
25	ARE NEEDED TO ENSURE THAT CALIFORNIA HAS AN
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1	OPPORTUNITY TO ECONOMICALLY BENEFIT FROM CIRM'S
2	INVESTMENTS, BUT AT THE SAME TIME THESE ARE NEEDED
3	IN ORDER TO ENSURE THAT ESSENTIAL RESEARCH IS NOT
4	HINDERED.
5	AND THEN, OF COURSE, THE SECOND MOTION
6	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: NO. HOLD ON FOR A
7	MOMENT. SO DO WE HAVE A MOTION TO THE EFFECT OF
8	WHAT ELONA JUST PROVIDED US?
9	MR. ROTH: SO, STEVE, YOU'RE LOOKING FOR A
10	MOTION ON THE COMPELLING REASON TO CHANGE?
11	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: YES. ON THE REASON
12	FOR DOING THIS, ABSOLUTELY, YES.
13	MR. ROTH: SO I'LL MAKE THAT MOTION. BUT
14	I WANT TO MAKE SURE WE PUT IN THE RECORD THE BASIS
15	FOR THAT.
16	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: NO. WE WILL. I
17	APPRECIATE THAT, DUANE, AND I THINK WE SHOULD.
18	MR. ROTH: I'LL MAKE THE MOTION.
19	CHAIRMAN THOMAS: I'LL SECOND.
20	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: ALL RIGHT. THEN WHY
21	DON'T YOU GO AHEAD AND SPEAK TO THE RATIONALE. I'LL
22	BE HAPPY TO CHIME IN LATER IF I SEE ADDITIONAL
23	REASONING FROM MY SIDE.
24	MR. ROTH: SO YOU WANT ME TO DO THAT OR
25	YOU WANT
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1	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: PLEASE, GO AHEAD.
2	MR. ROTH: OKAY. WELL, MY UNDERSTANDING
3	IS THAT THERE IS CONCERN ABOUT THE ABILITY TO DO
4	LICENSE AGREEMENTS BASED ON THE WAY THE CURRENT
5	REGULATIONS ARE PROPOSED, AND IT DEALS PRIMARILY
6	WITH THIS ONE-TIME PAYMENT AFTER THE 250 MILLION AND
7	AFTER THE 500 MILLION IN REVENUES. SO THAT'S MY
8	UNDERSTANDING, THAT IN COMMUNICATION WITH VARIOUS
9	LICENSING PROSPECTS, THEY'VE RAISED THIS AS A
10	CONCERN, AND THEY SAY THAT BUT FOR THAT, THEN THEY
11	COULD GO FORWARD WITH SOME OF THESE LICENSING
12	AGREEMENTS.
13	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: ANYBODY ELSE HAVE
14	ANYTHING TO ADD TO THAT? WELL, JUST SO SO LET ME
15	THEN WEIGH IN JUST BRIEFLY. SO FIRST OF ALL, I SEE
16	THESE REGULATIONS AS EXPANDING THE REACH ON THE
17	COMMERCIAL SIDE TO ENCOMPASS ANY ENTITY THAT'S
18	INVOLVED IN DERIVING COMMERCIAL REVENUES, AND AS
19	SUCH CLOSES ANY POTENTIAL LOOPHOLES THAT MIGHT EXIST
20	IN TERMS OF GETTING ROYALTY PAYMENTS BACK TO CIRM
21	FOR HAVING PROVIDED FUNDING WHICH RESULTED IN A
22	SUCCESSFUL COMMERCIAL PRODUCT.
23	THE SECOND, AND THIS SPEAKS TO WHAT YOU
24	JUST SPOKE TO, DUANE, WHICH IS TO ELIMINATE THE
25	ONE-TIME PAYMENT NOTION OF RATHER SIGNIFICANT

1	PAYMENTS OR WHAT COULD BE RATHER SIGNIFICANT
2	PAYMENTS ON A REVENUE STREAM, TO INSTEAD SMOOTH THAT
3	OUT. I COMPLETELY AGREE BOTH HYPOTHETICALLY WITH
4	THAT AS A CONCERN AS WELL AS DIRECTLY WITH THAT AS A
5	CONCERN AS EXPRESSED BY POTENTIAL LICENSEES.
6	SO IT'S IN MY EXPERIENCE EXTREMELY UNUSUAL
7	TO HAVE THAT SORT OF PAYMENT METHODOLOGY WHERE YOU
8	MAKE A VERY SIGNIFICANT PAYMENT AFTER HAVING
9	ACHIEVED JUST A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF REVENUES. AND I
10	CAN SEE THAT IT WOULD REALLY CONCERN COMPANIES WHO
11	MIGHT WANT TO BE INVOLVED IN THESE TRANSACTIONS TO
12	HAVE THAT KIND OF PAYMENT SYSTEM IMPOSED UPON THEM.
13	AND THAT'S BEEN SECONDED BY WHAT WE'VE HEARD FROM
14	POTENTIAL LICENSEES.
15	SO I DO BELIEVE THESE ARE NECESSARY AND
16	ADVISABLE CHANGES TO OUR REGULATIONS THAT ARE
17	COMPLETELY IN ACCORD WITH THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE
18	ALQUIST LEGISLATION.
19	ANY OTHER COMMENTS? HEARING NONE, LET'S
20	CALL THE ROLL. I GUESS WE'RE VOTING, SCOTT.
21	MR. TOCHER: SURE. OKAY. SUE BRYANT.
22	DR. BRYANT: YES.
23	MR. TOCHER: DUANE ROTH.
24	MR. ROTH: YES.
25	MR. TOCHER: J.T.
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1	CHAIRMAN THOMAS: YES.
2	MR. TOCHER: AND STEVE JUELSGAARD.
3	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: YES.
4	MR. TOCHER: THE MOTION CARRIES.
5	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: THANK YOU. SO NOW
6	THE SECOND MOTION, THEN, IS ONE THAT SPEAKS TO THE
7	SPECIFIC CHANGES THAT WE'VE ALL BEEN PROVIDED VIA
8	E-MAIL AND THAT ELONA HAS WALKED US THROUGH. AND SO
9	IS THERE A MOTION WITH RESPECT TO THESE PROPOSED
10	CHANGES TO APPROVE THEM?
11	MS. BAUM: TO RECOMMEND TO THE
12	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: I'M SORRY. TO
13	RECOMMEND TO THE ICOC THAT THEY APPROVE IT.
14	CHAIRMAN THOMAS: SO MOVED.
15	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: IS THERE A SECOND?
16	MR. ROTH: SECOND.
17	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: ARE THERE ANY
18	COMMENTS FROM ANY OF THE BOARD MEMBERS ABOUT THESE
19	PROPOSED CHANGES? ARE THERE ANY COMMENTS FROM THE
20	PUBLIC ABOUT THESE PROPOSED CHANGES? HEARING NONE,
21	THEN LET'S MOVE TO THE VOTE.
22	MR. TOCHER: SUE BRYANT.
23	DR. BRYANT: YES.
24	MR. TOCHER: DUANE ROTH.
25	MR. ROTH: YES.
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5	MR. TOCHER: MOTION CARRIES.
6	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: THANK YOU.
7	MS. BAUM: THANK YOU.
8	CHAIRMAN JUELSGAARD: WELL, I THINK THAT'S
9	THE PRINCIPAL REASON FOR HAVING THIS MEETING. SO I
10	DON'T BELIEVE THERE ARE ANY OTHER ITEMS ON THE
11	AGENDA CERTAINLY TO TAKE ACTION ON. ARE THERE ANY
12	THINGS THAT ANY OF THE COMMITTEE MEMBERS WOULD LIKE
13	TO BRING UP AT THIS MOMENT? WELL, IF NOT, ARE THERE
14	ANY COMMENTS FROM ANY MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC AT THIS
15	TIME BEFORE WE ADJOURN THE MEETING? IF NOT, THEN,
16	THE MEETING IS ADJOURNED.
17	MR. TOCHER: THANK YOU, EVERYBODY.
18	CHAIRMAN THOMAS: JUST LIKE TO WISH MATT A
19	HAPPY BIRTHDAY BEFORE WE GET OFF HERE.
20	(THE MEETING WAS THEN ADJOURNED AT 9 A.M.)
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