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AZURITY PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.  
AZURITY PHARMA INDIA LLP  
SLAYBACK PHARMA LLC  
Petitioners

v.

HERON THERAPEUTICS, INC.  
Patent Owner

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Patent 12,115,254

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HERON THERAPEUTICS, INC.**

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PATENT NO. 12,115,254

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(b), Heron Therapeutics, Inc. hereby appoints the practitioners associated with Paul Hastings LLP, Customer Number 36,183, including the following lead and backup counsel, as its attorneys to transact all business in the United States Patent & Trademark Office associated with all post grant review proceedings involving U.S. Patent No. 12,115,254.

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), I certify that on March 21, 2025 I caused to be served on the counsel for Petitioner a true and correct copy of the foregoing Power of Attorney for Patent Owner Heron Therapeutics, Inc., by electronic means on Counsel for Petitioner at the following addresses of record:

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