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26	PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.		
27	Defendants and Counterclaimat	unts.	
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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that Defendants Merck & Co., Inc., Merck Sharp & Dohme Corp., and Ionis Pharmaceuticals, Inc., formerly known as Isis Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (collectively, "Defendants"), hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Order Regarding the Amount of Reasonable Attorneys' Fees entered in this action on July 14, 2017 (D.I. 489); and any and all adverse rulings (whether oral or written) incorporated in, antecedent to, or ancillary to the Order; and any and all adverse interlocutory orders, judgments, decrees, decisions, rulings, and opinions (whether oral or written) that merged into and became part of the Order, that shaped the Order, that are related to the Order, and upon which the Order is based; including, but not limited to, the Court's Order Regarding Gilead's Entitlement to Attorneys' Fees Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 285 (D.I. 457), entered on August 11, 2016, and the Court's Order Awarding Total Amount of Attorney Fees and Staying Enforcement of Orders on Fees and Costs (D.I. 492), entered August 2, 2017.

Notice is further given that Defendants hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the taxation of costs entered in this action on July 24, 2017 (D.I. 490).

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