Reply Declaration of Sylvia Hall-Ellis, Ph.D. Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 10,716,793 B2

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

LIQUIDIA TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,

LIQUIDIA TECHNOLOGIES, INC. Petitioner

v.

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORPORATION, Patent Owner

IPR2021-00406 U.S. Patent No. 10,716,793 B2

REPLY DECLARATION OF SYLVIA HALL-ELLIS, PH.D.

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I, Sylvia D. Hall-Ellis, declare as follows:

I. INTRODUCTION

1. I am over the age of eighteen and otherwise competent to make this declaration.

2. I have been retained by counsel for Petitioner Liquidia Technologies, Inc.

("Liquidia") to offer my expert opinion regarding the public availability of certain publications,

discussed below.

3. I understand that the Patent Trial and Appeal Board ("the Board") has instituted

inter partes review of U.S. Patent No. 10,716,793 ("'793 Patent") based on the petition submitted

by Liquidia. Since institution, I understand that Patent Owner United Therapeutics Corporation

("UTC") has filed a Patent Owner Response as well as a declaration from Ms. Pilar Wyman in

support thereof.

4. I originally submitted a declaration on January 7, 2021 in this proceeding. My

background, qualifications, and experience relevant to the issues raised in this proceeding are

summarized in Section I.A of my original declaration. Ex. 1036 at ¶¶ 7-10. A full description of

my background and qualifications is set forth in my curriculum vitae, attached as Exhibit A to my

original 2021 declaration. Id., Exhibit A.

5. This declaration presents my additional opinions in response to the Declaration of

Ms. Pilar Wyman (Ex. 2041) (the "Wyman Declaration"), dated November 10, 2021, as it relates

to the public availability of the two printed publications referred to in the Wyman Declaration as

Voswinckel JAHA and Voswinckel JESC before May 15, 2006.

6. I reserve the right to supplement or amend my opinions, and bases for them, in

response to any additional evidence, testimony, discovery, argument, and/or other additional

information that may be provided to me after the date of this Declaration.

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7. I am being compensated for my time spent working on this matter at my normal consulting rate of \$300 per hour, plus reimbursement for any additional reasonable expenses. My compensation is not in any way tied to the content of this Declaration, the substance of my opinions, or the outcome of this proceeding. I have no other interests in this proceeding or with any of the parties.

II. MATERIALS CONSIDERED

- 8. This Declaration is based on information known to me as of the date I signed this Declaration, and I reserve the right to amend or supplement this report in view of any additional discovery, documents, information, reports, and/or testimony that I receive after issuance of this report.
- 9. The bases for my opinions herein and any testimony that I may be called upon to provide are as follows: (i) the materials identified throughout this Declaration, listed below; (ii) the independent research identified in this Declarations (iii) the materials identified in my 2021 declaration (Ex. 1036); (iv) the materials identified in the Wyman Declaration; (iv) my knowledge, education, research skills and methodology, and experience; and (v) the materials listed in the table below. The foregoing are among the types of information reasonably relied upon by experts in my field for the purposes of forming opinions or inferences on the matters that are the subject of my work in this case. Throughout this report, I cite portions of these documents. These citations are intended only as examples, and I reserve the right to rely on all portions of these documents in addition to those cited in this report.

Exhibit	Description	
No.		
1007	Voswinckel, R., et al., Abstract 218: "Inhaled treprostinil is a potent pulmonary vasodilator in severe pulmonary hypertension," <i>European Heart Journal</i> 25:22	
	(2004) ("Voswinckel JESC")	

1008	Robert Voswinckel, Beate Enke, Andre Kreckel, Frank Reichenberger, Stefanie				
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	Treatment of Pulmonary Hypertension," Abstracts from the 2004 Scientific				
	Sessions of the American Heart Association, <i>Circulation</i> , 110(17 Suppl.):III-295				
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1036	Declaration of Sylvia Hall-Ellis, Ph.D. ("Hall-Ellis Decl.")				
1089	Voswinckel JESC, UWash				
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1104	Sulica, R. and Poon, M., "Medical therapeutics for pulmonary arterial				
	hypertension: from basic science and clinical trial design to evidence-based				
	medicine," Expert Rev. Cardiovasc. Ther. 3(2), (2005) ("Sulica 2005")				
1106	Reply Declaration of Nicholas Hill, M.D. ("Hill Reply Declaration")				
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	Liquidia's counsel				
1110	Transcript from the December 29, 2021 Deposition of Lyndsey Pilar Wyman,				
	Liquida Technologies, Inc. v. United Therapeutics Corp., IPR2021-00406				
1113	JAHA Supplement Author Index				
1114	American Heart Association 2004 Online Archive, pages available at				
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1127	European Heart Journal bibliographic record, UWash	
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1129	European Heart Journal MARC record, British Library	
2040	University of Wisconsin–Madison Library Catalog Search for holdings of	
	Circulation: the journal of the American Heart Association	
2041	Declaration of Ms. Pilar Wyman ("Wyman Declaration")	
2043	Deposition Transcript of Sylvia Hall-Ellis, Ph. D.	
2044	American Heart Association Listing of Circulation Supplements	
2049	Oxford Academic Listing of European Heart Journal Supplements	

- 10. In preparing this report, I used authoritative databases, such as the OCLC bibliographic database (also known as "WorldCat"), the Library of Congress Online Catalog, the Internet Archive (also known as the Wayback Machine), and the Web of Science. I also used the databases and sources relied on in the Wyman Declaration, such as PubMed, Ovid, Chemical Abstracts, the American Heart Association Online Archive, and the Oxford University Press Medicine Archive.
- 11. *Internet Archive.* The Internet Archive, a 501(c)(3) non-profit, is an online digital archive of Internet web sites and web pages and other cultural artifacts in digital form.¹ Like a paper library, the Internet Archive provides free access to researchers, historians, scholars, the print disabled, and the general public. The organization's mission is to provide Universal Access to All Knowledge.
- 12. Established in 1996 by archiving the Internet itself, the Internet Archive features 20+ years of web history accessible through the Wayback Machine and more than 625 library and other partners through our Archive-It program to identify important web pages. As the Internet

¹ See https://archive.org/ (last visited Feb. 3, 2022).

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Archive grew, so did its commitment to provide digital versions of other published works.

Currently, the Internet Archive includes approximately 330 billion web pages, 20 million books

and texts, 4.5 million audio recordings (including 180,000 live concerts), 4

million videos (including 1.6 million Television News programs), 3 million images, and

200,000 software programs.

13. The Internet Archive maintains an archive of webpages collected from the Internet

using software called a crawler. Crawlers automatically create a snapshot of webpages as they

existed at a certain point in time. The Wayback Machine is an application using a crawler created

by the Internet Archive to search its archive of web page URLs and to represent, graphically, the

date of each crawler capture. The Internet Archive captures data that is openly available to users

of the Internet. Some sites are "not archived because they were password protected, blocked by

robots.txt, or otherwise inaccessible to our automated systems. Site owners might have also

requested that their sites be excluded from the Wayback Machine."²

14. Many Internet Archive captures made by the WayBack Machine have a banner at

the top with the capture date prominently displayed. Other dates when captures of the same URL

have been made are indicated to the right and left of the date provided in the banner. Some captures

may lack this banner. In any case, the URL for the capture begins with the identification of the

Internet Archive page (e.g., http://web.archive.org/web/) followed by information that dates and

time stamps the capture as follows: year in yyyy, month in mm, day in dd, time code in hh:mm:ss

(e.g., 20071120082013, or November 20, 2007 at 8:20:13 a.m.). These elements are then followed

by the URL of the original capture site. When links are active, the Wayback Machine is

² https://help.archive.org/hc/en-us/articles/360004651732-Using-The-Wayback-Machine (last

visited Feb. 3, 2022).

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programmed to produce the archived file with the closest available date (not the closest available

prior date) to the page upon which the link appeared and was clicked. I and other professionals in

the field of library and information resources are familiar with the Internet Archive and the

Wayback Machine. As previously noted, the Internet Archive and the Wayback Machine are

among the types of information reasonably relied upon by experts in my field for the purposes of

forming opinions or inferences on matters that are the subject of their work.³

III. LEGAL PRINCIPLES

15. I am not an attorney and will not offer opinions on the law. I am, however,

rendering my expert opinion on the authenticity of the documents referenced herein and on when

and how each of these documents was disseminated or otherwise made available to the extent that

persons interested and ordinarily skilled in the subject matter or art, exercising reasonable

diligence, could have located the documents before the dates discussed below with respect to the

specific documents.

A. Public Accessibility of a Printed Publication

16. Relevant to my response to the Wyman Declaration, I note below as part of my

understanding of the legal standards for public accessibility of a printed publication, in addition to

what I already set forth in my 2021 declaration. See Ex. 1036, ¶ 11-14.

17. I understand that there is a presumption of public accessibility as of the printed

publication's publication date if it is published by an established publisher.

18. I am informed by counsel that, even if a printed publication is not cataloged and

indexed in a meaningful way, it may still qualify as publicly accessible if it is cited by a "research

³ For more information about the Internet Archive see the Wayback Machine FAQ,

https://help.archive.org/hc/en-us#The Wayback Machine (last visited Feb. 3, 2022).

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aid," a publicly available publication that can reasonably lead a person interested in the relevant

subject matter to the non-cataloged and non-indexed printed publication.

19. I am informed by counsel that cataloging and indexing are not the only factors to

be considered in determining public accessibility of a printed publication and that a printed

publication that has never been cataloged or indexed in any library or database can nevertheless

be found publicly accessible. For example, I understand that printed publications presented to an

audience of persons interested in the relevant subject matter at an academic conference, without

any expectation of confidentiality, may still qualify as publicly accessible.

B. Persons of Ordinary Skill in the Art

20. I set forth a definition of a person of ordinary skill in the art ("POSA") in my 2021

declaration. Ex. 1036, ¶¶ 15-17. I understand from counsel that UTC has since set forth its own

definition, reproduced below:

A POSA, with respect to the '793 patent, would have an M.D. or a graduate degree (Masters

or Ph.D.) in a field relating to drug development and at least two years practical experience

in either (i) the investigation or treatment of pulmonary hypertension; or (ii) in the

development of potential drug candidates, specifically in the delivery of drugs by

inhalation.

My analysis applies equally to either definition of a POSA.

C. Priority Date

21. As noted in my 2021 declaration, I am informed by counsel that the priority date

for the '793 Patent at issue is May 15, 2006. Ex. 1036, ¶ 26.

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D. Summary of Opinions

22. It is my opinion that the Voswinckel JAHA (Ex. 1008) and Voswinckel JESC (Ex.

1007) printed publications discussed in my 2021 declaration were publicly accessible before the

May 15, 2006 priority date, and that Wyman's analysis to the contrary is unqualified, flawed, and

incorrect.

IV. LIBRARY CATALOGING PRACTICES

23. Relevant to my response to the Wyman Declaration, I note the following about

library cataloging practices, in addition to what I already set forth in my 2021 declaration. See Ex.

1036, ¶¶ 27-46.

24. Cataloging is the transcription of bibliographic data to describe a resource;

assignment of subject headings is the assignment of points of access including, but not limited to

subjects, genres, and other terms. These two distinct processes take place at the time that a MARC

record is prepared for addition to a library's online catalog.

25. Learning to transcribe bibliographic data and classify resources are fundamental

skills and competencies that graduate library and information science students choosing a career

path in the organization of information must complete as part of the Master of Library and

Information Science (MLIS) degree, which I earned before getting my Ph.D. in Library and

Information Science.

26. My research has focused on the knowledge, technical skills, and competencies for

catalogers and metadata specialists in the library and information profession and provided the

foundation for the adoption of core competencies by the American Library Association.⁴

⁴ See https://alair.ala.org/handle/11213/7853 (last visited Feb. 3, 2022).

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27. I understand that under the legal principles, the cataloging and indexing of a work

in a meaningful way that bears a relationship to the subject of the work at hand provides a key

indicator that such work would have been accessible to the public. In almost all libraries, as part

of their routine business practice, the assignment of points of access to a work by subject and/or

genre, in accordance with the MARC standard, will result in that work being indexed in a way that

bears a relationship to the subject of the work, as discussed in my opening declaration (Ex. 1036,

¶¶ 27-43).

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OF VOSWINCKEL JAHA AND VOSWINCKEL JESC

28. It is my opinion that Wyman is not qualified to opine on the matters of public

accessibility of printed publications given her educational background. Wyman has a Bachelor's

degree from St. John's College (Santa Fe, New Mexico) in Liberal Arts and two-years-worth of

postgraduate education in Mathematics at the University of California at Berkeley and at Mills

College (Oakland, California). See Wyman Declaration at CV (Pilar Wyman's CV). A general

liberal arts degree and graduate work in mathematics do not prepare an individual such as Wyman

for graduate studies at a program accredited by the American Library Association⁵ in the fields of

library services, information science, cataloging practices, and library operations. Ms. Wyman

does not hold a graduate degree from an American Library Association accredited program is by

her own admission "not a trained librarian." Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 49:13-19 ("Q. And

so you don't hold a-a graduate degree from an American Library Association accredited

⁵ See https://www.ala.org/educationcareers/accreditedprograms/directory (last visited Feb. 3,

2022)

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program? A. That's right. I'm not a librarian. I have worked as a librarian, but I am not a trained

librarian.").

29. Professional librarians hold a graduate degree from a program accredited by the

American Library Association. The Master of Library and Information Science (MLIS) degree

prepares students through education, internships, and supervised field experience so that they meet

the knowledge, technical skills, and competencies articulated by formal statements from relevant

professional organizations.⁶ The design, building, and maintenance of databases as part of the

graduate education results in highly developed understanding of the information seeking process

and searching strategies that surpass those of the clientele they serve. In addition, professional

librarians who work in research and academic libraries and information centers typically hold a

second graduate degree or doctorate in the discipline or field of study. For example, medical

librarians have graduate degrees in biology or nursing; law librarians in academic law libraries

have a juris doctor (J.D.). Professional librarians have sophisticated research skills that enable

them to conduct formal studies and contribute to the scholarly knowledge of the library,

information, and related fields.

30. It is also my opinion that Wyman is not qualified to opine on the matters of public

accessibility of printed publications given her professional experience. Outside of serving as an

expert in this IPR and the previous IPR2017-01621, Ms. Wyman acknowledges that she's never

been asked to assess the public availability of a document. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 27:15-

20. The vast majority of Wyman's career was focused on pursuits outside the realm of library

practices. See Wyman Declaration at CV (Pilar Wyman's CV). For 19 years, Wyman worked in

⁶ See https://www.ala.org/educationcareers/node/99/ (last visited Feb. 3, 2022)

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various atypical positions such as a research assistant in the Middle East Bureau of the Washington

Post, a computer supervisor in the U.S. and abroad, a mathematics teacher, and a computer teacher

who provided technical support to students in a private school. See id. Wyman does not indicate

that any of this experience related to matters of public accessibility of printed publications.

Wyman is a member of a professional group that offers workshops and short 31.

courses. However, Wyman's experience is not specific to indexing practices in the field of library

science (she provided her indexing services to only one library client) nor does she explain the

research methodology that she used to arrive at her conclusions. Wyman's CV indicates that she

does not have any serious expertise in library or information sciences practices. Wyman has never

worked in a research library—her only identifiable work experience as a librarian was at a private

K-12 school that did not generate MARC records, the international industry-wide standard for

organizing library catalog information. See Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 50:22-53:11. Further,

Wyman provides some examples of her indexing projects on her professional website⁸ but they

consist of matching the topics in books or journals to the pages on which they appear, which is not

the type of indexing related to the issue of public availability. Ms. Wyman acknowledges that her

"own intimate working experience is with closed indexes," which she defines as "[w]hen you go

to the back of the book for these book-style indexes, you see the index entire. You can—you can

peruse it. You can read it. You can see all of what's contained in the index. It's called a 'closed

index." Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 18:21-19:10, 29:20-30:2.

⁷ See https://www.asindexing.org/become-an-indexer/indexing-courses-and-workshops/ (last visited Feb. 3, 2022).

⁸ See https://wymanindexing.wordpress.com/titles-indexed-2020/ (last visited Feb. 3, 2022).

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32. All in all, Wyman's CV and deposition testimony show that indexing for libraries was never the focus of her career. Her indexing experience falls substantially short of the rigorous information seeking and indexing practices observed by the colleagues and professional research librarians from which I have obtained copies of the Voswinckel JAHA and Voswinckel JESC abstracts.

VI. VOSWINKCEL JAHA QUALIFIES AS A PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE PRINTED PUBLICATION

33. Voswinckel JAHA (Ex. 1008) refers to an abstract titled "Inhaled Treprostinil Sodium (TRE) For the Treatment of Pulmonary Hypertension" by Robert Voswinckel, Beate Enke, Andre Kreckel, Frank Reichenberger, Stefanie Krick, Henning Gall, Tobias Gessler, Thomas Schmehl, Markus G. Kohstall, Friedrich Grimminger, Hossein A. Ghofrani, Warner Seeger, and Horst Olschewski published in a supplement titled "Abstracts from Scientific Sessions 2004" (the "JAHA Supplement") to Volume 110, No. 17 of the journal "Circulation." Voswinckel JAHA was presented at the 2004 Scientific Sessions of the American Heart Association, which was held on November 7-10, 2004, in New Orleans, Louisiana. I have obtained date-stamped copies of Voswinckel JAHA from the British Library (stamped November 19, 2004), the Library of Congress (stamped October 2004), the Lane Medical Library at the Stanford University Medical Center (stamped November 11, 2004), and the University of California Davis Health Sciences Library (stamped November 17, 2004), which are attached as Exhibits 1093-1096, respectively. Voswinckel JAHA appears on page III-295 of the JAHA Supplement and can be easily found

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See

https://www.unboundmedicine.com/medline/citation/16082756/Abstracts from the 2004 Scientific Sessions of the American Heart Association November 7 10 2004 New Orleans Louisiana USA (last visited Feb. 3, 2022).

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using the Author Index, beginning on page III-837. See Exs. 1093-1096, 1113. The presence of

these date stamped copies establishes the public accessibility of Voswinckel JAHA.

34. The Wyman Declaration takes issue about Liquidia not quoting the Voswinckel

JAHA abstract title correctly. See Wyman Declaration at ¶¶7-8. Specifically, the Wyman

Declaration points out that Liquidia cites a section heading in the JAHA Supplement "Pulmonary

Arterial Hypertension: New Therapies," instead of the abstract title "Inhaled Treprostinil Sodium

for the Treatment of Pulmonary Hypertension." See id. I am informed by counsel that, in this

proceeding, Liquidia cited to the abstract's proper title in its Petition. Nonetheless, this point in

the Wyman Declaration does not change my opinion regarding the public accessibility of

Voswinckel JAHA.

35. It is my opinion that Voswinckel JAHA qualifies as a publicly available printed

publication that was accessible prior to the May 15, 2006 priority date, based on its availability to

the public in at least the British Library, the Library of Congress, the Lane Medical Library at the

Stanford University Medical Center, and the University of California Davis Health Sciences

Library prior to May 15, 2006. The Wyman Declaration argues that the JAHA Supplement and

Voswinckel JAHA are difficult to find and "continue to be difficult to access even today." Id. at

¶¶9-15. In support of its argument, the Wyman Declaration asserts that the Voswinckel JAHA

abstract is difficult to find in the JAHA Supplement (see id. at ¶10), that the JAHA Supplement is

released irregularly and may have been released significantly after the Scientific Sessions 2004

Conference in November 2004 (see id. at ¶10-12, 14), that the JAHA Supplement does not appear

in the American Heart Association online archives (see id. at ¶12), and that the JAHA Supplement

submitted in the '793 IPR had no date-stamp evidencing date of receipt by a library (see id. at ¶13).

Because each prong of the Wyman Declaration's argument fails, as I explain in detail below, a

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person of ordinary skill in the art that was interested in the subject matter would have found

Voswinckel JAHA, exercising no more than reasonable diligence.

36. The Voswinckel JAHA abstract is not difficult to find by a person of ordinary skill

in the art within the JAHA Supplement. To begin with, the JAHA Supplement was prepared in

conjunction with the American Heart Association's 2004 Scientific Sessions. Thus, a person of

ordinary skill in the art attending the 2004 Scientific Sessions would have known to review the

JAHA supplement prior to the conference and would have found Voswinckel JAHA. Dr. Nicholas

Hill, another expert retained by Liquidia, agrees that:

[A] POSA in 2004 would have attended the Scientific Sessions 2004

Conference, as it is one of the principal conferences on the circulatory system

and diseases and conditions affecting circulation, including pulmonary

hypertension. . . . A person attending the meeting can thus use the meeting

program to determine which researchers and clinicians are presenting at the

meeting as well as the subject matter on which the clinicians or researchers are

presenting. . . . A POSA attending the Scientific Sessions 2004 Conference

would have been interested in presentations on treatments for pulmonary

hypertension, including pulmonary arterial hypertension, and contrary to Ms.

Wyman's opinions, would have been able to identify the abstracts disclosing

such treatments, including Voswinckel JAHA. See Ex. 2041 (Wyman Decl.) at

¶ 25 (stating without evidence that "a POSA conducting diligent research would

not sift through such voluminous results"). The meeting programs and

supplements are provided for just this purpose, and I myself use such meeting

programs and supplements to identify abstracts on subject matter of interest.

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Ex. 1106 ("Reply Declaration of Dr. Hill") at ¶ 22. Further, Despite the JAHA Supplement being

1,102-pages-long, the abstracts are indexed by author. See Ex. 1093 at 5; Ex. 1094 at 6; Ex. 1095

at 9; Ex. 1096 at 4. Specifically, the Voswinckel JAHA abstract, numbered 1414, is indexed under

the authors "Voswinckel, Robert" and "Seeger, Werner." See Ex. 1095 at 16; Ex. 1113 at 5. Dr.

Hill also "note[s] that at the time, and still today, the number of physicians and researchers working

on treatments for pulmonary arterial hypertension was small. A POSA would have thus known

the names of the other physicians and researchers in the field and would have sought out research,

including abstracts and presentations, by these physicians and researchers. . . . Accordingly, and

in direct contradiction to Ms. Wyman's opinion, a POSA would have found Robert Voswinckel's

name in the Author Index (or the names of other authors from the Giessen Group) and would have

further found Voswinckel JAHA." Reply Declaration of Dr. Hill at ¶ 27; see also Ex. 1110

(Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 106:2-5 ("Q. If Voswinckel JAHA, the supplement, had an author index and

you knew the name Voswinckel, could you find it? A. Yes."). Thus, it is my opinion that a POSA

would have found Voswinckel JAHA either by diligently searching through the 2004 Scientific

Sessions program or by knowing and seeking out Robert Voswinckel's or Werner Seeger's name

in the Author Index.

37. Ms. Wyman's "opinion that the Voswinckel JAHA abstract was n[ot] disseminated

... before May 15, 2006" is directly contradicted by her admission that she has seen the copy of

Voswinckel JAHA submitted as Ex. 1003 in IPR2017-01621 prior to this case. Ex. 1110 (Wyman

Dep. Tr.) at 83:16-19 ("Q. You mention that you have seen a date stamped copy from the prior

case; is that correct? A. I did mention that, yes."), 85:10-21 (acknowledging that the date-stamped

copy was from IPR2017-01621). As I explained in my opening declaration, the copy of

Voswinckel JAHA submitted as Ex. 1003 in IPR2017-01621 was pulled from the British Library,

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with a receipt date of November 22, 2004. Ex. 1036 at ¶ 59 n.21. Ms. Wyman also agrees that

date stamps signify when a periodical is received by a library. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at

58:13-17 ("Q. Okay. But it is your understanding that a date stamp signifies when a—a periodical

is received by a library? A. Generally yes, for periodicals, that was my experience."). Ms. Wyman

also agrees that after publications are received, the library then catalogs the publication and begins

the process of placing the publication on the shelves for the public. *Id.* at 60:4-9.

38. The assertion that the JAHA Supplement is released irregularly does not support

any significant delay between the Scientific Sessions 2004 Conference in November 2004 and the

release of the associated abstract supplement. When asked how she defined phrase "significantly

delayed" or "well after" the conference, Ms. Wyman stated only months, which would place

Voswinckel JAHA's release well before May 2006. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 130:22-131:3

("Months. Like the six months you just mentioned."); see also id. at 126:19-22 ("Q. [S]o I believe

you said you had defined 'well after' as roughly a few months; is that right? A. Correct."). The

Wyman Declaration's only support for this notion is Wyman's single anecdote that she has seen

an abstract supplement from a Centre for the Study of Book symposium, which has absolutely no

relation or resemblance to the Scientific Sessions 2004 Conference, not be released for a few years.

See Wyman Declaration at ¶11, n.1. In Ms. Wyman's own words, there would have been more of

an "urgency" to publish abstracts from a medical conference like the American Heart Association

than the Centre for the Study of Book symposium she cites. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr) at 125:13-

126:15. Furthermore, the American Heart Association online archive, ¹⁰ which is Exhibit 2044, that

the Wyman Declaration relies on actually undermines Wyman's argument that the release of the

¹⁰ See https://www.ahajournals.org/circ/supplements (last visited Feb. 3, 2022).

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JAHA Supplement may have been significantly delayed. A review of the supplement release dates

and the conference dates as shown on the American Heart Association online archive reveals that

the vast majority of the abstract supplements to Circulation were released on the same date as the

Scientific Sessions conference date. See Ex. 2044. The greatest delay between a Scientific

Sessions conference and the release of an abstract supplement was only 18 days, which is nowhere

near the approximately 1.5-year gap between the November 7-10, 2004 Scientific Sessions

conference date and the priority date. See id. at 3. Wyman's argument is also facially incorrect

because the date-stamped copies of Voswinckel JAHA from the Library of Congress have a date-

stamp in October 2004, prior to the November 7-10, 2004 conference. Thus, there is no support

for Wyman's opinion.

39. The Wyman Declaration's assertion that the JAHA Supplement does not appear in

the American Heart Association online archives is incorrect and based on Wyman's search of the

archives in 2021 that does not exercise ordinary diligence. I am informed by counsel that public

accessibility must be assessed from the perspective of a person of ordinary skill in the art exercising

reasonable diligence prior to the critical date. Exhibit 1114 shows pages from the Circulation

journal website from back in November 2004, which I retrieved from Archive.org. A declaration

from Archive.org as to the authenticity of the pages in Exhibit 1114 is attached as Exhibit 1115.

Prior to May 15, 2006, a person of ordinary skill in the art interested in the subject matter of

pulmonary hypertension would have accessed the Circulation journal web page and clicked the

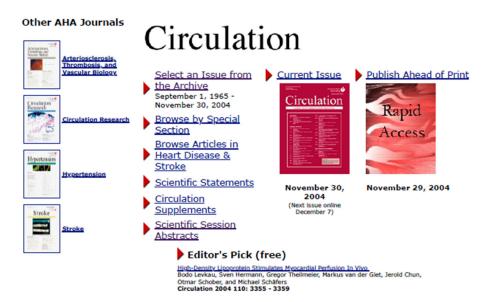
links "Select an Issue from the Archive" or "Scientific Session Abstracts."

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Ex. 1114 at 1. The resulting pages, depicted here, show that, as of November 11, 2004, Volume 110, No. 17 of *Circulation* was uploaded to the American Heart Association online archives and the Scientific Session Abstracts were viewable online.



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Ex. 1114 at 2-5.

40. The Wyman Declaration's assertion that Liquidia submitted a JAHA Supplement with no date-stamp (*see* Wyman Declaration at ¶¶13, 18) is in response to a copy of Voswinckel JAHA pulled from the Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison attached to my Declaration dated January 7, 2021. *See* Ex. 1036 at ¶59. Attached as Attachment D1 to Exhibit 1036 is a true and correct copy of the MARC record for the journal *Circulation* in the Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison. The library ownership is indicated by the presence of the library's code (uwmadisondb) in the fourth 035 field. The library continues to update this MARC record and enhance the MARC record to meet current cataloging rules. The most recent enhancement to Attachment D1 to Exhibit

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1036 occurred on March 13, 2015, as shown in field 005 ("20150313"). I personally identified and

retrieved the MARC record that is Attachment D1 to Exhibit 1036 on January 3, 2021.

41. Based on finding a digital copy of Voswinckel JAHA in the Ebling Library for the

Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin - Madison and the MARC record in its online

library catalog attached as Attachment D1 to Exhibit 1036, it is my opinion that Voswinckel JAHA

was available in Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison

on November 26, 2004. The journal Circulation has been published 14 times a year since

November 1979 (see field 310 in Attachment D1 to Exhibit 1036). Based on the publication

frequency, it is reasonable for subscribers to receive new issues within 30 days of the date on the

journal cover. Therefore, the Supplement dated October 26, 2004, would have arrived by

November 26, 2004. Attachment D1 to Exhibit 1036 also shows that Voswinckel JAHA was

cataloged with two descriptor terms reading "Cardiology \$x Societies" (see Attachment D2 to

Exhibit 1036, Library of Congress subject heading sh85020214 and Attachment D3 to Exhibit

1036, Library of Congress subject heading sh85124175) and "Heart \$x Diseases \$v Periodicals"

(see Attachment D4 to Exhibit 1036, Library of Congress subject heading sh2009126258) in the

650 fields.

42. As noted in the holdings information (362 field of Attachment D1 to Exhibit 1036),

the Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison has received

the journal Circulation in print since January 1950 and continues to receive the publication in print

and digital versions. In view of its MARC record, Voswinckel JAHA was publicly available on

November 26, 2004, because the serial title had been received, cataloged, and indexed in the Ebling

Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison and made part of its

online catalog database.

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43. Attached as Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036 is a true and correct copy of the MARC

record for the print version of the journal Circulation obtained from the OCLC bibliographic

database. As previously noted, the library that created the record is recorded in field 040 with a

unique library code. For Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036, that library code is "MUL," which means

that the MARC record for this serial was cataloged as part of the Minnesota Union List of Serials

at the University of Minnesota Libraries. As can be seen in the "Entered" field in the MARC record

for this exhibit, a cataloger at the University of Minnesota Libraries created OCLC record number

1554748 on August 17, 1975, as shown in the "Entered" field ("19750817"). The library continues

to update this MARC record and enhanced the MARC record to meet current cataloging rules.

The most recent enhancement to Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036 occurred on July 31, 2020, as

shown in the "Replaced" field ("20200731"). I personally identified and retrieved the MARC

record that is Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036 on January 3, 2021. The "BLvl" entry in Attachment

D5 to Exhibit 1036 is "s," which indicates that the journal Circulation is a serial publication.

Accordingly, the MARC record corresponds to the journal Circulation from the time that the serial

title began and includes the date of Voswinckel JAHA.

44. Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036 further includes an entry in field 050 ("RC681.A1

\$b C5")—as described above, this includes a subject matter classification number consistent with

the Library of Congress classification system (analogous to the Dewey Decimal classification

system). Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036 further includes an entry in field 060 ("W1 CI743"), a

subject matter consistent with the National Library of Medicine classification system and an entry

in field 082 ("616.105"), a subject matter consistent with the Dewey Decimal classification system.

Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036 further includes three English language descriptor terms reading

"Cardiology \$v Periodicals" (see Attachment D6 to Exhibit 1036, Library of Congress subject

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heading sh2008117649), "Cardiovascular system \$v Periodicals" (see Attachment D7 to Exhibit

1036, Library of Congress subject heading sh85020226 and Attachment D8 to Exhibit 1036,

Library of Congress subject heading sh85099890), and "Hypertension \$v Periodicals" (see

Attachment D9 to Exhibit 1036, Library of Congress subject heading sh85063723 and Attachment

D8 to Exhibit 1036, Library of Congress subject heading sh85099890) in the 650 fields. Thus, as

of its cataloging, the publication corresponding to the MARC record attached as Attachment D5

to Exhibit 1036 was indexed according to its subject matter by virtue of at least four independently

sufficient classifications: the field 050 entry, the field 060 entry, the field 082 entry, and the field

650 entries.

45. Further, as of August 17, 1975, the MARC record attached as Attachment D5 to

Exhibit 1036 was accessible through any library with access to the OCLC bibliographic database

or the online catalog at a library that subscribed to the serial, which means that the corresponding

publication was publicly available on or before that same date through any library with access to

the OCLC bibliographic database or through an individual library. Therefore, Voswinckel JAHA

was publicly accessible by at least November 26, 2004, and in any event at least one year before

the May 15, 2006, priority date, because by that time it had been received, cataloged, and indexed

at the Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison and made

part of the OCLC bibliographic database. Attachment D5 to Exhibit 1036 indicates that the journal

Circulation as cataloged at the University of Minnesota Libraries is currently available from 1,168

libraries ("1168 other holdings").

46. Wyman also refers to Ex. 2040 (University of Wisconsin – Madison Libraries

Webpage) to argue that the University of Wisconsin – Madison Library online catalog doesn't

show that it has a copy of the JAHA supplement. See Wyman Declaration at ¶19. Wyman further

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argues that the MARC record provided by me in Attachments D1 through D9 to Exhibit 1036 are

for the entire Circulation journal and not the JAHA Supplement nor for Voswinckel JAHA. See

Wyman Declaration at ¶20. However, Wyman ignores my deposition (see Ex. 2043 at 104:2 –

113:18, 117:24 - 125:19) where I explain that field 525 of the MARC record for the

Circulation journal accounts for the fact that Circulation has supplements and that fields 362 and

525 of the MARC record show that the libraries which subscribe to the journal hold every

supplement to Circulation, including the 2004 JAHA Supplement, since 1950. Wyman also

ignores her own Exhibit 2040 which shows that the University of Wisconsin – Madison Libraries'

Middleton Shelving Facility, as I explain in my deposition transcript (see Ex. 2043 at 117:24 –

125:19), holds more Circulation supplements which are available "by request only" but are

nevertheless "[a]vailable for checkout." I explain that the reason why the JAHA Supplement may

be missing from the UWML online catalog under the "The Library Has:" section is because it is

likely physically housed in the Middleton Shelving Facility. See id. It is my opinion that a person

of ordinary skill in the art exercising reasonable diligence would have requested the University of

Wisconsin – Madison Libraries to retrieve the JAHA Supplement from the Middleton Shelving

Facility.

47. In view of the above, this issue of the journal *Circulation* was publicly available on

November 26, 2004, and in any event, more than one year before the May 15, 2006 priority date,

because by that date it had been received, cataloged, and indexed at the University of Minnesota

Libraries, made part of the OCLC bibliographic database, and received at the Ebling Library for

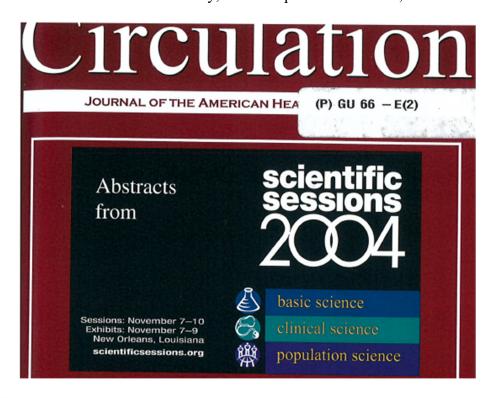
the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison. For these reasons, it is my opinion

that Voswinckel JAHA was published and accessible to the public at least by November 26, 2004.

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- 48. The above information is sufficient to establish that the Voswinckel JAHA abstract was publicly available well before May 15, 2006. As such, this has proven false the opinion in ¶13 of the Wyman Declaration that my "assumption" was incorrect. Nevertheless, in the past month, I have also located four other date-stamped copies of the Voswinckel JAHA abstract confirming the same.
- 49. Attached as Exhibit 1093 is a copy of the JAHA Supplement containing Voswinckel JAHA from the British Library, date stamped November 19, 2004.



Supplement to

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Ex. 1093 at 2-3.

50. I obtained a research librarian's declaration of Voswinckel JAHA's public

availability from The British Library, attached as Exhibit 1116. The declaration states that

"[Voswinckel JAHA] was receipted by The British Library on 19th November 2004, and it would

have been available for public use from that date. A scan of the cover pages showing the date

stamp on page three (referring to Exhibit 1093) indicating the date of availability, title page and

contents pages have been attached." Ex. 1116 at 1. Thus, it is my opinion that the declaration

confirms that Voswinckel JAHA and the JAHA Supplement were received by and publicly

available at the British Library from November 19, 2004.

51. I also obtained the MARC record for *Circulation* from the British Library, attached

as Exhibit 1123.¹¹ Fields 362 and 525 of the MARC record show that *Circulation* has an annual

supplement with the title "Abstracts" and that the British Library holds every supplement,

including the JAHA Supplement, since 1964. See Ex. 1123. The 650 fields of the MARC record

show that Circulation was cataloged with the descriptor terms "Cardiology |v Periodicals" and

"Cardiovascular system |v Periodicals." Id.

52. Attached as Exhibit 1094 is a copy of the JAHA Supplement containing

Voswinckel JAHA from the Library of Congress, date stamped October 2004.

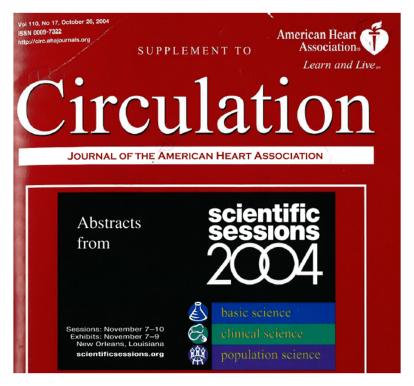
¹¹ Available at

http://primocat.bl.uk/F/?func=direct&local_base=PRIMO&doc_number=009549936&format=00

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53. I obtained the MARC record for Circulation from the Library of Congress, attached

as Exhibit 1124.¹² Fields 362 and 525 of the MARC record show that *Circulation* has an annual

supplement with the title "Abstracts" and that the Library of Congress holds every supplement,

including the JAHA Supplement, since 1964. See Ex. 1124. The MARC record further includes

English language descriptor terms reading "Cardiology |v Periodicals," "Cardiovascular system |v

Periodicals," "Hypertension | v Periodicals," and "Blood Circulation | x Periodicals," among others,

in the 650 field. Id. Thus, as of its cataloging, the publication corresponding to the MARC record

attached hereto as Exhibit 1124 was indexed according to its subject matter by virtue of at least

two independently sufficient classifications: the field 050 entry and the field 650 entries.

54. Attached as Exhibit 1095 is a copy of the JAHA Supplement containing

Voswinckel JAHA from Lane Medical Library at the Stanford University Medical Center, date

stamped November 11, 2004.¹³

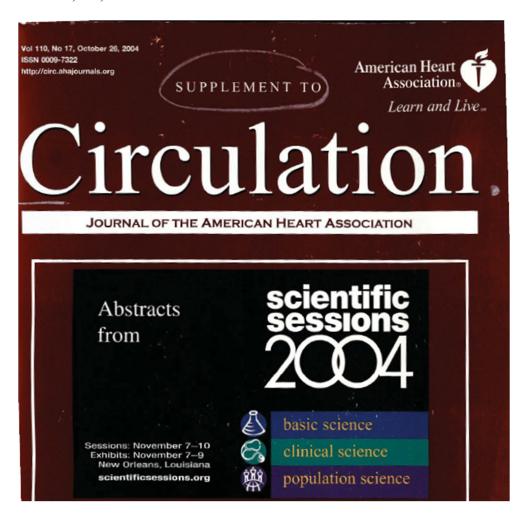
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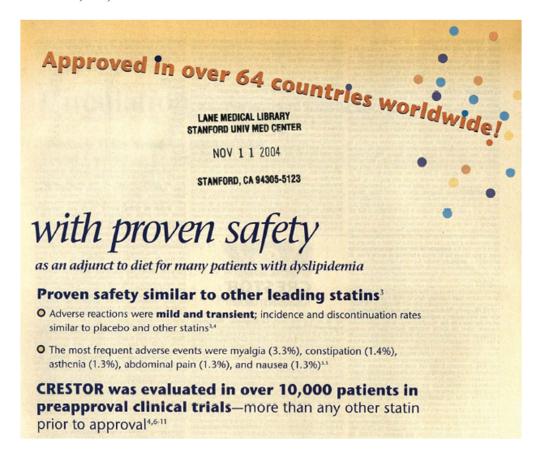
https://catalog.loc.gov/vwebv/staffView?searchId=23389&recPointer=8&recCount=25&bibId=1 1145202 (last accessed Feb. 3, 2022).

13 This copy was obtained through a Stanford medical student's request, as I was informed that access to offsite materials through the Lane Medical Library is still not open to the public. See https://lane.stanford.edu/using-lib/eligibility.html (only Stanford Medicine employees and students can access "offsite" materials).

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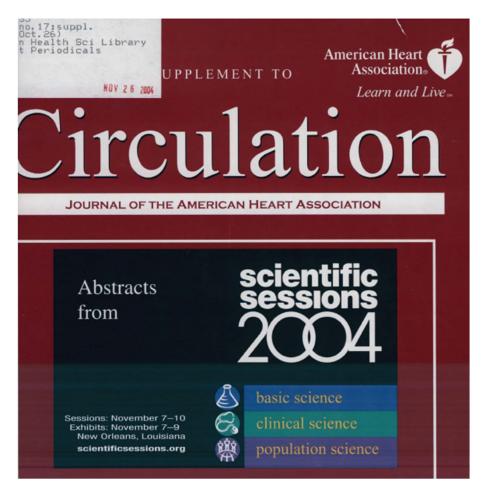
Ex. 1095 at 1, 5.

55. I obtained the MARC record for *Circulation* from the Lane Medical Library at the Stanford University Medical Center, attached as Exhibit 1125.¹⁴ Fields 362 and 525 of the MARC record show that "[s]upplements accompany some volumes" of *Circulation* and that the Lane Medical Library has every supplement, including the JAHA Supplement, since January 1950. Ex. 1125. The MARC record includes an entry in field 050 ("RC681.A1 |b C5")—as described above, this includes a subject matter classification number consistent with the Library of Congress classification system (analogous to the Dewey Decimal classification system). *See id.* The MARC

¹⁴ Available at https://lmldb.stanford.edu/cgi-bin/Pwebrecon.cgi?BBRecID=45&v3=1&SEQ=20211208101647&PID=IKxtlmYFuiY_9puqpI NTRajPpI (last accessed Feb. 3, 2022).

record also includes an entry in field 060 ("W1 CI743"), a subject matter consistent with the National Library of Medicine classification system. *See id.* The MARC record further includes English language descriptor terms reading "Blood Circulation," "Cardiovascular System," "Cardiology," and "Vascular Diseases," among others, in the 650 field. *Id.* Thus, as of its cataloging, the publication corresponding to the MARC record attached hereto as Exhibit 1125 was indexed according to its subject matter by virtue of at least three independently sufficient classifications: the field 050 entry, the field 060 entry, and the field 650 entries.

56. Attached as Exhibit 1096 is a copy of the JAHA Supplement containing Voswinckel JAHA from the University of California Davis Health Sciences Library, date stamped November 17, 2004.



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Ex. 1096 at 1-2.

Davis Health Sciences Library, attached as Exhibit 1126.¹⁵ Fields 362 and 525 of the MARC record show that *Circulation* has an annual supplement with the title "Abstracts" and that the University of California Davis Health Sciences Library holds every supplement, including the JAHA Supplement, since 1964. *See* Ex. 1126. The MARC record includes an entry in field 050 ("RC681.A1 \$bC5")—as described above, this includes a subject matter classification number consistent with the Library of Congress classification system (analogous to the Dewey Decimal classification system). *See id.* The MARC record also includes an entry in field 060 ("W1 C1743"), a subject matter consistent with the National Library of Medicine classification system. *See id.* The MARC record further includes English language descriptor terms reading "Cardiology \$vPeriodicals," "Cardiovascular system \$vPeriodicals," and "Hypertension \$vPeriodicals," among others, in the 650 field. *Id.* Thus, as of its cataloging, the publication corresponding to the MARC record attached hereto as Exhibit 1126 was indexed according to its subject matter by virtue of at

¹⁵ Available at

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least three independently sufficient classifications: the field 050 entry, the field 060 entry, and the field 650 entries.

58. In sum, four date-stamped exhibits confirm that the Abstract Supplement to Volume 110, No. 17 of *Circulation* dated October 26, 2004, was received and publicly available at least within a month, i.e., by November 26, 2004, and well before the May 15, 2006, priority date.

Exhibit No.	Location	Date Stamped
1093	British Library	November 19, 2004
1094	Library of Congress	October 2004
1095	Lane Medical Library at the Stanford University Medical Center	November 11, 2004
1096	University of California Davis Health Sciences Library	November 26, 2004

The Wyman Declaration also argues that Voswinckel JAHA was not publicly accessible before May 15, 2006, because neither the Supplement nor the abstracts within it were meaningfully indexed. See Wyman Declaration at ¶16-26. As support, Wyman presented the results of her searches for Voswinckel JAHA on the databases Ovid, CAPlus, and PubMed, and noted that they were too voluminous to be helpful to a person of ordinary skill in the art. See id. at ¶24; see also Exs. 2045-2047. I note, however, that a POSA particularly interested in a subject area would spend the time to find the relevant information. Nonetheless, a closer review of these searches shows that Wyman deliberately cast an extremely wide net. In fact, Ms. Wyman acknowledges that a person interested in pulmonary hypertension would not have used the search methodologies she describes in her declaration. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 94:15-95:16 ("Q. [I]f you're interested in treatments with pulmonary hypertension, you would not have searched this way; is that correct? A. Correct. I would have been more — way more specific. Q. How—how would you have been more specific? A. Like I just said, I would have done something

more like using phrases 'pulmonary hypertension' and 'treatment' or 'pulmonary hypertension'

and 'therapy' for starters."). Wyman did not use any search terms in conjunction with each other

and only elected to use the broadest single search terms such as "Cardiology" or "Heart Disease."

See Wyman Declaration at ¶24. In doing so, Wyman deliberately ignored the narrower search

terms highlighted in the MARC records for the journal Circulation. See Attachment D5 to Ex.

1036. For example, field 650 in the MARC records for Circulation provides descriptive search

terms such as, "Cardiology," "Cardiovascular System," "Hypertension," and "Blood Circulation."

Id.

60. Wyman's hypothetical search also ignores several other common-sense ways a

POSA would have used to locate this reference, particularly where a POSA is a presumed to know

the relevant prior art. The MARC record for this reference clearly shows that the reference was

classified by subject (e.g., "Cardiology," "Cardiovascular System," "Hypertension," and "Blood

Circulation"). This demonstrates that receipted issues would have been indexed according to that

subject matter classification upon receipt. The date-stamped copies demonstrate that the articles

were in fact received by libraries all over the world. Anytime thereafter, a POSA interested in the

subject matter could have gone to any of these libraries and browsed through that library's

selection of "Cardiology," "Cardiovascular System," "Hypertension," and "Blood Circulation" to

find this reference. For example, I conducted a search on *PubMed* using the terms "Cardiology,"

"Cardiovascular System" and "Cardiovascular diseases" for publications between 1996 and 2006

that yielded 202 results, of which the JAHA Supplement is the 113th result. The results of my

search are attached to this report as Exhibit 1117. See also Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 102:6-

9 ("O. Okay. So, to be clear, the supplement containing Voswinckel JAHA can be found on

PubMed? A. Yes."). Thus, it is my opinion that because the JAHA Supplement could be found

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by a person of ordinary skill in the art with reasonable diligence on well-known databases prior to May 15, 2006, the JAHA Supplement qualifies as a publicly accessible printed publication.

61. Furthermore, the JAHA Supplement and Voswinckel JAHA were published by the publisher Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, an established publisher of the Wolters Kluwer conglomerate since 1998. *See* https://www.wolterskluwer.com/en/solutions/lippincott-journals (last visited February 3, 2022); https://www.bioprocessonline.com/doc/lippincott-williams-wilkins-a-wolters-kluwer-0001 (same). The front matter of the JAHA Supplement displays an ISSN number, notes that *Circulation* is published by Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, indicates how to contact Lippincott Williams & Wilkins, and lists subscription rates for receiving periodicals from the American Heart Association.

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Ex. 1095 at 7, 14. Thus, it is my opinion that there is a presumption that the JAHA Supplement and Voswinckel JAHA were publicly accessible as of their publication date on October 26, 2004, because they were published by an established publisher.

62. Even if the Voswinckel JAHA abstract were not meaningfully indexed, I am informed by counsel, as discussed *supra* ¶19, that it may still qualify as publicly accessible if cited

by a "research aid," a publicly available publication that can reasonably lead a person interested in the relevant subject matter to the non-cataloged and non-indexed printed publication. Voswinckel JAHA was cited by a March 2005 article, Roxana Sulica & Michael Poon, Medical therapeutics for pulmonary arterial hypertension: from basic science and clinical trial design to evidence-based medicine, 3 Expert Rev. Cardiovascular Therapy 347-360 (2005) ("Sulica 2005"), attached as Exhibit 1104. Because Sulica 2005 generally discusses clinical trial design in treating pulmonary arterial hypertension, a person of ordinary skill in the art interested in the subject matter would be motivated to seek out Sulica 2005 and its cited articles. Ms. Wyman agrees that based on her definition of a POSA (Wyman Declaration at ¶ 3), a POSA would have been interested in Sulica 2005. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 112:16-113:4. As discussed supra ¶20, I am informed by counsel that a person of ordinary skill in the art would have experience treating patients with pulmonary hypertension or experience formulating treatments for pulmonary hypertension. Either way, it is my opinion that a person of ordinary skill in the art would be motivated to search for publications using the keyword "clinical trial" as well as "pulmonary arterial hypertension." Using such keywords, Sulica 2005 can be easily found on *PubMed* and WorldCat. I conducted a WorldCat query using the keywords "pulmonary arterial hypertension" AND "clinical trial" for any content between 1971 and 2006 and found 143 results with Sulica 2005 being the ninth result. I also conducted a *PubMed* query using the same keywords between 1970 and 2006 and found 113 results with Sulica 2005 being the first result. I have attached the results of my search as Exhibit 1118. Thus, it is my opinion that even if the Voswinckel JAHA abstract were not meaningfully indexed, it would still qualify as a publicly accessible printed publication because Sulica 2005, an indexed and easy-to-find article, could serve as a "research aid" and direct persons of ordinary skill in the art to Voswinckel JAHA. Ms. Wyman agrees that Voswinckel JAHA could be found in May 2006 using the citation provided in Sulica 2005 by

simply asking a librarian. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 114:19-116:7. Moreover, the fact that

Sulica 2005 cites Voswinckel JAHA further establishes that this reference can be and was found

by persons of ordinary skill in the art prior to May 15, 2006. When asked how the authors of

Sulica 2005 cited Voswinckel JAHA in an article written at the very least before 2006, Ms. Wyman

had no explanation. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 123:6-9 ("I have no explanation how they

knew about it.").

63. Even if both the Voswinckel JAHA abstract and Sulica 2005 were not meaningfully

indexed, I am informed by counsel, as discussed supra ¶20, that a printed publication that has

never been cataloged or indexed in any library or database can nevertheless be found publicly

accessible if it is publicly presented to an audience at an academic conference. Voswinckel JAHA

was presented at the 2004 Scientific Sessions of the American Heart Association meeting held on

November 7-10, 2004, in New Orleans, Louisiana. More specifically, Voswinckel JAHA was

presented at the Ernest N. Morial Convention Center, Hall I2 on Wednesday November 10, 2004.

For example:

Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension: New

Therapies

Subspecialty: Integrative Biology Wednesday

Ernest N Morial Convention Center, Hall 12

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Inhaled Treprostinil Sodium (TRE) For the Treatment of Pulmonary

Hypertension

Robert Voswinckel, Beate Enke, Andre Kreckel, Frank Reichenberger, Stefanie Krick, Henning Gall, Tobias Gessler, Thomas Schmehl, Markus G Kohstall, Friedrich Grimminger, Hosseln A Ghofrani, Werner Seeger, Horst Olschewski; Univ Hosp Giessen, Giessen,

Germany

Ex. 1093 at 6. As explained *supra* ¶36, other experts retained by Liquidia agree that the American

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Heart Association Scientific Sessions are well-attended by persons of ordinary skill in the art and

that they would have sought out abstracts specific to pulmonary arterial hypertension. Thus, it is

my opinion that even if Voswinckel JAHA and Sulica 2005 were not meaningfully indexed,

Voswinckel JAHA would still qualify as a publicly accessible printed publication because it was

publicly presented at an academic conference well attended by persons of ordinary skill in the art.

64. In conclusion, contrary to the Wyman Declaration's assertion, Voswinckel JAHA

was publicly available well before the priority date of May 15, 2006. By then, it had been received

in multiple libraries worldwide, cataloged and indexed, cited by another publication that can serve

as a "research aid" and presented at a well-attended academic conference.

VII. VOSWINCKEL JESC QUALIFIES AS A PUBLICLY ACCESSIBLE PRINTED

PUBLICATION

65. Voswinckel JESC refers to an abstract titled "Inhaled Treprostinil is a Potent

Pulmonary Vasodilator In Severe Pulmonary Hypertension" by R. Voswinckel, M.G. Kohstall, B.

Enke, T. Gessler, F. Reichenberger, H.A. Ghofrani, W. Seeger, and H. Olschewski, which was

published in Volume 25, Abstract Supplement (the "JESC Supplement") of the European Heart

Journal. Voswinckel JESC was presented at the 2004 European Society of Cardiology Congress

held on August 28 – September 1, 2004, in Munich, Germany. I have obtained a date-stamped

copy of Voswinckel JESC from the University of Washington Health Sciences Libraries, dated

November 16, 2004, from the Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of

Wisconsin – Madison, dated October 15, 2004, and from the British Library, dated September 27,

2004. The date-stamped copies are attached as Exhibits 1089-1091, respectively. The Voswinckel

JESC abstract appears on page 22 of the JESC Supplement and can be easily found using the table

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of contents under the subject "Epidemiology and treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension."

See Ex. 1089 at 5; Ex. 1091 at 2.

66. It is my opinion that Voswinckel JESC qualifies as a publicly available printed

publication that was accessible prior to the May 15, 2006, priority date. The Wyman Declaration

argues that the JESC Supplement and Voswinckel JESC are difficult to find and "continue to be

difficult to access even today." Wyman Declaration at ¶29-33. In support of its argument, the

Wyman Declaration asserts that Voswinckel JESC is difficult to find in the JESC Supplement (see

id. at ¶30), that the JESC Supplement is released irregularly and may have been released

significantly after the 2004 European Society of Cardiology Congress in August/September 2004

(see id. at ¶¶30-32), that the JESC Supplement does not appear in the European Heart Journal

online archives (see id. at ¶32), and that I have not provided any evidence that the JESC

Supplement was actually received by a library before the May 15, 2006, priority date (see id. at

¶33). Because each prong of the Wyman Declaration's argument fails, as I explain in detail below,

a person of ordinary skill in the art that was interested in the subject matter could have found

Voswinckel JESC with reasonable diligence.

67. The Voswinckel JESC abstract is not difficult to find within the JESC Supplement.

Despite the JESC Supplement being more than 700 pages and Voswinckel JESC being one of

3,850 abstracts, the abstracts are organized by subject in a table of contents that spans a mere 5

pages. See Ex. 1089 at 5-9. Specifically, abstract number 218, which corresponds to Voswinckel

JESC, is listed under the subject "Epidemiology and treatment of pulmonary arterial

hypertension."

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218 Inhaled treprostinil is a potent pulmonary vasodilator in severe pulmonary hypertension



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Background: Treprostinil has been approved for therapy of PAH (US and Canada) as continuous subcutaneous infusion. However, local pain at the infusion site is a major drawback. Inhaled therapy with another stable prostacyclin analogue (iloprost) has been approved for PPH (EMEA). In this study we investigated the acute hemodynamic response to inhaled treprostinil.

Methods: Open-label, single blind placebo-controlled clinical study. After placement of a Swan-Ganz catheter and a temoral artery line, patients inhaled solvent solution (placebo) (n=8) or treprestinit for 6 min (Optitibe) ultrasound nebulizer, Nebu-tec, Germany) in concentrations of 16, 32, 48, and 64 µg/ml (n=6, 6, 6, and 3 patients). Measurement was performed before and after 0, 15, 30, 60, 90, 120, 150 and 180 min. The mean area between the placebo and the treprostinit curves (ABC188) was calculated (baseline=100%).

Results: We investigated idiopathic PAH (n=10), collagen vascular disease (n=5), chronic thromboembolic disease (n=9), and pulmonary fibrosis (n=5), f/m = 19/10, age 56 ± 3 years, PAP, PAWP, and CVP 51.3 ± 2.2, 9.2 ± 0.8, and 6.6 ± 0.6 mmHg, CO 4.4 ± 0.3 f/min, SvO2 62.3 ± 1.2%, PVR 885 ± 72 dyn s cm²-A1 16µg/ml there were no significant adverse events. Headache, cough or bronchoconstriction were observed in 2, 1, and 2 patients at 32, 48, and 64 µg/ml. These were mild and transient in all patients but one (64 µg/ml) who complained of major headache for 1 hour. Placebo inhalation was followed by slowly increasing PVR. Compared to this, the maximum treprostinil effect was reached after about 50 min and half-maximal effects at about 110 min. The ABC186 for PVR was -24.7 ± 4.4, -28.7 ± 4.9, and -29.0 ± 4.7%; PAP -14.4 ± 3.3, -13.5 ± 5.2, -13.1 ± 2.6%; SAP -5.1 ± 3.0, -6.0 ± 3.1, -3.8 ± 2.1% at 16, 32 and 48 µg/ml. Conclusion: Treprostinil inhalation resufts in a significant long-tasting pulmonary vasodilatation. With the applied technology, at a concentration of 16µg/ml, near maximal pulmonary vasodilatation is achieved without adverse effects. At higher doses, local and systemic side effects may occur, whereas pulmonary selectivity is preserved.

This study was supported by Lung Rx.

Ex. 1089 at 5, 12. Furthermore, the JESC Supplement indexes Voswinckel JESC by topic in the Index of Topics that spans a mere 9 pages. Specifically, abstract number 218 is indexed under the topic "Therapy (Pulmonary circulation)".

Therapy (Pulmonary circulation)

155, 157, 217, 218, 219, 220, P541, P546, P547, P549, P553, P558, P1133,

P1142, P1861, P2370, 2725, 2726, 2727, 2728, 2729, P2831, P3399

Ex. 1092 at 10. As stated *supra* ¶23, I am informed by counsel that that a person of ordinary skill

in the art would have a medical education with a specialty in pulmonology or cardiology or

experience in treating pulmonary hypertension. Thus, it is my opinion that a person of ordinary

skill in the art interested in the subject matter would have looked for and found the Voswinckel

JESC abstract under the subject "Epidemiology and treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension"

in the JESC Supplement table of contents and under the topic "Therapy (Pulmonary circulation)"

in the JESC Supplement Index of Topics.

68. The assertion that the JESC Supplement is released irregularly does not support any

significant delay between the 2004 European Society of Cardiology Congress in

August/September 2004 and the release of the associated abstract supplement. When asked how

she defined phrase "significantly delayed" or "well after" the conference, Ms. Wyman stated only

months, which would place Voswinckel JESC's release well before May 2006. Ex. 1110 (Wyman

Dep. Tr.) at 130:22-131:3 ("Months. Like the six months you just mentioned."); see also id. at

126:19-22 ("Q. [S]o I believe you said you had defined 'well after' as roughly a few months; is

that right? A. Correct."). The Wyman Declaration's only support for this notion is Wyman's

single anecdote that she has seen an abstract supplement from a librarian's conference, which has

absolutely no relation or resemblance to the 2004 European Society of Cardiology Congress, not

be released for a few years. See Wyman Declaration at ¶31, n.9. In Ms. Wyman's own words,

there would have been more of an "urgency" to publish abstracts from a medical conference like

the European Society of Cardiology Congress than the Centre for the Study of Book symposium

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she cites. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr) at 125:13-126:15. Furthermore, the European Heart Journal

online archive, 16 which is Exhibit 2049, that the Wyman Declaration relies on actually defeats

Wyman's argument that the release of the JESC Supplement may have been significantly delayed.

A review of the supplement release dates and the conference dates as shown on the European

Heart Journal online archive reveals that the vast majority of the abstract supplements were

released before their associated conference ended. See Ex. 2049. The greatest delay between a

European Society of Cardiology Congress and the release of an abstract supplement was 62 days,

which is much shorter than the approximately 1.5-year gap between the August 28 - September 1,

2004 European Society of Cardiology Congress conference date and the priority date. See id. at

1.

69. A quick look through the European Heart Journal online archive tells us that the

Wyman Declaration's assertion that the JESC Supplement does not appear in the European Heart

Journal online archive is plainly false. Wyman's own exhibit shows that the JESC Supplement

containing Voswinckel JESC is listed on the European Heart Journal online archive as the entry

"Volume 25, Issue suppl 1, September 2004." See id. at 3. This is a telling example, among

several others highlighted in this Report, of Wyman's lack of ordinary diligence in performing her

searches.

70. The Wyman Declaration's assertion that I have not provided any evidence that the

JESC Supplement was actually received by a library before the May 15, 2006, is based on a copy

of Voswinckel JESC pulled from the University of Iowa Libraries, which was not date-stamped,

attached to my Declaration in the '793 IPR. See Ex. 1036 at ¶68. The copy of Voswinckel JESC

¹⁶ See https://academic.oup.com/eurheartj/supplements (last visited Nov. 29, 2021).

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from the University of Iowa Libraries is attached as Exhibit E to Exhibit 1036. I also obtained the

MARC record for the journal in which the abstract appeared, the European Heart Journal, in the

University of Iowa Libraries. See Attachment E1 to Exhibit 1036.

71. Based on the copy of Voswinckel JESC pulled from the University of Iowa

Libraries and the MARC record in its online library catalog attached as Attachment E1 to Exhibit

1036, it is my opinion that Voswinckel JESC was available in the University of Iowa Libraries on

October 15, 2004. Attachment E1 to Exhibit 1036 also shows that Voswinckel JESC was

cataloged with two descriptor terms reading "Cardiology \$v Periodicals" and "Heart \$x Diseases

\$v Periodicals" in the 650 fields.

72. As noted in the holdings information (362 field of Attachment E1 to Exhibit 1036),

the University of Iowa Libraries has received the European Heart Journal in print since February

1980 and continues to receive the publication. In view of the MARC record for Attachment E1 to

Exhibit 1036, Voswinckel JESC was publicly available on October 15, 2004, because the serial

title had been received, cataloged, and indexed in the University of Iowa Libraries and made part

of its online catalog database.

73. Attached as Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 is a true and correct copy of the MARC

record for the print version of the European Heart Journal obtained from the OCLC bibliographic

database. As previously noted, the library that created the record is recorded in field 040 with a

unique library code. For Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036, that library code is "NSD," which means

that the MARC record for this serial was cataloged as part of the National Serials Data Program at

the Library of Congress. As can be seen in the "Entered" field in the MARC record for this exhibit,

a cataloger at the Library of Congress created OCLC record number 5585193 on October 25, 1979,

as shown in the "Entered" field ("19791025"). The library continues to update this MARC record

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and enhanced the MARC record to meet current cataloging rules. The most recent enhancement to

Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 occurred on February 18, 2020, as shown in the "Replaced" field

("20200218"). I personally identified and retrieved the MARC record that is Attachment E2 to

Exhibit 1036 on January 3, 2021. The "BLvl" entry in Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 is "s," which

indicates that the European Heart Journal is a serial publication. Accordingly, the MARC record

corresponds to the European Heart Journal from the time that the serial title began and includes

the date of the Voswinckel JESC abstract.

74. Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 further includes an entry in field 050 ("RC681.A1

\$b E94")—as described above, this includes a subject matter classification number consistent with

the Library of Congress classification system (analogous to the Dewey Decimal classification

system). Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 further includes an entry in field 060 ("W1 \$b EU636"),

a subject matter consistent with the National Library of Medicine classification system.

Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 further includes an English language descriptor term reading

"Cardiology \$v Periodicals" (see Attachment D6 to Exhibit 1036, Library of Congress subject

heading sh2008117649) in the 650 field. Thus, as of its cataloging, the publication corresponding

to the MARC record attached as Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 was indexed according to its

subject matter by virtue of at least three independently sufficient classifications: the field 050 entry,

the field 060 entry, and the field 650 entry.

75. Further, as of October 25, 1979, the MARC record attached as Attachment E2 to

Exhibit 1036 was accessible through any library with access to the OCLC bibliographic database

or the online catalog at a library that subscribed to the serial, which means that the corresponding

publication was publicly available on or before that same date through any library with access to

the OCLC bibliographic database or through an individual library. Therefore, in view of

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Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036, Voswinckel JESC was publicly accessible by at least October 15,

2004, and in any event at least one year before the May 15, 2006, priority date, because by that

time it had been received, cataloged, and indexed at the University of Iowa Libraries and made

part of the OCLC bibliographic database. Attachment E2 to Exhibit 1036 indicates that the

European Heart Journal as cataloged at the Library of Congress is currently available from 282

libraries ("282 other holdings").

76. Wyman also argues that the MARC record for the European Heart Journal from

the University of Iowa Libraries is for the entire European Heart Journal and not specific to the

JESC Supplement nor to Voswinckel JESC. See Wyman Declaration at ¶35. However, as

explained supra ¶54, Wyman ignores my deposition (see Ex. 2043 at 104:2 – 113:18, 117:24 –

125:19) where I explain that field 525 of the MARC record for a journal accounts for the fact that

the journal has supplements and that fields 362 and 525 of the MARC record indicate whether a

library holds every supplement to the journal. Indeed, fields 362 and 525 of the MARC record for

the European Heart Journal from the University of Iowa Libraries show that the European Heart

Journal had an irregular supplement and that the libraries which subscribe to the journal held every

supplement, including the 2004 JESC Supplement, since February 1980. See Attachment E2 to

Exhibit 1036.

77. In view of the above, this issue of the European Heart Journal was publicly

available on October 15, 2004, and in any event, more than one year before the May 15, 2006,

priority date, because by that date it had been received, cataloged, and indexed at the Library of

Congress, made part of the OCLC bibliographic database, and received at the University of Iowa

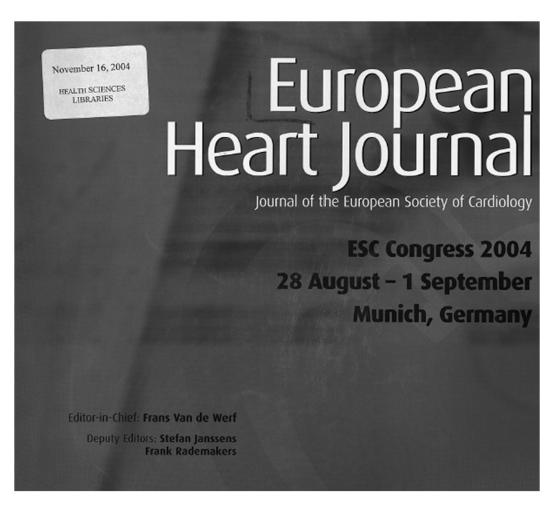
Libraries. For these reasons, it is my opinion that Voswinckel JESC was published and accessible

to the public on October 15, 2004.

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- 78. The above information is sufficient to establish that Voswinckel JESC was publicly available well before May 15, 2006. Nevertheless, in the past month, I have also located three other date-stamped copies of Voswinckel JESC confirming the same.
- 79. Attached as Exhibit 1089 is a copy of the JESC Supplement containing Voswinckel JESC from the University of Washington Health Sciences Libraries, date stamped November 16, 2004.



Ex. 1089 at 1.

80. The University of Washington Health Sciences Libraries do not make their MARC records visible to the public. I obtained a detailed record for the *European Heart Journal* from the University of Washington Health Sciences Libraries, attached as Exhibit 1127, which I believe is

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based on the publication's MARC record.¹⁷ The record shows that the European Heart Journal

has irregularly issued supplements and that the University of Washington Health Sciences Library

holds every supplement, including the JESC Supplement, since 1980. See Ex. 1127. The record

also indicates a MeSH Subject of "Cardiology". Thus, as of its cataloging, the publication

corresponding to Exhibit 1127 was indexed according to its subject matter by virtue of its MeSH

Subject.

81. Attached as Exhibit 1090 is a copy of the JESC Supplement containing Voswinckel

JESC from the Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison,

date stamped October 15, 2004. It was provided in a separate Inter Partes Review, IPR2017-

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primo.hosted.exlibrisgroup.com/permalink/f/kjtuig/CP71118869740001451 (last accessed Dec. 8

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Ex. 1090 at 1-2.

82. I obtained the MARC record for the *European Heart Journal* from the Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison, attached as Exhibit

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1128. Field 362 of the MARC record shows that the Ebling Library holds every issue of the

European Heart Journal since 1980. See Ex. 1128. The MARC record includes an entry in field

050 ("RC681.A1\$bE87C")—as described above, this includes a subject matter classification

number consistent with the Library of Congress classification system (analogous to the Dewey

Decimal classification system). See id. The MARC record further includes English language

descriptor terms reading "Cardiology\$zEurope\$vPeriodicals" and "Cardiology" among others, in

the 650 field. Id. Thus, as of its cataloging, the publication corresponding to the MARC record

attached hereto as Exhibit 1126 was indexed according to its subject matter by virtue of at least

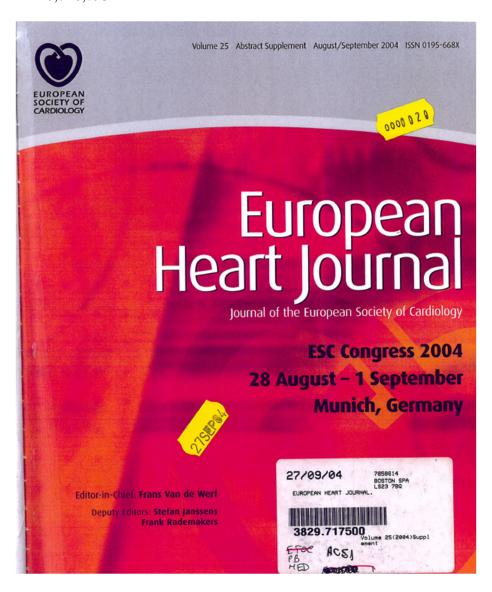
two independently sufficient classifications: the field 050 entry and the field 650 entries.

83. Attached as Exhibit 1091 is a copy of the JESC Supplement containing Voswinckel

JESC from the British Library, date stamped September 27, 2004.

¹⁸ Available at https://search.library.wisc.edu/catalog/9911025127902121 (last accessed Dec. 8, 2021).

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Ex. 1091 at 1. "Boston SPA" is a reading room that provides access to material that is part of the "British Library" in Europe, which is equivalent to the Library of Congress in the United States.¹⁹

¹⁹ The Library of Congress and its sister institutions in the Washington, DC area, the National Library of Medicine and the National Agricultural Library, serve as cornerstone libraries with the largest collections of resources in the United States. Each country has a large library and archives institution that serves a parallel role for its citizens. In the United Kingdom, the British Library (BL) is the pre-eminent institution. In addition to its role as an organizational leader for the libraries throughout the country, the British Library provides access to its collections for users around the world seeking research, inspiration, and enjoyment through the Document Supply Centre (DSC) and its physical Boston Spa location. https://www.york.ac.uk/library/other-libraries/british-library/.

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84. I obtained the MARC record for the *European Heart Journal* from the University

of California Davis Health Sciences Library, attached as Exhibit 1129.20 Fields 362 and 525 of

the MARC record show that the European Heart Journal has irregularly issued supplements and

that the British Library holds every supplement, including the JESC Supplement, since February

1980. See Ex. 1129. The MARC record includes an entry in Field 050 ("RC681.A1")—as

described above, this includes a subject matter classification number consistent with the Library

of Congress classification system (analogous to the Dewey Decimal classification system). See

id. The MARC record further includes English language descriptor terms reading "Cardiology |v

Periodicals" and "Heart |x Diseases |x Periodicals," among others, in the 650 field. Id. Thus, as

of its cataloging, the publication corresponding to the MARC record attached hereto as Exhibit

1129 was indexed according to its subject matter by virtue of at least two independently sufficient

classifications: the field 05000 entry and the field 650 entries.

85. I also obtained a research librarian's declaration of public availability from The

British Library, attached as Exhibit 1119. The declaration states that "[Voswinckel JESC] was

receipted by The British Library on 27th September 2004, and it would have been available for

public use from that date. A scan of the cover pages showing the date stamp on page one (referring

to Exhibit 1091) indicating the date of availability, title page and contents pages have been

attached." Ex. 1119 at 1. Thus, it is my opinion that the declaration confirms that Voswinckel

JESC and the JESC Supplement were publicly available at the British Library from September 27,

2004.

²⁰ Available at

 $\underline{http://primocat.bl.uk/F/?func=direct\&local_base=PRIMO\&doc_number=007858614\&format=00}$

1&con lng=eng (last accessed Dec. 8, 2021).

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86. In sum, three date-stamped exhibits confirm that the Abstract Supplement to Volume 25 of the *European Heart Journal* dated August/September, 2004, was received and publicly available within two months, i.e., by November 16, 2004.

Exhibit No.	Location	Date Stamped
1089	University of Washington Health Sciences Libraries	November 16, 2004
1090	Ebling Library for the Health Sciences at the University of Wisconsin – Madison	October 15, 2004
1091	British Library, Boston SPA	September 27, 2004

87. The Wyman Declaration also argues that Voswinckel JESC was not publicly accessible before May 15, 2006, because neither the Supplement nor the abstracts within it were meaningfully indexed. See Wyman Declaration at ¶¶34-37. However, the Wyman Declaration does not even present any search results for Voswinckel JESC on any database, nor does it disclose any search terms, to support its argument. Indeed, the Wyman Declaration states in ¶38 that based on Wyman's "own research," Voswinckel JESC was not meaningfully indexed, but neglects to describe any such "research" she conducted with respect to Voswinckel JESC. As discussed *supra* ¶23, I am informed by counsel that a person of ordinary skill in the art would have experience treating patients with pulmonary hypertension. Thus, it is my opinion that a person of ordinary skill in the art would be motivated to search for publications using the keywords "pulmonary hypertension" and "treprostinil." Using such keywords, the JESC Supplement can be easily found on the Web of Science. I conducted a Web of Science query using the keywords "pulmonary hypertension" AND "treprostinil" for publications between 2001 and 2006 and found 55 results with the JESC Supplement being the 34th result. My search results on Web of Science are attached as Exhibit 1120. Thus, it is my opinion that because the JESC Supplement could be found by a person of ordinary skill in the art with reasonable diligence on well-known databases prior to May 15, 2006, the JESC Supplement qualifies as a publicly accessible printed publication.

88. Furthermore, the JESC Supplement and Voswinckel JESC were published by the publisher Elsevier which, in my opinion, is an established publisher. The cover page and front matter of the JESC Supplement displays an ISSN number, publication date, and identification of the publisher.

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Ex. 1089 at 1, 4. Thus, it is my opinion that there is a presumption that the JESC Supplement and Voswinckel JESC were publicly accessible as of their publication date on September 1, 2004, because they were published by an established publisher.

89. Even if Voswinckel JESC were not meaningfully indexed, I am informed by counsel, as discussed *supra* ¶19, that it may still qualify as publicly accessible if cited by a "research aid," a publicly available publication that can reasonably lead a person interested in the relevant subject matter to the non-cataloged and non-indexed printed publication. Voswinckel JESC was cited by a June 2005 article, Hossein A. Ghofrani et al., *Neue Therapieoptionen in der Behandlung der pulmonalarteriellen Hypertonie*, 30(4) HERZ 296-302 (June 2005) ("Ghofrani 2005"). A copy of Ghofrani 2005, date-stamped July 7, 2005, from the British Library is attached as Exhibit 1121. Because the English abstract of Ghofrani 2005 discusses inhaled treprostinil as a promising new therapy in treating pulmonary arterial hypertension, a person of ordinary skill in

the art interested in the subject matter would be motivated to seek out Ghofrani 2005 and its cited

articles. Ms. Wyman acknowledged during her deposition that a POSA as defined in Paragraph 3

of her declaration would be interested in Ghofrani 2005. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 162:11-

163:14. As discussed *supra* ¶23, I am informed by counsel that a person of ordinary skill in the

art would have experience treating patients with pulmonary hypertension and would be interested

in searching for new therapies. Thus, it is my opinion that a person of ordinary skill in the art

would be motivated to search for publications using the keywords "pulmonary arterial

hypertension" and "therapies." Using such keywords, Ghofrani 2005 can be easily found on

PubMed and WorldCat. I conducted a WorldCat query using the keywords "pulmonary arterial"

hypertension" AND "therapies" for any content between 1971 and 2006 and found 204 results

with Ghofrani 2005 being the 34th result. I also conducted a PubMed query using the same

keywords between 1999 and 2006 and found 103 results with Ghofrani 2005 being the 11th result.

My search results for Ghofrani 2005 on PubMed and WorldCat are attached as Exhibit 1122. Thus,

it is my opinion that even if Voswinckel JESC were not meaningfully indexed, it would still qualify

as a publicly accessible printed publication because Ghofrani 2005, an indexed and easy-to-find

article, could serve as a "research aid" and direct persons of ordinary skill in the art to Voswinckel

JESC. Moreover, the fact that Ghofrani 2005 cites Voswinckel JESC further establishes that this

reference can be and was found by persons of ordinary skill in the art prior to May 15, 2006.

90. The Wyman Declaration also makes the unsupported assertion that the table of

contents in the JESC Supplement "lacks a meaningful topic index." Wyman Declaration at ¶36.

The Wyman Declaration does not provide any explanation as to why the JESC Supplement table

of contents, which provides a detailed list of topics and only spans 5 pages, would not be sufficient

to guide a person of ordinary skill to Voswinckel JESC. And, as discussed above, within this table

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of contents there is a specific section titled "Epidemiology and treatment of pulmonary arterial

hypertension." See Ex. 1089 at 5; Ex. 1091 at 2. In my opinion, "treatment of pulmonary

hypertension" within the short table of contents provides a more-than-meaningful index. During

her deposition, Ms. Wyman agreed that the topic "Treatment of Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension"

is only 12 lines down on the first page of the table of contents, that a POSA as she defines it would

be interested in treatments for PAH, and that Voswinckel JESC is only the fourth abstract listed

under that topic. Ex. 1110 (Wyman Dep. Tr.) at 160:19-161:7. Thus, it is my opinion, that a

person of ordinary skill in the art interested in the subject matter would have looked for and found

the Voswinckel JESC abstract under the subject "Epidemiology and treatment of pulmonary

arterial hypertension" in the JESC Supplement table of contents with ordinary diligence.

91. Finally, the Wyman Declaration mischaracterizes my deposition. See Wyman

Declaration at ¶37. I was not able to locate the Voswinckel JESC abstract because I was not able

to access Ovid, PubMed, or CAPlus due to the COVID-19 pandemic shutting down medical

libraries across the country. See Ex. 2043 at 197:7 – 198:17, 241:12-243:21. It appears that

Wyman did not carefully review my deposition transcript.

92. Even if Voswinckel JESC were not meaningfully indexed, I am informed by

counsel, as discussed *supra* ¶20, that a printed publication that has never been cataloged or indexed

in any library or database can nevertheless be found publicly accessible if it is publicly presented

to an audience at an academic conference. Voswinckel JESC was presented at the 2004 European

Society of Cardiology Congress held on August 28-September 1, 2004, in Munich, Germany.

More specifically, Voswinckel JESC was presented on Day 2 of the conference, Sunday August

29, 2004. For example:

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	Day 2 — Sunday 29 August 2004	
117-122	Trends and risk factors in cardiovascular disease.	3
123-128	Risk factors management in prevention	4
129-134	Predictive factors in dilated cardiomyopathy	6
135-140	New applications of strain and strain rate imaging	7
149-154	From mice to men: lessons in myocardial protection and hypertrophy.	9
155-160	Impact of non surgical treatment and physiological stress on the GUCH-heart	10
161-166	Vascular growth and collateral vessels: opportunities and drawbacks	12
176-181	Drug eluting stent in complex lesion subsets	13
182-187	Gene variants in hypertension, coronary artery disease and dilated cardiomyopathy	15
188-193	Markers of severity in hypertrophic cardiomyopathy	16
199-204	How to perfect coronary artery bypass grafting?	18
209-214	Intravascular ultrasound and plaque characterisation	19
215-220	Epidemiology and treatment of pulmonary arterial hypertension	21

Ex. 1089 at 5; Ex. 1091 at 2. Other experts retained by Liquidia agree that the European Society of Cardiology Congress was well-attended by persons of ordinary skill in the art and that they would have sought out abstracts specific to pulmonary arterial hypertension. Dr. Hill opines that "[1]ike the AHA Scientific Sessions Conference, the ESC Conference is a leading meeting on the cardiovascular system and diseases and conditions of the circulatory system, which a POSA in 2004 would have attended. . . . In my experience, a POSA would have been highly interested in treatments for pulmonary hypertension, including pulmonary arterial hypertension, and thus would have been interested in abstracts and presentations included in this session. . . . Accordingly, a POSA would have been interested in the abstracts listed and identified Voswinckel JESC within the EHJ Supplement and abstract book." Ex. 1106, Reply Declaration of Dr. Hill, at ¶128-29. Thus, it is my opinion that even if Voswinckel JESC were not meaningfully indexed, it would still qualify as a publicly accessible printed publication because it was publicly presented at an academic conference well attended by persons of ordinary skill in the art.

93. In conclusion, contrary to the Wyman Declaration's assertion, Voswinckel JESC was publicly available well before the priority date of May 15, 2006. By then, it had been received in multiple libraries worldwide, cataloged and indexed, cited by another publication that can serve as a "research aid," and presented at a well-attended academic conference.

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94. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by find or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001.

Executed on February 10, 2022.

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