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TITLE OF INVENTION: OPHTHALMIC COMPOSITION

APPLN. TYPE	ENTITY STATUS	ISSUE FEE DUE	PUBLICATION FEE DUE	PREV. PAID ISSUE FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
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(Applications filed on or after May 29, 2000)

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- 9. A record from this system of records may be disclosed, as a routine use, to a Federal, State, or local law enforcement agency, if the USPTO becomes aware of a violation or potential violation of law or regulation.

	Application No. 14/726,139	Applicant(s) OSTROW ET AL.					
Notice of Allowability	Examiner ZOHREH FAY	Art Unit 1621	AIA (First Inventor to File) Status Yes				
The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS. This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.							
 This communication is responsive to <u>the amendments and remarks filed on 4/5/2016</u>. A declaration(s)/affidavit(s) under 37 CFR 1.130(b) was/were filed on 							
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Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application. THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE .							
5. CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must	be submitted.						
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Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).							
6. DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.							
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EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Xiaofan Yang on May 25, 2016.

In the claims:

In claim 1, line 2, "0.05" has been changed to "0.03".

In claim 9, line 2, "from about 0.001" has been cancelled.

In claim 9, line 3, "wt% to about 0.01wt%, from about 0.001wt% to about

0.03wt%," has been canceled.

In claim 24, line 2, "0.05" has been changed to "0.03".

In claim 28, line 1, "or preventing" has been cancelled.

In claim 28, line 1, "development" has been cancelled.

In claim 28, line 2 "progression" has been added before ", comprising".

In claim 28, line 4, "0.05" has been changed to "0.03".

In claim 28, line 5, "." after "7.9" has been cancelled.

In claim 28, line 5, ", wherein the muscarinic antagonist is atropine, or atropine sulfate" has been added after "7.9".

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance: the

amendments set forth in the examiner's amendment and the data presented to the

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advantages of the combination of atropine and deuterated water in comparison to the combination of atropine and water has placed the application in condition for allowance.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

The application has been amended as follows: Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to ZOHREH FAY whose telephone number is (571)272-0573. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday to Friday 9:30-6:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Melenie McCormick can be reached on (571) 272-8037. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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ZF /ZOHREH FAY/ Primary Examiner, Art Unit 1621