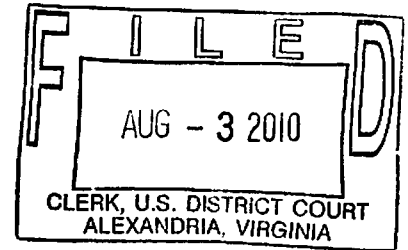


IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA

Alexandria Division



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THE MEDICINES COMPANY,)
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Plaintiff,)
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v.)
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DAVID KAPPOS, et al.,)
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Defendants.)
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Civil Action No. 01:10-cv-286

ORDER

For the reasons stated in the accompanying Memorandum Opinion, it is hereby

ORDERED that Plaintiff's Motion for Summary Judgment is GRANTED and this case is remanded to the United States Patent and Trademark Office to consider the Medicine Company's patent term extension application timely filed and to adopt an interpretation of § 156(d)(1) that includes a next business day construction for filing of a patent term extension application.

/s/
Claude M. Hilton
United States District Judge

Alexandria, Virginia
August 3, 2010