RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE REQUESTED
EXAMINING GROUP 1647
PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 08702.0100-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: WOLFMAN, et al.
Application No.: 10/071,499
Filed: February 8, 2002
For: MODIFIED AND STABILIZED GDF PROPEPTIDES AND USES THEREOF

Group Art Unit: 1647
Examiner: WOODWARD, Cherie Michelle
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By: J. Amelia Feulner

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed please find the following documents:

☒ Supplemental reply to the Final Office Action of May 10, 2006 (8 pages), including attachment (6 pages); and
☒ Petition for One Month Extension of Time (1 page);

The items checked below are appropriate:

☒ Applicants hereby petition for a 1 month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. Please charge the fee of $120.00 for the Extension to deposit account No. 06-0916.
The claims are calculated below:

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The Commissioner is authorized to charge $120.00 to cover the following fees to deposit account No. 06-0916:

- A fee of $0.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply
- A fee of $120.00 to cover the Petition for 1 month extension of time

TOTAL FEES

$120.00

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: September 11, 2006

By: [Signature]

J. Amelia Feulner
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