IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

STATE OF NEVADA; NEVADA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS; JAMES DZURENDA, Director of the Nevada Department of Corrections, in his official capacity; IHSAN AZZAM, Ph.D, M.D., Chief Medical Officer of the State of Nevada, in his official capacity; and JOHN DOE, Attending Physician at Planned Execution of Scott Raymond Dozier in his official capacity,

Petitioners,

vs.

THE EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CLARK; AND THE HONORABLE ELIZABETH GONZALEZ, DISTRICT COURT JUDGE,

Respondents,

and

ALVOGEN, INC., AND HIKMA PHARMACEUTICALS USA, INC.,

Real Party in Interest.

Supreme Court Case No.: 76485

District Court Case No. A-118,7777312-B Aug 27 2018 09:09 a.m. Elizabeth A. Brown Clerk of Supreme Court

RESPONSE TO AMICUS CURIAE CLARK COUNTY DISTRICT ATTORNEY'S MOTION TO PARTICIPATE IN ORAL ARGUMENT

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Petitioners take no position on the Clark County District Attorney's request to participate in oral argument, if it will assist the Court. However, Petitioners request that the Court enlarge each side's time by the amount allotted to the District Attorney.

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