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VIA HAND DELIVERY & ELECTRONIC CASE FILING SYSTEM

The Honorable William G. Young District Judge for the District of Massachusetts John Joseph Moakley U.S. Courthouse 1 Courthouse Way Boston, MA 02210

Re: Amgen Inc. v. F. Hoffman-Roche, Ltd., et al.

Civil Action No: 05-12237-WGY

Dear Judge Young:

Last week, the Court advised the parties that it could not hold any further pre-trial conferences immediately prior to the 9:00 AM start of trial, nor would it take up trial matters at that time. Rather, the Court directed the parties to raise all such matters during the afternoon, outside the presence of the jury, when both parties could be heard: 9/6/07 Trial Tr. P. 216:10-16.

For the past two days, Roche has ignored the Court's direction, and instead submitted letter briefs to the Court at 7:30 a.m. each morning asking the Court to rule on various issues presented in its letter prior to 9:00 AM and without any opportunity for Amgen to respond or be heard on the issues.

Amgen objects. Roche's practice not only violates the Court's direct order, but entertainment of this practice by the Court will only invite further abuse, as this morning's letter demonstrates.

Respectfully submitted,

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