

**EXHIBIT A**

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

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AMGEN INC.,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	Civil Action No. 05-CV-12237WGY
v.	)	
	)	
F. HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE LTD,	)	
ROCHE DIAGNOSTICS GmbH, and	)	
HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE INC.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
_____	)	

**DECLARATION OF GEORGE W. JOHNSTON IN SUPPORT OF  
*PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION FOR DEFENDANT**

I, George W. Johnston, declare that the following is true and correct, under penalty of perjury, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746:

1. I am in-house counsel for Hoffmann-La Roche Inc. and member in good standing of the Bars of the States of New York and New Jersey. I am in good standing in every jurisdiction in which I have been admitted to practice.

2. There are no disciplinary proceedings pending against me in any court or jurisdiction.

3. I am familiar with the Local Rules for the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts.

Dated: January 8, 2007

/s/ George W. Johnston  
George W. Johnston

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that this document filed through the ECF system will be sent electronically to the registered participants as identified on the Notice of Electronic Filing (NEF) and paper copies will be sent to those indicated as non registered participants on January 9, 2007.

/s/ Keith E. Toms

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