

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

MAX-PLANCK-GESELLSCHAFT ZUR)
FÖRDERUNG DER WISSENSCHAFTEN E.V.,)
MAX-PLANCK-INNOVATION GMBH,)
and ALNYLAM PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.,)

Plaintiffs,)

v.)

WHITEHEAD INSTITUTE FOR BIOMEDICAL)
RESEARCH and BOARD OF TRUSTEES)
OF THE UNIVERSITY OF MASSACHUSETTS,)

Defendants.)

CIVIL ACTION
NO. 09-11116-PBS

**ORDER ON ALNYLAM’S MOTION
TO COMPEL RETURN OF ATTORNEY INVOICES**

This matter is before the court on “Alnylam’s Motion to Compel Return of Unredacted Attorney Invoices Improperly Retained by Defendants” (Docket No. 409).

After consideration of the parties’ submissions and their oral arguments, the court hereby ORDERS as follows:

1. Alnylam’s motion to compel is DENIED to the extent that it seeks the return or destruction of all unredacted attorney invoices that the plaintiff produced to the defendants. However, this court shall defer a final ruling on the motion in order to provide Alnylam with an opportunity, pursuant to the schedule set forth below, to establish that specific documents should be returned on the grounds that they are privileged.

