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The extend time to oppose is granted until **10/20/01** on behalf of potential opposer **Novartis AG**.

Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned for any questions relating to this extension.