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## FORM 10-Q

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For the quarterly period	l ended June 30, 2016
$\hfill\Box$ TRANSITION REPORT UNDER SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE S	ECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934
For the transition period from	to .
Commission File No	umber 001-31812
ANI PHARMACE (Exact name of registrant a	
Delaware (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation or organization)	58-2301143 (IRS Employer Identification Number)
210 Main St Baudette, M (Address of principal	linnesota
(218) 634 (Registrant's telephone num	
Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports requduring the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was refor the past 90 days. YES $\boxtimes$ NO $\square$	nired to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 equired to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements
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Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defin	ned in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). YES □ NO 区
As of July 28, 2016, there were 11,514,495 shares of common stock and 1	0,864 shares of class C special stock of the registrant outstanding.

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### CAUTIONARY STATEMENT CONCERNING FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q and certain information incorporated herein by reference contain forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act"), and Section 21E of the Exchange Act. Such statements include, but are not limited to, statements about future operations, products, financial position, operating results, prospects, pipeline or potential markets therefor, and other statements that are not historical in nature, particularly those that utilize terminology such as "anticipates," "will," "expects," "potential," "future," "believes," "intends," "continue," other words of similar meaning, derivations of such words, and the use of future dates.

Uncertainties and risks may cause our actual results to be materially different than those expressed in or implied by such forward-looking statements. Uncertainties and risks include, but are not limited to, the risk that we may face with respect to importing raw materials, increased competition, acquisitions, contract manufacturing arrangements, delays or failure in obtaining product approvals from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration ("FDA"), general business and economic conditions, market trends, product development, regulatory, and other approvals and marketing.

These factors should not be construed as exhaustive and should be read in conjunction with our other disclosures, including but not limited to our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015, including the factors described in "Item 1A. Risk Factors." Other risks may be described from time to time in our filings made under the securities laws, including our quarterly reports on Form 10-Q and our current reports on Form 8-K. New risks emerge from time to time. It is not possible for our management to predict all risks. The forward-looking statements contained in this document are made only as of the date of this document. We undertake no obligation to update or revise any forward-looking statement, whether as a result of new information, future events, or otherwise.

### NOTE REGARDING TRADEMARKS

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## ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

### **Condensed Consolidated Balance Sheets**

(in thousands, except share and per share amounts) (unaudited)

		une 30, 2016	Dec	eember 31, 2015
Assets				
Current Assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	15,014	\$	154,684
Accounts receivable, net of \$23,406 and \$13,586 of adjustments for chargebacks and other allowances at June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015, respectively				
		35,562		21,932
Inventories, net Prepaid income taxes		25,052 150		13,387
Prepaid expenses and other current assets				1,127
Total Current Assets		4,046		1,453
Total Current Assets		79,824		192,583
Property and equipment, net		8,911		7,131
Restricted cash		5,001		-
Deferred tax asset, net of valuation allowance		17,751		17,316
Intangible assets, net		194,674		66,397
Goodwill	_	1,838		1,838
Total Assets	\$	307,999	\$	285,265
Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity				
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Current Liabilities				
Accounts payable	\$	4,961	\$	2,066
Accrued expenses and other		770		617
Accrued royalties		8,110		606
Accrued compensation and related expenses		1,071		1,188
Accrued Medicaid rebates		6,509		4,631
Returned goods reserve		3,309		2,648
Total Current Liabilities		24,730		11,756
Long-term Liabilities				
Long-term royalties		2,500		-
Convertible notes, net of discount and deferred financing costs		116,993		113,427
Total Liabilities	\$	144,223	\$	125,183
Commitments and Contingencies (Note 11)				
Stockholders' Equity  Common Stock \$0,0001 per valve 22,222,224 shares outborized: 11,512,802 shares issued and outstanding at Lynn				
Common Stock, \$0.0001 par value, 33,333,334 shares authorized; 11,513,802 shares issued and outstanding at June		1		1
30, 2016; 11,498,228 shares issued and outstanding at December 31, 2015 Class C Special Stock, \$0.0001 par value, 781,281 shares authorized; 10,864 shares issued and outstanding at June 30,		1		1
2016 and December 31, 2015, respectively		_		_
Preferred Stock, \$0.0001 par value, 1,666,667 shares authorized; 0 shares issued and outstanding at June 30, 2016 and				
December 31, 2015, respectively		160.154		164 401
Additional paid-in capital Accumulated deficit		168,154		164,431
		(4,379)		(4,350)
Total Stockholders' Equity		163,776		160,082
Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity		307,999	\$	285,265

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

## ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

## **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Earnings**

(in thousands, except per share amounts) (unaudited)

	T	Ended .	Six Months Ended June 30,					
		2016		2015		2016		2015
Net Revenues	\$	31,337	\$	19,516	\$	51,892	\$	38,315
Operating Expenses:								
Cost of sales (excluding depreciation and amortization)		11,795		3,141		15,205		5,892
Research and development		764		995		1,730		1,398
Selling, general, and administrative		7,628		5,551		13,532		10,302
Depreciation and amortization		5,956		1,415		10,565		2,742
Total Operating Expenses		26,143		11,102		41,032		20,334
Operating Income		5,194		8,414		10,860		17,981
Other Expense, net								
Interest expense, net		(2,830)		(2,749)		(5,612)		(5,474)
Other (expense)/income, net		(12)		<u>-</u>		(10)		68
Income Before Provision for Income Taxes		2,352		5,665		5,238		12,575
Provision for income taxes		(1,227)		(2,094)		(2,767)		(4,635)
Net Income	\$	1,125	\$	3,571	\$	2,471	\$	7,940
Basic and Diluted Earnings Per Share:								
Basic Earnings Per Share	\$	0.10	\$	0.31	\$	0.22	\$	0.70
Diluted Earnings Per Share	\$	0.10	\$	0.31	\$	0.21	\$	0.68
Basic Weighted-Average Shares Outstanding		11,402		11,344		11,398		11,335
Diluted Weighted-Average Shares Outstanding		11,541		11,549		11,514		11,556

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

## ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC. AND SUBSIDIARIES

### **Condensed Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

(in thousands) (unaudited)

		Six Months En	nded .	June 30, 2015
Cash Flows From Operating Activities				
Net income	\$	2,471	\$	7,940
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash and cash equivalents provided by operating activities:		,		,
Stock-based compensation		3,322		1,597
Deferred taxes		(435)		413
Depreciation and amortization		10,565		2,742
Non-cash interest relating to convertible notes and loan cost amortization		3,482		3,388
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:		-		
Accounts receivable, net		(13,630)		(1,583)
Inventories, net		(807)		(5,183)
Prepaid expenses and other current assets		(1,992)		368
Accounts payable		2,850		(1,379)
Accrued royalties		2,423		(220)
Accrued compensation and related expenses		(117)		(504)
Current income taxes, net		977		(5,275)
Accrued Medicaid rebates		1,878		(373)
Accrued expenses, returned goods reserve, and other		3,319		395
Net Cash and Cash Equivalents Provided by Operating Activities		14,306		2,326
Cash Flows From Investing Activities				
Changes in restricted cash		(5,001)		-
Acquisition of product rights and other related assets		(144,494)		(4,500)
Acquisition of property and equipment		(2,088)		(310)
Net Cash and Cash Equivalents Used in Investing Activities		(151,583)		(4,810)
Cash Flows From Financing Activities				
Payment of debt issuance costs		(294)		
Proceeds from stock option exercises		504		244
Excess tax benefit from share-based compensation awards		19		47
Repurchase of common stock under the stock repurchase program		(2,500)		-
Treasury stock purchases for restricted stock vestings and forfeitures		(122)		(113)
Net Cash and Cash Equivalents (Used in)/Provided by Financing Activities		(2,393)		178
Change in Cash and Cash Equivalents		(139,670)		(2,306)
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		154,684		169,037
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	15,014	\$	166,731
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Supplemental disclosure for cash flow information:				
Cash paid for interest	\$	2,156	\$	2,048
Cash paid for income taxes, net	\$	2,206	\$	9,450
Supplemental non-cash investing and financing activities:				
Accrued royalties related to asset purchase	\$	3,882	\$	-
Property and equipment purchased and included in accounts payable	\$	45	\$	50
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The accompanying notes are an integral part of these condensed consolidated financial statements.

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### 1. BUSINESS, PRESENTATION, AND RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

### Overview

ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. and its consolidated subsidiaries (together, "ANI," the "Company," "we," "us," or "our") is an integrated specialty pharmaceutical company developing, manufacturing, and marketing branded and generic prescription pharmaceuticals. Our targeted areas of product development currently include controlled substances, anti-cancer (oncolytics), hormones and steroids, and complex formulations involving extended release and combination products. We have two pharmaceutical manufacturing facilities located in Baudette, Minnesota that are capable of producing oral solid dose products, as well as liquids and topicals, controlled substances, and potent products that must be manufactured in a fully-contained environment. Our strategy is to use our assets to develop, acquire, manufacture, and market branded and generic specialty prescription pharmaceuticals. By executing this strategy, we believe we will be able to continue to grow the business, expand and diversify our product portfolio, and create long-term value for our investors.

### **Basis of Presentation**

The accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"). In our opinion, the accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements include all adjustments, consisting of normal recurring adjustments, which are necessary to present fairly our financial position, results of operations, and cash flows. The consolidated balance sheet at December 31, 2015, has been derived from audited financial statements of that date. The unaudited interim condensed consolidated results of operations are not necessarily indicative of the results that may occur for the full fiscal year. Certain information and footnote disclosure normally included in financial statements prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP have been omitted pursuant to instructions, rules, and regulations prescribed by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission. We believe that the disclosures provided herein are adequate to make the information presented not misleading when these unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements are read in conjunction with the audited financial statements and notes previously distributed in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015. Certain prior period information has been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

### **Principles of Consolidation**

The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements include the accounts of ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. and its subsidiaries. All inter-company accounts and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

## **Foreign Currency**

The company has subsidiaries located outside of the U.S. All existing subsidiaries currently conduct substantially all their transactions in U.S. dollars, or are otherwise dependent upon the U.S. parent for funding. Accordingly, these subsidiaries use the U.S. dollar as their functional currency. Unless otherwise noted, all references to "\$" or "dollar" refer to the U.S. dollar.

Foreign currency transaction gains and losses are included in the determination of net income.

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### 1. BUSINESS, PRESENTATION, AND RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS - continued

### **Use of Estimates**

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires us to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. In the accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements, estimates are used for, but not limited to, stock-based compensation, allowance for doubtful accounts, accruals for chargebacks, administrative fees and rebates, Medicaid rebates, returns and other allowances, allowance for inventory obsolescence, valuation of financial instruments and intangible assets, accruals for contingent liabilities, fair value of long-lived assets, deferred taxes and valuation allowance, purchase price allocations, and the depreciable lives of long-lived assets. Because of the uncertainties inherent in such estimates, actual results may differ from those estimates. Management periodically evaluates estimates used in the preparation of the financial statements for reasonableness.

### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In March 2016, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued guidance simplifying the accounting for and financial statement disclosure of stock-based compensation awards. Under the guidance, all excess tax benefits and tax deficiencies related to stock-based compensation awards are to be recognized as income tax expenses or benefits in the income statement and excess tax benefits should be classified along with other income tax cash flows in the operating activities section of the statement of cash flows. Under the guidance, companies can also elect to either estimate the number of awards that are expected to vest or account for forfeitures as they occur. In addition, the guidance amends some of the other stock-based compensation awards guidance to more clearly articulate the requirements and cash flow presentation for withholding shares for tax-withholding purposes. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016 and early adoption is permitted, though all amendments of the guidance must be adopted in the same period. The adoption of certain amendments of the guidance must be applied prospectively, and adoption of the remaining amendments must be applied either on a modified retrospective basis or retrospectively to all periods presented. We are currently evaluating the impact that this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

In March 2016, the FASB issued guidance to clarify the requirements for assessing whether contingent call or put options that can accelerate the payment of principal on debt instruments are clearly and closely related to their debt hosts. The amendments of this guidance are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016, and early adoption is permitted. Entities are required to apply the guidance to existing debt instruments using a modified retrospective transition method as of the beginning of the fiscal year of adoption. We adopted this guidance in the first quarter of 2016, effective as of January 1, 2016, on a modified retrospective basis. The adoption of this new guidance did not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

In February 2016, the FASB issued guidance for accounting for leases. The guidance requires lessees to recognize assets and liabilities related to long-term leases on the balance sheet and expands disclosure requirements regarding leasing arrangements. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2018 and early adoption is permitted. The guidance must be adopted on a modified retrospective basis and provides for certain practical expedients. We are currently evaluating the impact that this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

In November 2015, the FASB issued guidance simplifying the balance sheet classification of deferred taxes. The new guidance requires that all deferred taxes be presented as noncurrent, rather than separated into current and noncurrent amounts. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016 and early adoption is permitted. In addition, the adoption of guidance can be applied either prospectively or retrospectively to all periods presented. We adopted this guidance for the year ended December 31, 2015 on a retrospective basis, and all periods are presented under this guidance.

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### 1. BUSINESS, PRESENTATION, AND RECENT ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS - continued

In July 2015, the FASB issued guidance for inventory. Under the guidance, an entity should measure inventory within the scope of this guidance at the lower of cost and net realizable value, except when inventory is measured using the last in first out ("LIFO") method or the retail inventory method. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less reasonably predictable costs of completion, disposal, and transportation. In addition, the FASB has amended some of the other inventory guidance to more clearly articulate the requirements for the measurement and disclosure of inventory. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016. The guidance should be applied prospectively, with earlier application permitted. We adopted this guidance in the first quarter of 2016, effective as of January 1, 2016, on a prospective basis. The adoption of this new guidance did not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

In April 2015, the FASB issued guidance as to whether a cloud computing arrangement (e.g., software as a service, platform as a service, infrastructure as a service, and other similar hosting arrangements) includes a software license and, based on that determination, how to account for such arrangements. If a cloud computing arrangement includes a software license, then the customer should account for the software license element of the arrangement consistent with the acquisition of other software licenses. If a cloud computing arrangement does not include a software license, the customer should account for the arrangement as a service contract. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015, and can be adopted on either a prospective or retrospective basis. We adopted this guidance in the first quarter of 2016, effective as of January 1, 2016, on a prospective basis. The adoption of this new guidance did not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

In April 2015, the FASB issued guidance to simplify the balance sheet disclosure for debt issuance costs. Under the guidance, debt issuance costs related to a recognized debt liability are presented in the balance sheet as a direct deduction from the carrying amount of that debt liability, in the same manner as debt discounts, rather than as an asset. In August 2015, the FASB issued guidance clarifying debt issuance costs related to line-of-credit arrangements, which guidance states that the SEC does not object to an entity deferring and presenting debt issuance costs as an asset and subsequently amortizing the deferred debt issuance costs ratably over the term of the line-of-credit arrangement, regardless of whether there are any outstanding borrowings on the line-of-credit. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015 and must be adopted on a retrospective basis. Early adoption is permitted. We adopted this guidance for the year ended December 31, 2015 on a retrospective basis, and all periods are presented under this guidance.

In May 2014, the FASB issued guidance for revenue recognition for contracts, superseding the previous revenue recognition requirements, along with most existing industry-specific guidance. The guidance requires an entity to review contracts in five steps: 1) identify the contract, 2) identify performance obligations, 3) determine the transaction price, 4) allocate the transaction price, and 5) recognize revenue. The new standard will result in enhanced disclosures regarding the nature, amount, timing, and uncertainty of revenue arising from contracts with customers. In August 2015, the FASB issued guidance approving a one-year deferral, making the standard effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2017, with early adoption permitted only for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016. In March 2016, the FASB issued guidance to clarify the implementation guidance on principal versus agent considerations for reporting revenue gross rather than net, with the same deferred effective date. In April 2016, the FASB issued guidance to clarify the implementation guidance on identifying performance obligations and the accounting for licenses of intellectual property, with the same deferred effective date. In May 2016, the FASB issued guidance rescinding SEC paragraphs related to revenue recognition, pursuant to two SEC Staff Announcements at the March 3, 2016 Emerging Issues Task Force meeting. In May 2016, the FASB also issued guidance to clarify the implementation guidance on assessing collectability, presentation of sales tax, noncash consideration, and contracts and contract modifications at transition, with the same effective date. We are currently evaluating the impact, if any, that this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

We have evaluated all other issued and unadopted Accounting Standards Updates and believe the adoption of these standards will not have a material impact on our condensed consolidated statements of earnings, balance sheets, or cash flows.

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### 2. REVENUE RECOGNITION AND RELATED ALLOWANCES

### **Revenue Recognition**

Revenue is recognized for product sales and contract manufacturing product sales upon passing of risk and title to the customer, when estimates of the selling price and discounts, rebates, promotional adjustments, price adjustments, returns, chargebacks, and other potential adjustments are reasonably determinable, collection is reasonably assured, and we have no further performance obligations. Contract manufacturing arrangements are typically less than two weeks in duration, and therefore the revenue is recognized upon completion of the aforementioned factors rather than using a proportional performance method of revenue recognition. The estimates for discounts, rebates, promotional adjustments, price adjustments, returns, chargebacks, and other potential adjustments reduce gross revenues to net revenues in the accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated statements of earnings, and are presented as current liabilities or reductions in accounts receivable in the accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated balance sheets (see "Accruals for Chargebacks, Rebates, Returns, and Other Allowances"). Historically, we have not entered into revenue arrangements with multiple elements.

Occasionally, we engage in contract services, which include product development services, laboratory services, and royalties on net sales of certain contract manufactured products. For these services, revenue is recognized according to the terms of the agreement with the customer, which sometimes include substantive, measurable risk-based milestones, and when we have a contractual right to receive such payment, the contract price is fixed or determinable, the collection of the resulting receivable is reasonably assured, and we have no further performance obligations under the agreement.

### Accruals for Chargebacks, Rebates, Returns, and Other Allowances

Our generic and branded product revenues are typically subject to agreements with customers allowing chargebacks, Medicaid rebates, product returns, administrative fees and other rebates, and prompt payment discounts. We accrue for these items at the time of sale and continually monitor and re-evaluate the accruals as additional information becomes available. We adjust the accruals at the end of each reporting period, to reflect any such updates to the relevant facts and circumstances. Accruals are relieved upon receipt of payment from the customer or upon issuance of credit to the customer.

The following table summarizes activity in the consolidated balance sheets for accruals and allowances for the six months ended June 30, 2015 and 2016, respectively:

(in thousands)	Accruals for Chargebacks, Rebates, Returns, and Other Allowances											
	<u> </u>	h awaah a alva		Medicaid Rebates		Returns		dministrative ees and Other Rebates		Prompt Payment Discounts		
Balance at December 31, 2014	<u> </u>	hargebacks	Φ.		ф		Ф		Φ			
Balance at December 31, 2014	<u> </u>	6,865	2	2,264	2	1,445	<b>3</b>	1,487	2	471		
Accruals/Adjustments		21,644		2,177		776		2,913		1,231		
Credits Taken Against Reserve		(22,588)		(2,550)		(502)		(2,960)		(1,217)		
Balance at June 30, 2015	\$	5,921	\$	1,891	\$	1,719	\$	1,440	\$	485		
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Balance at December 31, 2015	\$	11,381	\$	4,631	\$	2,648	\$	1,653	\$	674		
Accruals/Adjustments		43,349		5,773		3,256		5,071		2,180		
Credits Taken Against Reserve		(34,731)		(3,895)		(2,595)		(4,274)		(1,678)		
Balance at June 30, 2016	\$	19,999	\$	6,509	\$	3,309	\$	2,450	\$	1,176		

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### 2. REVENUE RECOGNITION AND RELATED ALLOWANCES - continued

### **Credit Concentration**

Our customers are primarily wholesale distributors, chain drug stores, group purchasing organizations, and pharmaceutical companies.

During the three months ended June 30, 2016, three customers represented 28%, 21%, and 18% of net revenues, respectively. During the six months ended June 30, 2016, these same three customers represented 25%, 24%, and 17% of net revenues, respectively, and accounts receivable from these customers totaled 74% of accounts receivable, net as of June 30, 2016. During the three months ended June 30, 2015, three customers represented 20%, 18%, and 15% of net revenues, respectively. During the six months ended June 30, 2015, these same three customers represented 20%, 22%, and 19% of net revenues, respectively.

### 3. INDEBTEDNESS

### Convertible Senior Notes

In December 2014, we issued \$143.8 million of our Convertible Senior Notes due 2019 (the "Notes") in a registered public offering. The Notes pay 3.0% interest semi-annually in arrears starting on June 1, 2015 and are due December 1, 2019. The initial conversion price was \$69.48 per share. Simultaneous with the issuance of the Notes, we entered into "bond hedge" (or purchased call) and "warrant" (or written call) transactions with an affiliate of one of the offering underwriters in order to synthetically raise the initial conversion price of the Notes to \$96.21 per share and reduce the potential common stock dilution that may arise from the conversion of the Notes.

The Notes are convertible at the option of the holder under certain circumstances and upon conversion we may elect to settle such conversion in shares of our common stock, cash, or a combination thereof. As a result of our cash conversion option, we separately accounted for the value of the embedded conversion option as a debt discount (with an offset to Additional Paid in Capital ("APIC")) of \$33.6 million. Deferred financing costs are recorded as a reduction of long-term debt in the consolidated balance sheets and are being amortized as additional non-cash interest expense over the term of the debt, since this method was not significantly different from the effective interest method.

The carrying value of the Notes is as follows as of:

(in thousands)	ıne 30, 2016	Dec	cember 31, 2015
Principal amount	\$ 143,750	\$	143,750
Unamortized debt discount	(23,872)		(27,016)
Deferred financing costs	(2,885)		(3,307)
Net carrying value	\$ 116,993	\$	113,427

We had accrued interest of \$0.4 million related to the Notes recorded in Accrued expenses, other in our consolidated balance sheets at both June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015.

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### 3. INDEBTEDNESS - continued

The following table sets forth the components of total interest expense related to the Notes recognized in the accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated statements of earnings for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015:

	Three Months Ended					Six Mont	ths Ended		
(in thousands)		June 30, 2016		June 30, 2015		June 30, 2016		June 30, 2015	
Contractual coupon	\$	1,078	\$	1,078	\$	2,156	\$	2,156	
Amortization of debt discount		1,582		1,501		3,144		2,981	
Amortization of finance fees		211		211		422		422	
Capitalized interest		(54)		(6)		(100)		(15)	
	\$	2,817	\$	2,784	\$	5,622	\$	5,544	

As of June 30, 2016, the effective interest rate on the Notes was 7.8%, on an annualized basis.

### Line of Credit

In May 2016, we entered into a credit arrangement (the "Line of Credit") with Citizens Bank Capital, a division of Citizens Asset Finance, Inc. (the "Citizens Agreement"). The Citizens Agreement provides for a \$30.0 million asset-based revolving credit loan facility, with availability subject to a borrowing base consisting of eligible accounts receivable and inventory and the satisfaction of conditions precedent specified in the Citizens Agreement. The Citizens Agreement provides for an accordion feature, whereby we may increase the revolving commitment up to an additional \$10.0 million subject to certain terms and conditions. The Citizens Agreement matures on May 12, 2019, at which time all amounts outstanding will be due and payable. Borrowings under the Citizens Agreement may be used for general corporate purposes, including financing possible future acquisitions and funding working capital. Amounts drawn bear an interest rate equal to, at our option, either a LIBOR rate plus 1.25%, 1.50%, or 1.75% per annum, depending upon availability under the Citizens Agreement. We incur a commitment fee on undrawn amounts equal to 0.25% per annum.

The Citizens Agreement is secured by a lien on substantially all of ANI Pharmaceutical Inc.'s and its principal domestic subsidiary's assets and any future domestic subsidiary guarantors' assets. The Citizens Agreement includes covenants, subject to certain exceptions, including covenants that restrict our ability to incur additional indebtedness, acquire or dispose of assets, and make and incur capital expenditures. The Citizens Agreement also imposes a financial covenant requiring compliance with a minimum fixed charge coverage ratio of 1.10 to 1.00 during certain covenant testing that is triggered if availability under the Citizens Agreement is below the greater of 12.5% of the revolving commitment and \$3.75 million for three consecutive business days.

As of June 30, 2016, we had no outstanding balance on the Line of Credit. In the three months ended June 30, 2016, we deferred \$0.3 million of debt issuance costs related to the Line of Credit, which will be amortized over the three year life of the Line of Credit. The \$0.3 million of deferred debt issuance costs are included in prepaid expenses and other current assets in the accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated balance sheet at June 30, 2016. During the period from when we entered into the Line of Credit through June 30, 2016, we recorded \$16 thousand of interest expense related to the Line of Credit.

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### 4. EARNINGS PER SHARE

Basic earnings per share is computed by dividing net income available to common shareholders by the weighted-average number of shares of common stock outstanding during the period.

For periods of net income, and when the effects are not anti-dilutive, we calculate diluted earnings per share by dividing net income available to common shareholders by the weighted-average number of shares outstanding plus the impact of all potential dilutive common shares, consisting primarily of common stock options, unvested restricted stock awards, stock purchase warrants, and any conversion gain on our Notes (Note 3), using the treasury stock method. For periods of net loss, diluted loss per share is calculated similarly to basic loss per share.

Our unvested restricted shares contain non-forfeitable rights to dividends, and therefore are considered to be participating securities; in periods of net income, the calculation of basic and diluted earnings per share excludes from the numerator net income attributable to the unvested restricted shares, and excludes the impact of those shares from the denominator.

For purposes of determining diluted earnings per share, we have elected a policy to assume that the principal portion of the Notes (Note 3) is settled in cash. As such, the principal portion of the Notes has no effect on either the numerator or denominator when determining diluted earnings per share. Any conversion gain is assumed to be settled in shares and is incorporated in diluted earnings per share using the treasury method. The warrants issued in conjunction with the issuance of the Notes (Note 3) are considered to be dilutive when they are in-the-money relative to our average stock price during the period; the bond hedge purchased in conjunction with the issuance of the Notes is always considered to be anti-dilutive.

Earnings per share for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 are calculated for basic and diluted earnings per share as follows:

(in thousands, except per share amounts)	 Ba Three Mon June		Ended	_	Dilu Three Mon June	ths l		_	Bas Six Month June	ns E		 Dilu Six Montl June	hs E	nded
	2016		2015		2016		2015		2016		2015	2016		2015
Net income	\$ 1,125	\$	3,571	\$	1,125	\$	3,571	\$	2,471	\$	7,940	\$ 2,471	\$	7,940
Net income allocated to restricted stock	(8)		(24)		(8)		(23)		(17)		(53)	(17)		(52)
Net income allocated to common shares	\$ 1,117	\$	3,547	\$	1,117	\$	3,548	\$	2,454	\$	7,887	\$ 2,454	\$	7,888
		_											_	
Basic Weighted-Average Shares Outstanding	11,402		11,344		11,402		11,344		11,398		11,335	11,398		11,335
Dilutive effect of stock options					139		205					116		221
Diluted Weighted-Average Shares Outstanding					11,541		11,549					11,514		11,556
Earnings Per Share	\$ 0.10	\$	0.31	\$	0.10	\$	0.31	\$	0.22	\$	0.70	\$ 0.21	\$	0.68

The number of anti-dilutive shares, which have been excluded from the computation of diluted earnings per share, including the shares underlying the Notes, was 4.5 million and 4.6 million for the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively and was 4.5 million and 4.6 million for the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively. Anti-dilutive shares consist of out-of-the-money Class C Special stock, out-of-the-money common stock options, common stock options that are anti-dilutive when calculating the impact of the potential dilutive common shares using the treasury stock method, underlying shares related to out-of-the-money bonds issued as convertible debt, and out-of-the-money warrants exercisable for common stock.

### 5. INVENTORIES

Inventories consist of the following as of:

(in thousands)	Jı	December 31, 2015				
Raw materials	\$	12,583	\$	10,192		
Packaging materials		935		998		
Work-in-progress		588		456		
Finished goods		11,204		1,897		
		25,310		13,543		
Reserve for excess/obsolete inventories		(258)		(156)		
Inventories, net	\$	25,052	\$	13,387		

#### **Vendor Concentration**

We source the raw materials for our products, including active pharmaceutical ingredients ("API"), from both domestic and international suppliers. Generally, only a single source of API is qualified for use in each product due to the cost and time required to validate a second source of supply. As a result, we are dependent upon our current vendors to reliably supply the API required for ongoing product manufacturing. During the three months ended June 30, 2016, we purchased approximately 48% of our inventory from four suppliers. As of June 30, 2016, amounts payable to these four suppliers totaled \$0.3 million. During the six months ended June 30, 2016, we purchased approximately 29% of our inventory from two suppliers. As of June 30, 2016, amounts payable to these two suppliers totaled \$0.2 million. During the three months ended June 30, 2015, we purchased approximately 43% of our inventory from two suppliers. During the six months ended June 30, 2015, we purchase approximately 40% of our inventory from the same two suppliers.

### 6. PROPERTY, PLANT, AND EQUIPMENT

Property, plant, and equipment consist of the following as of:

	J	Dec	ember 31,	
(in thousands)		2016		2015
Land	\$	87	\$	87
Buildings		3,682		3,682
Machinery, furniture, and equipment		7,311		5,623
Construction in progress		2,725		2,189
		13,805		11,581
Less: accumulated depreciation		(4,894)		(4,450)
Property, Plant, and Equipment, net	\$	8,911	\$	7,131

Depreciation expense was \$0.2 million for both the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015. Depreciation expense was \$0.4 million and \$0.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015. During the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, there was \$54 thousand and \$6 thousand of interest capitalized into construction in progress, respectively. During the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, there was \$0.1 million and \$15 thousand of interest capitalized into construction in progress, respectively. Construction in progress consists of multiple projects, primarily related to new equipment to expand our manufacturing capability as our product lines continue to grow.

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### 7. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS

### Goodwill

As a result of our 2013 merger with BioSante Pharmaceuticals, Inc. ("BioSante"), we recorded goodwill of \$1.8 million in our one reporting unit. We assess the recoverability of the carrying value of goodwill as of October 31 st of each year, and whenever events occur or circumstances change that would, more likely than not, reduce the fair value of our reporting unit below its carrying value. There have been no events or changes in circumstances that would have reduced the fair value of our reporting unit below its carrying value from the most recent assessment on October 31, 2015 through June 30, 2016. No impairment losses were recognized during the three or six months ended June 30, 2016 or 2015.

### **Definite-lived Intangible Assets**

Acquisition of Abbreviated New Drug Applications

In July 2015, we purchased the Abbreviated New Drug Applications ("ANDAs") for 22 previously marketed generic drug products from Teva Pharmaceuticals ("Teva") for \$25.0 million in cash and a percentage of future gross profits from product sales. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. The ANDAs are being amortized in full over their estimated useful lives of 10 years.

In March 2015, we purchased an ANDA from Teva for Flecainide for \$4.5 million in cash and a percentage of future gross profits from product sales. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. The ANDA is being amortized in full over its estimated useful life of 10 years.

In the first quarter of 2014, we purchased the ANDAs to produce 31 previously marketed generic drug products from Teva for \$12.5 million in cash and a percentage of future gross profits from product sales. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. The ANDAs are being amortized in full over their estimated useful lives of 10 years.

Acquisition of New Drug Applications and Product Rights

In April 2016, we purchased the rights, title, and interest in the New Drug Application ("NDA") for Inderal LA, as well as certain documentation, trademark rights, and finished goods from Cranford Pharmaceuticals, LLC for \$60.0 million in cash up front and milestone payments based on future gross profits from sales of products under the NDA. We made the \$60.0 million upfront cash payment using cash on hand, capitalized \$0.3 million of costs directly related to the transaction, and recognized \$3.9 million of minimum milestone payments for a total purchase price of \$64.2 million. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase and the resultant \$52.4 million NDA asset is being amortized in full over its estimated useful life of 10 years. The resultant \$0.6 million non-compete agreement associated with the transaction is being amortized in full over its estimated useful life of seven years. Please see Note 12 for further details regarding the transaction.

In September 2015, we entered into an agreement to purchase the NDAs for Corticotropin and Corticotropin-Zinc from Merck Sharp & Dohme B.V. for \$75.0 million in cash and a percentage of future net sales. The transaction closed in January 2016, and we made the \$75.0 million cash payment using cash on hand. In addition, we capitalized \$0.3 million of costs directly related to the transaction. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. The \$75.3 million NDA assets are being amortized in full over their estimated useful lives of 10 years.

As part of our 2013 merger with BioSante, we acquired a testosterone gel product that was licensed to Teva (the "Testosterone Gel NDA"). In May 2015, we acquired from Teva the approved NDA for the previously-licensed product. Pursuant to the terms of the purchase agreement, upon commercialization, we will pay Teva a royalty of up to \$5.0 million, at a rate of 5% of the consideration we receive as a result of commercial sale of the product. The \$10.9 million Testosterone Gel NDA asset is being amortized in full over its estimated useful life of 11 years.

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### 7. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS - continued

In August 2014, we entered into an agreement to purchase (the "Vancocin Purchase Agreement") the product rights to Vancocin from Shire ViroPharma Incorporated for \$11.0 million in cash. Pursuant to the terms of the Vancocin Purchase Agreement, we acquired the U.S. intellectual property rights and NDA associated with Vancocin, two related ANDAs, and certain equipment and inventory. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. The \$10.5 million product rights intangible asset is being amortized in full over its estimated useful life of 10 years.

In July 2014, we entered into an agreement to purchase (the "Lithobid Purchase Agreement") the product rights to Lithobid from Noven Therapeutics, LLC for \$11.0 million in cash at closing, and \$1.0 million in cash if certain approvals were received from the FDA on or before June 30, 2015. This \$1.0 million contingent payment was paid in January 2015. Pursuant to the terms of the Lithobid Purchase Agreement, we acquired the intellectual property rights and NDA associated with Lithobid, as well as a small amount of raw material inventory. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. The \$12.0 million product rights intangible asset is being amortized in full over its estimated useful life of 10 years.

### Marketing and Distribution Rights

In January 2016, we purchased from H2-Pharma, LLC the rights to market, sell, and distribute the authorized generic of Lipofen® and a generic hydrocortisone rectal cream product, along with the rights to an early-stage development project, for total consideration of \$10.0 million. The consideration consisted of a cash payment of \$8.8 million and the assumption of \$1.2 million in existing royalties owed on the acquired rights. We capitalized \$42 thousand of costs directly related to the purchase. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. No value was ascribed to the early-stage development project because the development was still at the preliminary stage, with no expenses incurred or research performed to date. The \$10.0 million marketing and distribution rights assets are being amortized in full over their average estimated useful lives of approximately four years.

In August 2015, we entered into a distribution agreement with IDT Australia Limited ("IDT") to market several products in the U.S. The products, all of which are approved ANDAs, require various FDA filings and approvals prior to commercialization. In general, IDT will be responsible for regulatory submissions to the Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") and the manufacturing of certain products. We made an upfront payment to IDT of \$1.0 million and will make additional milestone payments upon FDA approval for commercialization of certain products. Upon approval, IDT will manufacture some of the products and we will manufacture the other products. We will market and distribute all the products under our label in the United States, remitting a percentage of profits from sales of the drugs to IDT. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. The \$1.0 million upfront payment was recorded as a marketing and distribution rights intangible asset and is being amortized in full over its estimated useful life of seven years.

The components of net definite-lived intangible assets are as follows:

(in thousands)		June 3	0, 20	16		December	Weighted Average		
	Gro	Gross Carrying Amount		Accumulated Amortization		Gross Carrying Amount		rumulated ortization	Amortization Period
Acquired ANDA intangible assets	\$	42,076	\$	(6,289)	(6,289) \$ 42,07		\$	(4,287)	10.0 years
NDAs and product rights		161,150		(12,546)		33,422		(5,754)	10.1 years
Marketing and distribution rights		11,042		(1,361)		1,000		(60)	4.7 years
Non-compete agreement		624		(22)		-		-	7.0 years
	\$	214,892	\$	(20,218)	\$	76,498	\$	(10,101)	

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### 7. GOODWILL AND INTANGIBLE ASSETS - continued

Definite-lived intangible assets are stated at cost, net of amortization using the straight line method over the expected useful lives of the intangible assets. Amortization expense was \$5.7 million and \$1.2 million for the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively. Amortization expense was \$10.1 million and \$2.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively.

We test for impairment of definite-lived intangible assets when events or circumstances indicate that the carrying value of the assets may not be recoverable. No such triggering events were identified during the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 and therefore no impairment loss was recognized in the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 or 2015.

Expected future amortization expense is as follows:

\$ 11,450
22,722
22,367
22,367
21,885
93,883
\$ 194,674
\$ 

### 8. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION

All equity-based service awards are granted under the ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. Amended and Restated 2008 Stock Incentive Plan (the "2008 Plan"). As of June 30, 2016, 0.3 million shares of our common stock remained available for issuance under the 2008 Plan.

The following table summarizes stock-based compensation expense, net of forfeitures, included in our accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated statements of earnings:

(in thousands)	Three Months	Ended June 30,	Six Months Ended June 30		
	2016	2015	2016	2015	
Cost of sales	\$ 24	\$ 21	\$ 14	\$ 37	
Research and development	22	33	49	49	
Selling, general, and adminstrative	2,171	975	3,259	1,511	
	\$ 2,217	\$ 1,029	\$ 3,322	\$ 1,597	

### **Separation Agreement**

On April 26, 2016, we entered into a Separation Agreement and Release (the "Separation Agreement") with our former Chief Financial Officer (the "Former Officer"), who resigned effective May 6, 2016. Under the Separation Agreement, 25,167 stock options previously granted to the Former Officer vested on May 6, 2016. In addition, 4,050 restricted stock awards and 2,000 stock options previously granted to the Former Officer will vest on March 15, 2017, subject to certain conditions. These actions were accounted for as a modification of the underlying awards and the full expense for the modified awards was recorded in the three months ended June 30, 2016. In the second quarter of 2016, we recorded \$0.9 million of stock-based compensation expense, net of forfeitures, in relation to the Separation Agreement. During the three months ended June 30, 2016, we recognized \$0.4 million of additional expense related to the Separation Agreement and transition that was not related to stock-based compensation. All expenses related to the Separation Agreement and transition have been recognized in the three months ended June 30, 2016.

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### 8. STOCK-BASED COMPENSATION- continued

A summary of stock option and restricted stock activity under the Plan during the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 is presented below:

(in thousands)	Options	RSAs
Outstanding December 31, 2014	458	63
Granted	120	28
Options Exercised/RSAs Vested	(31)	(10)
Forfeited	(33)	(5)
Outstanding June 30, 2015	514	76
Outstanding December 31, 2015	474	63
Granted	273	42
Options Exercised/RSAs Vested	(54)	(15)
Forfeited	(50)	(12)
Outstanding June 30, 2016	643	78

### 9. STOCKHOLDER'S EQUITY

### **Stock Repurchase Program**

In October 2015, our Board of Directors authorized a program to repurchase up to \$25.0 million of our outstanding common stock through December 31, 2016. The authorization allows for repurchases to be conducted through open market or privately negotiated transactions. Shares acquired under the stock repurchase program are returned to the status of authorized but unissued shares of common stock. The stock repurchase program may be suspended, modified, or discontinued at any time at our discretion.

In January 2016, we purchased 65 thousand shares under the stock repurchase program for \$2.5 million.

## Warrants

No warrants to purchase shares of common stock were granted, exercised, or expired unexercised during the three and six month ended June 30, 2016. Warrants to purchase 0.1 million shares of common stock expired unexercised during both the three and six months ended June 30, 2015. No warrants to purchase shares of common stock were grant or exercised during the three and six months ended June 30, 2015.

### 10. INCOME TAXES

We use the asset and liability method of accounting for income taxes. Deferred tax assets and liabilities are determined based on differences between the financial reporting and tax bases of assets and liabilities and are measured using the enacted tax rates and laws that are expected to be in effect when the differences are expected to reverse. The effect on deferred tax assets and liabilities of a change in tax rates is recognized in the period that such tax rate changes are enacted. The measurement of a deferred tax asset is reduced, if necessary, by a valuation allowance if it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax asset will not be realized. The utilization of our NOL carryforwards will be limited in future years as prescribed by Section 382 of the U.S. Internal Revenue Code. As of both June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015, we had provided a valuation allowance against certain state net operating loss ("NOL") carryforwards of approximately \$0.1 million.

We use a recognition threshold and a measurement attribute for the financial statement recognition and measurement of tax positions taken or expected to be taken in a tax return, as well as guidance on derecognition, classification, interest and penalties, and financial statement reporting disclosures. For those benefits to be recognized, a tax position must be more-likely-than-not to be sustained upon examination by taxing authorities. We have not identified any uncertain income tax positions that could have a material impact on the consolidated financial statements. We recognize interest and penalties accrued on any unrecognized tax exposures as a component of income tax expense; we did not have any such amounts accrued as of June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015. We are subject to taxation in various jurisdictions and all of our income tax returns remain subject to examination by tax authorities due to the availability of NOL carryforwards.

We calculate income tax benefits related to stock-based compensation arrangements using the with and without method.

For interim periods, we recognize an income tax provision/(benefit) based on our estimated annual effective tax rate expected for the entire year. The interim annual estimated effective tax rate is based on the statutory tax rates then in effect, as adjusted for estimated changes in temporary and estimated permanent differences, and excludes certain discreet items whose tax effect is recognized in the interim period in which they occur. We also have elected to exclude the impacts from significant pre-tax non-recognized subsequent events from our interim estimated annual effective rate until the period in which they occur. Our estimated annual effective tax rate changes throughout the year as our on-going estimates of pre-tax income, changes in temporary differences, and permanent differences are revised, and as discreet items occur. Our estimated annual effective tax rate was 53.4% of pre-tax income for the first quarter of 2016, was 52.2% of pre-tax income for the second quarter of 2016, and was 52.8% of pre-tax income for the six months ended June 30, 2016. The decrease in our estimated annual effective tax rate during the first half 2016 was primarily driven by the on-going revisions discussed above, and by the tax effect of discreet

items, including changes in our estimated pre-tax income resulting from various asset acquisitions that occurred during the periods and associated changes to temporary differences arising from those asset acquisitions, as well as the impact of current period awards of stock-based compensation, stock option exercises, vesting of restricted stock, and disqualifying dispositions of incentive stock options, all of which impact the estimated annual effective rate in the period in which they occur.

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### 11. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES

### **Operating Leases**

We lease equipment under operating leases that expire in September 2018 and February 2021. We also lease office space under operating leases that expire in September 2018 and April 2021. Future minimum lease payments due under these leases total \$0.4 million as of June 30, 2016.

Rent expense for each of the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 totaled \$20 thousand. Rent expense for the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 totaled \$40 thousand and \$38 thousand, respectively.

### **Government Regulation**

Our products and facilities are subject to regulation by a number of federal and state governmental agencies. The FDA, in particular, maintains oversight of the formulation, manufacture, distribution, packaging, and labeling of all of our products. The Drug Enforcement Administration ("DEA") maintains oversight over our products that are controlled substances.

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### 11. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES - continued

### **Unapproved Products**

Two of our products, Esterified Estrogen with Methyltestosterone tablets ("EEMT") and Opium Tincture, are marketed without approved NDAs or ANDAs. During the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, net revenues for these products totaled \$9.0 million and \$11.0 million, respectively. During the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, net revenues for these products totaled \$18.0 million and \$21.3 million, respectively.

The FDA's policy with respect to the continued marketing of unapproved products is stated in the FDA's September 2011 Compliance Policy Guide Sec. 440.100 titled "Marketed New Drugs without Approved NDAs or ANDAs." Under this policy, the FDA has stated that it will follow a risk-based approach with regard to enforcement against such unapproved products. The FDA evaluates whether to initiate enforcement action on a case-by-case basis, but gives higher priority to enforcement action against products in certain categories, such as those marketed as unapproved drugs with potential safety risks or that lack evidence of effectiveness. We believe that, so long as we comply with applicable manufacturing standards, the FDA will not take action against us under the current enforcement policy. There can be no assurance, however, that the FDA will continue this policy or not take a contrary position with any individual product or group of products. If the FDA were to take a contrary position, we may be required to seek FDA approval for these products or withdraw such products from the market. If we decide to withdraw the products from the market, our net revenues for generic pharmaceutical products would decline materially, and if we decide to seek FDA approval, we would face increased expenses and might need to suspend sales of the products until such approval was obtained, and there are no assurances that we would receive such approval.

In addition, one group of products that we manufacture on behalf of a contract customer is marketed by that customer without an approved NDA. If the FDA took enforcement action against such customer, the customer may be required to seek FDA approval for the group of products or withdraw them from the market. Our contract manufacturing revenues for these unapproved products for each of the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.5 million. Our contract manufacturing revenues for these unapproved products for each of the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.8 million.

We receive royalties on the net sales of a group of contract-manufactured products, which are marketed by the contract customer without an approved NDA. If the FDA took enforcement action against such customer, the customer may be required to seek FDA approval for the group of products or withdraw them from the market. Our royalties on the net sales of these unapproved products for each of the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.1 million. Our royalties on the net sales of these unapproved products for each of the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.2 million.

### Louisiana Medicaid Lawsuit

On September 11, 2013, the Attorney General of the State of Louisiana filed a lawsuit in Louisiana state court against numerous pharmaceutical companies, including us, under various state laws, alleging that each defendant caused the state's Medicaid agency to provide reimbursement for drug products that allegedly were not approved by the FDA and therefore allegedly not reimbursable under the federal Medicaid program. The lawsuit relates to three cough and cold prescription products manufactured and sold by our former Gulfport, Mississippi operation, which was sold in September 2010. Through its lawsuit, the state seeks unspecified damages, statutory fines, penalties, attorneys' fees, and costs. While we cannot predict the outcome of the lawsuit at this time, we could be subject to material damages, penalties, and fines. We intend to vigorously defend against all claims in the lawsuit.

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### 11. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES - continued

### **Other Commitments and Contingencies**

All manufacturers of the drug Reglan and its generic equivalent metoclopramide, including ANI, are facing allegations from plaintiffs in various states, including California, New Jersey, and Pennsylvania, claiming bodily injuries as a result of ingestion of metoclopramide or its brand name, Reglan, prior to the FDA's February 2009 Black Box warning requirement. In August 2012, we were dismissed with prejudice from all New Jersey cases. We consider our exposure to this litigation to be limited due to several factors: (1) the only generic metoclopramide that we manufactured prior to the implementation of the FDA's warning requirement was an oral solution introduced after May 28, 2008; (2) our market share for the oral solution was a very small portion of the overall metoclopramide market; and (3) once we received a request for change of labeling from the FDA, we submitted our proposed changes within 30 days, and such changes were subsequently approved by the FDA.

At the present time, we are unable to assess the likely outcome of the cases in the remaining states. Our insurance company has assumed the defense of this matter. We cannot provide assurances that the outcome of these matters will not have an adverse effect on our business, financial condition, and operating results. Furthermore, like all pharmaceutical manufacturers, we may be exposed to other product liability claims in the future, which could further limit our coverage under future insurance policies or cause those policies to become more expensive, which could harm our business, financial condition, and operating results.

### 12. FAIR VALUE DISCLOSURES

Fair value is the price that would be received from the sale of an asset or paid to transfer a liability assuming an orderly transaction in the most advantageous market at the measurement date. U.S. GAAP establishes a hierarchical disclosure framework that prioritizes and ranks the level of observability of inputs used in measuring fair value.

The inputs used in measuring the fair value of cash and cash equivalents are considered to be level 1 in accordance with the three-tier fair value hierarchy. The fair market values are based on period-end statements supplied by the various banks and brokers that held the majority of our funds. The fair value of short-term financial instruments (primarily accounts receivable, prepaid expenses, accounts payable, accrued expenses, borrowings under line of credit, and other current liabilities) approximate their carrying values because of their short-term nature. While our Notes are recorded on our accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated balance sheets at their net carrying value of \$117.0 million as of June 30, 2016, the Notes are being traded on the bond market and their full fair value is \$155.4 million, based on their closing price on June 30, 2016, a Level 1 input.

### Financial Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis

Our contingent value rights ("CVRs"), which were granted coincident with our merger with BioSante and expire in June 2023, are considered contingent consideration and are classified as liabilities. As such, the CVRs were recorded as purchase consideration at their estimated fair value, using level 3 inputs, and are marked to market each reporting period until settlement. The fair value of CVRs is estimated using the present value of our projection of the expected payments pursuant to the terms of the CVR agreement, which is the primary unobservable input. If our projection or expected payments were to increase substantially, the value of the CVRs could increase as a result. The present value of the liability was calculated using a discount rate of 15%. We determined that the fair value of the CVRs, and the changes in such fair value, was immaterial as of June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015, and for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015.

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### 12. FAIR VALUE DISCLOSURES-continued

The following table presents our financial assets and liabilities accounted for at fair value on a recurring basis as of June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015, by level within the fair value hierarchy:

(in thousands)

(	Description	Fair Value at June 30, 2016	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Liabilities	·				
CVRs		\$	- \$	- \$	\$ -
		Fair Value at			
	Description	<b>December 31, 2015</b>	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3
Liabilities					
CVRs		\$	- \$	- \$ -	\$ -

### Financial Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Non-Recurring Basis

We do not have any financial assets and liabilities measured at fair value on a non-recurring basis.

### Non-Financial Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Recurring Basis

We do not have any non-financial assets and liabilities that are measured at fair value on a recurring basis.

### Non-Financial Assets and Liabilities Measured at Fair Value on a Non-Recurring Basis

We measure our long-lived assets, including property, plant, and equipment, intangible assets, and goodwill, at fair value on a non-recurring basis. These assets are recognized at fair value when they are deemed to be other-than-temporarily impaired. No such fair value impairment was recognized in the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015.

Acquired Non-Financial Assets Measured at Fair Value

In April 2016, we purchased the rights, title, and interest in the NDA for Inderal LA, as well as certain documentation, trademark rights, and finished goods from Cranford Pharmaceuticals, LLC for \$60.0 million in cash and milestone payments based on future gross profits from sales of products under the NDA (Note 7). In addition, at closing, we transferred \$5.0 million to an escrow account as security for future milestone payments. This escrow account balance is not expected to be released in less than one year and is included in restricted cash in our accompanying unaudited interim condensed consolidated balance sheet as of June 30, 2016. We made the \$60.0 million upfront cash payment using cash on hand, capitalized \$0.3 million of costs directly related to the transaction, and recognized \$3.9 million of minimum milestone payments for a total purchase price of \$64.2 million. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. In order to determine the fair value of the NDA, we used the present value of the estimated cash flows related to the product rights, using a discount rate of 12%. The \$52.4 million NDA will be amortized in full over its 10 year useful life, and will be tested for impairment when events or circumstances indicate that the carrying value of the asset may not be recoverable. No such triggering events were identified during the period from the date of acquisition to June 30, 2016 and therefore no impairment loss was recognized for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016. We recorded \$10.9 million of finished goods. The fair value of the finished goods was determined based on the estimated sales to be generated from the finished goods, less costs to sell, including a reasonable margin. We recorded the \$3.9 million of minimum milestone payments as accrued royalties. We recorded \$0.6 million for the noncompete agreement associated with the transaction. In order to determine the fair value of the non-compete agreement, we used the probability-weighted lost cash flows method, using a discount rate of 10%. The non-compete agreement will be amortized in full over its seven year useful life. We also recorded a \$0.3 million prepaid balance related to a partially paid purchase order for inventory.

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### 12. FAIR VALUE DISCLOSURES-continued

In January 2016, we purchased from Merck Sharp & Dohme B.V. the NDAs for two previously marketed generic drug products for \$75.0 million in cash and a percentage of future net sales from product sales (Note 7). In addition, we capitalized \$0.3 million in legal costs directly related to the transaction. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. In order to determine the fair value of the NDAs, we used the present value of the estimated cash flows related to the product rights, using a discount rate of 10%. The NDAs will be amortized in full over their 10 year useful lives, and will be tested for impairment when events or circumstances indicate that the carrying value of the assets may not be recoverable. No such triggering events were identified during the period from the date of acquisition to June 30, 2016 and therefore no impairment loss was recognized for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016.

In January 2016, we purchased from H2-Pharma, LLC the rights to market, sell, and distribute the authorized generic of Lipofen® and a generic hydrocortisone rectal cream product, along with the rights to an early-stage development project, for total consideration of \$10.0 million (Note 7). The consideration consisted of a cash payment of \$8.8 million and the assumption of \$1.2 million in existing royalties owed on the acquired rights. In addition, we capitalized \$42 thousand of costs directly related to the transaction. We accounted for this transaction as an asset purchase. In order to determine the fair value of the rights for purposes of purchase price allocation, we used the present value of the estimate cash flows related to the product rights, using a discount rate of 10%. No value was ascribed to the early-stage development project because the development is still at the preliminary stage, with no expenses incurred or research performed to date. The marketing and distribution rights will be amortized in full over their average estimated useful lives of approximately four years, and will be tested for impairment when events or circumstances indicate that the carrying value of the assets may not be recoverable. No such triggering events were identified from the date of acquisition to June 30, 2016 and therefore no impairment loss was recognized for the three and six months ended June 30, 2016.

### 13. SUBSEQUENT EVENT

In July 2016, we commenced administration of our 2016 Employee Stock Purchase Plan (the "ESPP"), which was approved by shareholders in our May 25, 2016 annual shareholder meeting. The Board of Directors and shareholders approved a maximum of 0.2 million shares of common stock, which were reserved and made available for issuance under the ESPP.

### Item 2. Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations

The following Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations should be read in conjunction with the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements and the accompanying notes thereto included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report. This discussion contains forward-looking statements, based on current expectations and related to future events and our future financial performance, that involve risks and uncertainties. Our actual results may differ materially from those anticipated in these forward-looking statements as a result of many important factors, including those set forth under "Risk Factors" in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015.

### **EXECUTIVE OVERVIEW**

ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. and its subsidiaries (together, "ANI," the "Company," "we," "us," or "our") is an integrated specialty pharmaceutical company developing, manufacturing, and marketing branded and generic prescription pharmaceuticals. Our targeted areas of product development currently include controlled substances, oncolytics (anti-cancers), hormones and steroids, and complex formulations involving extended release and combination products. We have two pharmaceutical manufacturing facilities located in Baudette, Minnesota that are capable of producing oral solid dose products, as well as liquids and topicals, controlled substances, and potent products that must be manufactured in a fully-contained environment.

Our strategy is to use our assets to develop, acquire, manufacture, and market branded and generic specialty prescription pharmaceuticals. By executing this strategy, we believe we will be able to continue to grow the business, expand and diversify our product portfolio, and create long-term value for our investors.

As of June 30, 2016, our products include both branded and generic pharmaceuticals, specifically:

Generic Products	<b>Branded Products</b>
Esterified Estrogen with Methyltestosterone	Cortenema
Etodolac	Inderal LA
Fenofibrate	Lithobid
Flecainide	Reglan
Fluvoxamine	Vancocin
Hydrocortisone Rectal Cream (1% and 2.5%)	
Hydrocortisone Enema	
Hydroxyprogesterone Caproate Injection	
Mesalamine Enema	
Methazolamide	
Metoclopramide Syrup	
Nimodipine	
Opium Tincture	
Oxycodone Capsules	
Oxycodone Oral Solution	
Propafenone	
Propranolol ER	
Vancomycin	

We consider a variety of criteria in determining which products to develop, all of which influence the level of competition upon product launch. These criteria include:

- Formulation Complexity. Our development and manufacturing capabilities enable us to manufacture pharmaceuticals that are difficult to produce, including highly potent, extended release, combination, and low dosage products. This ability to manufacture a variety of complex products is a competitive strength that we intend to leverage in selecting products to develop or manufacture.
- Patent Status. We seek to develop products whose branded bioequivalents do not have long-term patent protection or existing patent challenges.

- *Market Size.* When determining whether to develop or acquire an individual product, we review the current and expected market size for that product at launch, as well as forecasted price erosion upon conversion from branded to generic pricing. We seek to manufacture products with sufficient market size to enable us to enter the market with a strong likelihood of being able to price our product both competitively and at a profit.
- **Profit Potential.** We research the availability and cost of active pharmaceutical ingredients in determining which products to develop or acquire. In determining the potential profit of a product, we forecast our anticipated market share, pricing, including the expected price erosion caused by competition from other generic manufacturers, and the estimated cost to manufacture the products.
- *Manufacturing*. Whenever possible, we seek to develop and manufacture products at our own manufacturing plants in order to maximize the capacity and utilization of our facilities, to ensure quality control in our products, and to maximize profit potential.
- Competition. When determining whether to develop or acquire an individual product, we research the existing and expected market share of generic competitors. We seek to develop products for which we can obtain a large market share, and may decline to develop a product if we anticipate many generic competitors. Our highly specialized manufacturing facilities provide a means of entering niche markets, such as hormone therapies, in which fewer generic companies would be able to compete.

## **GENERAL**

The following table summarizes our results of operations for the periods indicated:

(in thousands)	Three Months	Ended	June 30,	Six Months Ende	ed June 30,
	2016		2015	2016	2015
Net revenues	\$ 31,337	\$	19,516	\$ 51,892 \$	38,315
Operating expenses					
Cost of sales (exclusive of depreciation and amortization)	11,795		3,141	15,205	5,892
Research and development	764		995	1,730	1,398
Selling, general, and administrative	7,628		5,551	13,532	10,302
Depreciation and amortization	5,956		1,415	10,565	2,742
Operating income	 5,194		8,414	10,860	17,981
Interest expense, net	(2,830)		(2,749)	(5,612)	(5,474)
Other (expense)/income, net	(12)		-	(10)	68
Income before provision for income taxes	 2,352		5,665	5,238	12,575
Provision for income taxes	(1,227)		(2,094)	(2,767)	(4,635)
Net income	\$ 1,125	\$	3,571	\$ 2,471 \$	7,940

The following table sets forth, for all periods indicated, items in our unaudited interim condensed consolidated statements of earnings as a percentage of net revenues:

	Three Months Ende	ed June 30,	Six Months Ended	l June 30,
	2016	2015	2016	2015
Net revenues	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%
Operating expenses				
Cost of sales (exclusive of depreciation and amortization)	37.7%	16.1%	29.3%	15.4%
Research and development	2.4%	5.1%	3.3%	3.6%
Selling, general, and administrative	24.4%	28.4%	26.1%	26.9%
Depreciation and amortization	19.0%	7.3%	20.4%	7.2%
Operating income	16.5%	43.1%	20.9%	46.9%
Interest expense, net	(9.0)%	(14.1)%	(10.8)%	(14.3)%
Other (expense)/income, net	-%	-%	-%	0.2%
Income before provision for income taxes	7.5%	29.0%	10.1%	32.8%
Provision for income taxes	(3.9)%	(10.7)%	(5.3)%	(12.1)%
Net income	3.6%	18.3%	4.8%	20.7%

### RESULTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2016 AND 2015

### **Net Revenues**

(in thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30,					
		2016		2015	Change	% Change
Generic pharmaceutical products	\$	22,463	\$	13,764	\$ 8,699	63.2%
Branded pharmaceutical products		7,488		2,136	5,352	250.6%
Contract manufacturing		1,166		1,091	75	6.9%
Contract services and other income		220		2,525	(2,305)	(91.3)%
Total net revenues	\$	31,337	\$	19,516	\$ 11,821	60.6%

We derive substantially all of our revenues from sales of generic and branded pharmaceutical products, contract manufacturing, and contract services, which include product development services, laboratory services, and royalties on net sales of certain products.

Net revenues for the three months ended June 30, 2016 were \$31.3 million compared to \$19.5 million for the same period in 2015, an increase of \$11.8 million, or 60.6%, primarily as a result of the following factors:

- Net revenues for generic pharmaceutical products were \$22.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2016, an increase of 63.2% compared to \$13.8 million for the same period in 2015. The primary reason for the increase was sales of Propranolol ER and other products launched in the second quarter of 2016, as well as sales of Vancomycin, which was launched under our own label in the fourth quarter of 2015.
  - As described in Note 11, *Commitments and Contingencies*, in the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report, we market EEMT and Opium Tincture without Food and Drug Administration ("FDA") approved New Drug Applications ("NDAs"). The FDA's policy with respect to the continued marketing of unapproved products appears in the FDA's September 2011 Compliance Policy Guide Sec. 440.100 titled "Marketed New Drugs without Approved NDAs or ANDAs." Under this policy, the FDA has stated that it will follow a risk-based approach with regard to enforcement against marketing of unapproved products. The FDA evaluates whether to initiate enforcement action on a case-by-case basis, but gives higher priority to enforcement action against products in certain categories, such as those with potential safety risks or that lack evidence of effectiveness. While we believe that, so long as we comply with applicable manufacturing standards, the FDA will not take action against us under the current enforcement policy, we can offer no assurances that the FDA will continue this policy or not take a contrary position with any individual product or group of products. Our combined net revenues for these products for the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$9.0 million and \$11.0 million, respectively.
- Net revenues for branded pharmaceutical products were \$7.5 million during the three months ended June 30, 2016, an increase of 250.6% compared to \$2.1 million for the same period in 2015. The primary reason for the increase was sales of Inderal LA, which was launched in the second quarter of 2016, as well as increased unit sales of Vancocin. The increase was partially offset by lower unit sales of Reglan due to decreased purchases by a customer and increased Medicaid utilization and Medicaid rebates for Lithobid and Vancocin.

- Contract manufacturing revenues were \$1.2 million during the three months ended June 30, 2016, an increase of 6.9% compared to \$1.1 million for the same period in 2015, due to timing of orders from contract manufacturing customers in the period. As described in Note 11, Commitments and Contingencies, in the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report, we contract manufacture a group of products on behalf of a customer that are marketed by that customer without an FDA-approved NDA. If the FDA took enforcement action against such customer, the customer may be required to seek FDA approval for the group of products or withdraw them from the market. Our contract manufacturing revenues for the group of unapproved products for each of the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.5 million.
- Contract services and other income were \$0.2 million during the three months ended June 30, 2016, a decrease of 91.3% from \$2.5 million for the same period in 2015, due primarily to the lack of royalties received on sales of the authorized generic of Vancocin. In the fourth quarter of 2015, we launched an authorized generic of Vancocin under our own label, which replaced the authorized generic product previously on the market. This decrease was partially offset by royalties related to sales of Fenofibrate, the authorized generic of Lipofen®, the marketing and distribution rights to which we acquired in January 2016. We launched Fenofibrate under our own label in the second quarter of 2016.

As described in Note 11, *Commitments and Contingencies*, in the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report, we receive royalties on the net sales of a group of contract-manufactured products, which are marketed by the customer without an FDA-approved NDA. If the FDA took enforcement action against such customer, the customer may be required to seek FDA approval for the group of products or withdraw them from the market. Our royalties on the net sales of these unapproved products for each of the three months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.1 million.

### Cost of Sales (Excluding Depreciation and Amortization)

(in thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30,						
		2016 2015				Change	% Change
Cost of sales (excl. depreciation and amortization)	\$	11,795	\$	3,141	\$	8,654	275.5%

Cost of sales consists of direct labor, including manufacturing and packaging, active and inactive pharmaceutical ingredients, freight costs, packaging components, and royalties related to profit-sharing arrangements. Cost of sales does not include depreciation and amortization expense, which is reported as a separate component of operating expenses on our unaudited interim condensed consolidated statements of earnings.

For the three months ended June 30, 2016, cost of sales increased to \$11.8 million from \$3.1 million for the same period in 2015, an increase of \$8.7 million or 275.5%, primarily as a result of increased sales of products subject to profit-sharing arrangements, as well as the impact on cost of sales of the excess of fair value over cost for Inderal LA and Propranolol ER inventory sold during the period. Cost of sales as a percentage of net revenues increased to 37.7% during the three months ended June 30, 2016, from 16.1% during same period in 2015, primarily as a result of increased sales of products subject to profit-sharing arrangements, a trend we expect to continue, and the \$2.1 million impact on cost of sales (6.6% as a percent of net revenues) of the excess of fair value over cost for Inderal LA and Propranolol ER inventory sold during the period, a trend which will continue until such time that the inventory purchased from Cranford Pharmaceuticals, LLC ("Cranford") as a component of the Inderal LA NDA asset purchase is consumed.

We source the raw materials for our products, including active pharmaceutical ingredients ("API"), from both domestic and international suppliers. Generally, only a single source of API is qualified for use in each product due to the cost and time required to validate a second source of supply. Changes in API suppliers usually must be approved by the FDA. As a result, we are dependent upon our current vendors to reliably supply the API required for ongoing product manufacturing. In addition, certain of our API for our drug products, including those that are marketed without approved NDAs or Abbreviated New Drug Applications ("ANDAs"), are sourced from international suppliers. From time to time, we have experienced temporary disruptions in the supply of certain of such imported APIs due to FDA inspections.

During the three months ended June 30, 2016, we purchased 48% of our inventory from four suppliers. As of June 30, 2016, amounts payable to these four suppliers totaled \$0.3 million. In the three months ended June 30, 2015, we purchased 43% of our inventory from two suppliers.

In order to manufacture Opium Tincture, Oxycodone capsules, and Oxycodone oral solution, we must receive approval from the Drug Enforcement Agency ("DEA") for a quota to purchase the amount of opium and oxycodone needed to manufacture the respective products. Without approved quotas from the DEA, we would not be able to purchase these ingredients from our suppliers. As a result, we are dependent upon the DEA to approve quotas large enough to support our continued manufacture of Opium Tincture, Oxycodone capsules, and Oxycodone oral solution.

### **Other Operating Expenses**

(in thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30,						
		2016		2015		Change	% Change
Research and development	\$	764	\$	995	\$	(231)	(23.2)%
Selling, general, and administrative		7,628		5,551		2,077	37.4%
Depreciation and amortization		5,956		1,415		4,541	320.9%
Total other operating expenses	\$	14,348	\$	7,961	\$	6,387	80.2%

Other operating expenses consist of research and development costs, selling, general, and administrative expenses, and depreciation and amortization.

For the three months ended June 30, 2016, other operating expenses increased to \$14.3 million from \$8.0 million for the same period in 2015, an increase of \$6.3 million, or 80.2%, primarily as a result of the following factors:

- Research and development expenses decreased from \$1.0 million to \$0.8 million, a decrease of 23.2%, due to timing of work on development projects. Current projects include work on the ANDAs purchased in 2014 and 2015, as well as collaborations with partners. We anticipate that research and development costs will increase in 2016, in support of our strategy to expand our product portfolio.
- Selling, general, and administrative expenses increased from \$5.6 million to \$7.6 million, an increase of 37.4%, primarily due to increased stock-based compensation expense and increases in personnel and related costs, including \$1.3 million of expenses related to the transition of our Chief Financial Officer ("CFO") in the second quarter of 2016. While all expense related to the transition was recognized in the three months ended June 30, 2016, we anticipate that selling, general, and administrative expenses will continue to be greater in 2016 than in 2015 as we support anticipated additional revenue growth.
- Depreciation and amortization increased from \$1.4 million to \$6.0 million, an increase of 320.9%, due primarily to the amortization of the NDAs for Corticotropin and Corticotropin-Zinc and the marketing and distribution rights acquired from H2-Pharma, LLC, both of which were acquired in January 2016, and the amortization of the rights, title, and interest in the NDA for Inderal LA, which was acquired in April 2016, as well as amortization of the ANDAs acquired in July 2015. We anticipate that depreciation and amortization expense will continue to be greater in 2016 than in 2015 as a result of our first and second quarter 2016 asset purchases.

### Other Expense, net

(in thousands)	Three Months Ended June 30,						
		2016		2015		Change	% Change
Interest expense, net	\$	(2,830)	\$	(2,749)	\$	(81)	2.9%
Other expense, net		(12)		-		(12)	(100.0)%
Total other expense	\$	(2,842)	\$	(2,749)	\$	(93)	3.4%

For the three months ended June 30, 2016, we recognized other expense of \$2.8 million versus other expense of \$2.7 million for the same period in 2015, a change of \$0.1 million. Interest expense, net for both periods consists primarily of interest expense on our convertible debt.

### **Provision for Income Taxes**

(in thousands)	Three Months En	nded June 30,		
	2016	2015	Change	% Change
Provision for income taxes	\$ (1,227)	\$ (2,094)	\$ 867	(41.4)%

Our provision for income taxes consists of current and deferred components, which include changes in our deferred tax assets, our deferred tax liabilities, and our valuation allowance.

For interim periods, we recognize an income tax provision/(benefit) based on our estimated annual effective tax rate expected for the entire year. The interim annual estimated effective tax rate is based on the statutory tax rates then in effect, as adjusted for estimated changes in temporary and estimated permanent differences, and excludes certain discreet items whose tax effect is recognized in the interim period in which they occur. We also have elected to exclude the impacts from significant pre-tax non-recognized subsequent events from our interim estimated annual effective rate until the period in which they occur. Our estimated annual effective tax rate changes throughout the year as our on-going estimates of pre-tax income, changes in temporary differences, and permanent differences are revised, and as discreet items occur.

For the three months ended June 30, 2016, we recognized income tax expense of \$1.2 million, versus \$2.1 million for the same period in 2015, a decrease of \$0.9 million. Of the \$1.2 million of total tax expense, \$1.6 million is current expense and \$0.4 million is a net deferred benefit.

Our estimated annual effective tax rate was 53.4% of pre-tax income for the first quarter of 2016, was 52.2% of pre-tax income for the second quarter of 2016, and was 52.8% of pre-tax income for the six months ended June 30, 2016. The decrease in our estimated annual effective tax rate during the first half 2016 was primarily driven by the on-going revisions discussed above, and by the tax effect of discreet items, including changes in our estimated pre-tax income resulting from various asset acquisitions that occurred during the periods and associated changes to temporary differences arising from those asset acquisitions, as well as the impact of current period awards of stock-based compensation, stock option exercises, vesting of restricted stock, and disqualifying dispositions of incentive stock options, all of which impact the estimated annual effective rate in the period in which they occur. The effective tax rate for the three months ended June 30, 2015 was 37.0% of pre-tax income reported in the period, calculated based on the estimated annual effective rate anticipated for the year ending December 31, 2015.

### RESULTS OF OPERATIONS FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED JUNE 30, 2016 AND 2015

### **Net Revenues**

(in thousands)	Six Months Ended June 30,					
		2016		2015	Change	% Change
Generic pharmaceutical products	\$	35,715	\$	26,021	\$ 9,694	37.3%
Branded pharmaceutical products		13,084		6,408	6,676	104.2%
Contract manufacturing		2,550		2,295	255	11.1%
Contract services and other income		543		3,591	(3,048)	(84.9)%
Total net revenues	\$	51,892	\$	38,315	\$ 13,577	35.4%

Net revenues for the six months ended June 30, 2016 were \$51.9 million compared to \$38.3 million for the same period in 2015, an increase of \$13.6 million, or 35.4%, primarily as a result of the following factors:

- Net revenues for generic pharmaceutical products were \$35.7 million during the six months ended June 30, 2016, an increase of 37.3 % compared to \$26.0 million for the same period in 2015. The primary reason for the increase was sales of Propranolol ER and other products launched in the second quarter of 2016, as well as sales of Vancomycin, which was launched under our own label in the fourth quarter of 2015.
  - As described in Note 11, Commitments and Contingencies, in the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report, we market EEMT and Opium Tincture without FDA-approved NDAs. The FDA's policy with respect to the continued marketing of unapproved products appears in the FDA's September 2011 Compliance Policy Guide Sec. 440.100 titled "Marketed New Drugs without Approved NDAs or ANDAs." Under this policy, the FDA has stated that it will follow a risk-based approach with regard to enforcement against marketing of unapproved products. The FDA evaluates whether to initiate enforcement action on a case-by-case basis, but gives higher priority to enforcement action against products in certain categories, such as those with potential safety risks or that lack evidence of effectiveness. While we believe that, so long as we comply with applicable manufacturing standards, the FDA will not take action against us under the current enforcement policy, we can offer no assurances that the FDA will continue this policy or not take a contrary position with any individual product or group of products. Our combined net revenues for these products for the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$18.0 million and \$21.3 million, respectively.
- Net revenues for branded pharmaceutical products were \$13.1 million during the six months ended June 30, 2016, an increase of 104.2% compared to \$6.4 million for the same period in 2015. The primary reason for the increase was sales of Inderal LA, which was launched in the second quarter of 2016, as well as increased unit sales of Vancocin. The increase was partially offset by lower unit sales of Reglan due to decreased purchases by a customer and increased Medicaid utilization and Medicaid rebates for Lithobid and Vancocin. We experience periodic larger orders for our Vancocin product that relate to clinical trials. Such orders constituted \$2.4 million and \$1.5 million of our branded pharmaceutical product revenue for the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015, respectively, and we cannot be sure that such purchases will occur in future periods.

- Contract manufacturing revenues were \$2.6 million during the six months ended June 30, 2016, an increase of 11.1% compared to \$2.3 million for the same period in 2015, due to timing of orders from contract manufacturing customers in the period. As described in Note 11, Commitments and Contingencies, in the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report, we contract manufacture a group of products on behalf of a customer that are marketed by that customer without an FDA-approved NDA. If the FDA took enforcement action against such customer, the customer may be required to seek FDA approval for the group of products or withdraw them from the market. Our contract manufacturing revenues for the group of unapproved products for each of the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.8 million.
- Contract services and other income were \$0.5 million during the six months ended June 30, 2016, a decrease of 84.9% from \$3.6 million for the same period in 2015, due primarily to the lack of royalties received on sales of the authorized generic of Vancocin. In the fourth quarter of 2015, we launched an authorized generic of Vancocin under our own label, which replaced the authorized generic product previously on the market. This decrease was partially offset by royalties related to sales of Fenofibrate, the authorized generic of Lipofen®, the marketing and distribution rights to which we acquired in January 2016. We launched Fenofibrate under our own label in the second quarter of 2016.

As described in Note 11, *Commitments and Contingencies*, in the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report, we receive royalties on the net sales of a group of contract-manufactured products, which are marketed by the customer without an FDA-approved NDA. If the FDA took enforcement action against such customer, the customer may be required to seek FDA approval for the group of products or withdraw them from the market. Our royalties on the net sales of these unapproved products for each of the six months ended June 30, 2016 and 2015 were \$0.2 million.

### **Cost of Sales (Excluding Depreciation and Amortization)**

(in thousands)	Six Months Ended June 30,							
	2016		2015		Change		% Change	
Cost of sales (excl. depreciation and amortization)	\$	15,205	\$	5,892	\$	9,313	158.1%	

For the six months ended June 30, 2016, cost of sales increased to \$15.2 million from \$5.9 million for the same period in 2015, an increase of \$9.3 million or 158.1%, primarily as a result of increased sales of products subject to profit-sharing arrangements, as well as the impact on cost of sales of the excess of fair value over cost for Inderal LA and Propranolol ER inventory sold during the period. Cost of sales as a percentage of net revenues increased to 29.3% during the six months ended June 30, 2016, from 15.4% during same period in 2015, primarily as a result of increased sales of products subject to profit-sharing arrangements, a trend we expect to continue, and the \$2.1 million impact on cost of sales (4.0% as a percent of net revenues) of the excess of fair value over cost for Inderal LA and Propranolol ER inventory sold during the period, a trend which will continue until such time that the inventory purchased from Cranford as a component of the Inderal LA NDA asset purchase is consumed.

We source the raw materials for our products, including API, from both domestic and international suppliers. Generally, only a single source of API is qualified for use in each product due to the cost and time required to validate a second source of supply. Changes in API suppliers usually must be approved by the FDA. As a result, we are dependent upon our current vendors to reliably supply the API required for ongoing product manufacturing. In addition, certain of our API for our drug products, including those that are marketed without approved NDAs or ANDAs, are sourced from international suppliers. From time to time, we have experienced temporary disruptions in the supply of certain of such imported APIs due to FDA inspections.

During the six months ended June 30, 2016, we purchased 29% of our inventory from two suppliers. As of June 30, 2016, amounts payable to these two suppliers totaled \$0.2 million. In the six months ended June 30, 2015, we purchased 40% of our inventory from two suppliers.

In order to manufacture Opium Tincture, Oxycodone capsules, and Oxycodone oral solution, we must receive approval from the DEA for a quota to purchase the amount of opium and oxycodone needed to manufacture the respective products. Without approved quotas from the DEA, we would not be able to purchase these ingredients from our suppliers. As a result, we are dependent upon the DEA to approve quotas large enough to support our continued manufacture of Opium Tincture, Oxycodone capsules, and Oxycodone oral solution.

### **Other Operating Expenses**

(in thousands)	Six Months Ended June 30,					
		2016		2015	Change	% Change
Research and development	\$	1,730	\$	1,398	\$ 332	23.7%
Selling, general, and administrative		13,532		10,302	3,230	31.4%
Depreciation and amortization		10,565		2,742	7,823	285.3%
Total other operating expenses	\$	25,827	\$	14,442	\$ 11,385	78.8%

For the six months ended June 30, 2016, other operating expenses increased to \$25.8 million from \$14.4 million for the same period in 2015, an increase of \$11.4 million, or 78.8%, primarily as a result of the following factors:

- Research and development expenses increased from \$1.4 million to \$1.7 million, an increase of 23.7%, due to timing of work on development projects. Current projects include work on the ANDAs purchased in 2014 and 2015, as well as collaborations with partners. We anticipate that research and development costs will increase in 2016, in support of our strategy to expand our product portfolio.
- Selling, general, and administrative expenses increased from \$10.3 million to \$13.5 million, an increase of 31.4%, primarily due to increased stock-based compensation expense and increases in personnel and related costs, including \$1.3 million of expenses related to the transition of our CFO in the second quarter of 2016. While all expense related to the transition was recognized in the second quarter of 2016, we anticipate that selling, general, and administrative expenses will continue to be greater in 2016 than in 2015 as we support anticipated additional revenue growth.
- Depreciation and amortization increased from \$2.7 million to \$10.6 million, an increase of 285.3%, due primarily to the amortization of the NDAs for Corticotropin and Corticotropin-Zinc and the marketing and distribution rights acquired from H2-Pharma, LLC, both of which were acquired in January 2016, and the amortization of the rights, title, and interest in the NDA for Inderal LA, which was acquired in April 2016, as well as amortization of the ANDAs acquired in July 2015. We anticipate that depreciation and amortization expense will continue to be greater in 2016 than in 2015 as a result of our first and second quarter 2016 asset purchases.

### Other Expense, net

(in thousands)	Six Months Ended June 30,				
		2016	2015	Change	% Change
Interest expense, net	\$	(5,612) \$	(5,474)	\$ (138)	2.5%
Other (expense)/income, net		(10)	68	(78)	(114.7)%
Total other expense	\$	(5,622) \$	(5,406)	\$ (216)	4.0%

For the six months ended June 30, 2016, we recognized other expense of \$5.6 million, an increase of \$0.2 million from other expense of \$5.4 million for the same period in 2015. Interest expense, net for both periods consists primarily of interest expense on our convertible debt.

### **Provision for Income Taxes**

Our provision for income taxes consists of current and deferred components, which include changes in our deferred tax assets, our deferred tax liabilities, and our valuation allowance.

(in thousands)	Si	x Months Ende	ed June 30,		
		2016	2015	Change	% Change
Provision for income taxes	\$	(2,767) \$	(4,635)	\$ 1,868	(40.3)%

For the six months ended June 30, 2016, we recognized income tax expense of \$2.8 million, versus income tax expense of \$4.6 million for the same period in 2015, a decrease of \$1.8 million. Of the \$2.8 million of total tax expense, \$3.2 million is current expense and \$0.4 million is a net deferred benefit.

Our estimated annual effective tax rate was 53.4% of pre-tax income for the first quarter of 2016, was 52.2% of pre-tax income for the second quarter of 2016, and was 52.8% of pre-tax income for the six months ended June 30, 2016. The decrease in our estimated annual effective tax rate during the first half 2016 was primarily driven by the on-going revisions discussed above, and by the tax effect of discreet items, including changes in our estimated pre-tax income resulting from various asset acquisitions that occurred during the periods and associated changes to temporary differences arising from those asset acquisitions, as well as the impact of current period awards of stock-based compensation, stock option exercises, vesting of restricted stock, and disqualifying dispositions of incentive stock options, all of which impact the estimated annual effective rate in the period in which they occur. The effective tax rate for the six months ended June 30, 2015 was 36.9% of pre-tax income reported in the period, calculated based on the estimated annual effective rate anticipated for the year ending December 31, 2015.

### LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES

The following table highlights selected liquidity and working capital information from our balance sheets:

(in thousands)	June 30, 2016	De	cember 31, 2015
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 15,014	\$	154,684
Accounts receivable, net	35,562		21,932
Inventories, net	25,052		13,387
Prepaid income taxes	150		1,127
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	4,046		1,453
Total current assets	\$ 79,824	\$	192,583
Accounts payable	\$ 4,961	\$	2,066
Accrued expenses and other	770		617
Accrued royalties	8,110		606
Accrued compensation and related expenses	1,071		1,188
Accrued Medicaid rebates	6,509		4,631
Returned goods reserve	3,309		2,648
Total current liabilities	\$ 24,730	\$	11,756

At June 30, 2016, we had \$15.0 million in unrestricted cash and cash equivalents. At December 31, 2015, we had \$15.4.7 million in unrestricted cash and cash equivalents. We generated \$14.3 million of cash flows from operations in the six months ended June 30, 2016. In the first quarter of 2016, we purchased from Merck Sharp & Dohme B.V. the NDAs for Corticotropin and Corticotropin-Zinc and the associated product rights and manufacturing licenses for \$75.0 million in cash and a percentage of future net sales of the products under the NDAs. In the first quarter of 2016 we purchased from H2-Pharma, LLC the rights to market, sell, and distribute two products for \$8.8 million in cash and the assumption of an accrued royalty of \$1.2 million, for a total of \$10.0 million in consideration. In the second quarter of 2016, we purchased from Cranford Pharmaceuticals, LLC the rights, title, and interest in the NDA for Inderal LA, as well as certain documentation, trademark rights, and finished goods for \$60.0 million in cash and milestone payments based on future gross profits from sales of products under the NDA. In addition, at closing, we transferred \$5.0 million to an escrow account as security for future milestone payments.

In May 2016, we entered into a credit arrangement (the "Line of Credit") with Citizens Bank Capital, a division of Citizens Asset Finance, Inc. that provided for a \$30.0 million asset-based revolving credit loan facility. As of June 30, 2016, we had no outstanding balance on the Line of Credit, and our available borrowing base was \$30.0 million.

We are focused on expanding our business and product pipeline through collaborations, and also through acquisitions of products and companies. We are continually evaluating potential asset acquisitions and business combinations. To finance such acquisitions, we might raise additional equity capital, incur additional debt, or both.

We believe that our financial resources, consisting of current working capital, anticipated future operating revenue, and our revolving line of credit facility, will be sufficient to enable us to meet our working capital requirements for at least the next 12 months.

The following table summarizes the net cash and cash equivalents provided by/(used in) operating activities, investing activities, and financing activities for the periods indicated:

(in thousands)	Six M	Six Months Ended June 30,	
	2016		2015
Operating Activities	\$	14,306 \$	2,326
Investing Activities	\$ (1	51,583) \$	(4,810)
Financing Activities	\$	(2,393) \$	178

#### **Net Cash Provided By Operations**

Net cash provided by operating activities was \$14.3 million for the six months ended June 30, 2016, compared to \$2.3 million provided by operating activities during the same period in 2015, an increase of \$12.0 million between the periods. This increase was principally due to increased sales volume and corresponding gross profit dollars, somewhat tempered by increased expenditures in support of the growth of the business.

# **Net Cash Used In Investing Activities**

Net cash used in investing activities for the six months ended June 30, 2016 was \$151.6 million, principally due to the January 2016 asset acquisition of the NDAs for Corticotropin and Corticotropin-Zinc for \$75.3 million, the January 2016 payment of \$8.8 million to H2-Pharma, LLC for marketing and distribution rights associated with two products, the April 2016 payment of \$60.0 million for the asset acquisition of the NDA for Inderal LA, an increase in restricted cash of \$5.0 million from the transfer of \$5.0 million to an escrow account as security for future milestone payments in relation to the Inderal LA asset acquisition, and \$2.1 million of capital expenditures during the period. Net cash used in investing activities was \$4.8 million during the same period in 2015, principally due to the \$4.5 million asset acquisition of the ANDA for Flecainide, in addition to \$0.3 million of capital expenditures during the period.

## Net Cash (Used In)/Provided By Financing Activities

Net cash used in financing activities was \$2.4 million for the six months ended June 30, 2016, principally due to the \$2.5 million repurchase of the Company's common stock under our Stock Repurchase Program and \$0.3 million of debt issuance costs paid in relation to the Line of Credit, partially offset by \$0.5 million of proceeds from stock option exercises. Net cash provided by financing activities was \$0.2 million during the same period in 2015, resulting primarily from proceeds from stock option exercises and excess tax benefit from stock-based compensation awards.

## CRITICAL ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND USE OF ESTIMATES

This Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations is based on our unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements, which have been prepared in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America ("U.S. GAAP"). The preparation of financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires us to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and the reported amount of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. In our unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements, estimates are used for, but not limited to, stock-based compensation, allowance for doubtful accounts, accruals for chargebacks, administrative fees and rebates, returns and other allowances, allowance for inventory obsolescence, accruals for contingent liabilities and litigation, fair value of long-lived assets, income tax provision, deferred taxes and valuation allowance, purchase price allocations, and the depreciable and amortizable lives of long-lived assets.

A summary of our significant accounting policies is included in Item 8. Consolidated Financial Statements, Note 1 — Description of Business and Summary of Significant Accounting Policies, in our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015. Certain of our accounting policies are considered critical, as these policies require significant, difficult or complex judgments by management, often requiring the use of estimates about the effects of matters that are inherently uncertain. Such policies are summarized in Item 7. "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015.

## RECENTLY ISSUED ACCOUNTING PRONOUNCEMENTS

In March 2016, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued guidance simplifying the accounting for and financial statement disclosure of stock-based compensation awards. Under the guidance, all excess tax benefits and tax deficiencies related to stock-based compensation awards are to be recognized as income tax expenses or benefits in the income statement and excess tax benefits should be classified along with other income tax cash flows in the operating activities section of the statement of cash flows. Under the guidance, companies can also elect to either estimate the number of awards that are expected to vest or account for forfeitures as they occur. In addition, the guidance amends some of the other stock-based compensation awards guidance to more clearly articulate the requirements and cash flow presentation for withholding shares for tax-withholding purposes. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016 and early adoption is permitted, though all amendments of the guidance must be adopted in the same period. The adoption of certain amendments of the guidance must be applied either on a modified retrospective basis or retrospectively to all periods presented. We are currently evaluating the impact that this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

In March 2016, the FASB issued guidance to clarify the requirements for assessing whether contingent call or put options that can accelerate the payment of principal on debt instruments are clearly and closely related to their debt hosts. The amendments of this guidance are effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016, and early adoption is permitted. Entities are required to apply the guidance to existing debt instruments using a modified retrospective transition method as of the beginning of the fiscal year of adoption. We adopted this guidance in the first quarter of 2016, effective as of January 1, 2016, on a modified retrospective basis. The adoption of this new guidance did not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

In February 2016, the FASB issued guidance for accounting for leases. The guidance requires lessees to recognize assets and liabilities related to long-term leases on the balance sheet and expands disclosure requirements regarding leasing arrangements. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2018 and early adoption is permitted. The guidance must be adopted on a modified retrospective basis and provides for certain practical expedients. We are currently evaluating the impact that this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

In November 2015, the FASB issued guidance simplifying the balance sheet classification of deferred taxes. The new guidance requires that all deferred taxes be presented as noncurrent, rather than separated into current and noncurrent amounts. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016 and early adoption is permitted. In addition, the adoption of guidance can be applied either prospectively or retrospectively to all periods presented. We adopted this guidance for the year ended December 31, 2015 on a retrospective basis, and all periods are presented under this guidance.

In July 2015, the FASB issued guidance for inventory. Under the guidance, an entity should measure inventory within the scope of this guidance at the lower of cost and net realizable value, except when inventory is measured using the last in first out ("LIFO") method or the retail inventory method. Net realizable value is the estimated selling price in the ordinary course of business, less reasonably predictable costs of completion, disposal, and transportation. In addition, the FASB has amended some of the other inventory guidance to more clearly articulate the requirements for the measurement and disclosure of inventory. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016. The guidance should be applied prospectively, with earlier application permitted. We adopted this guidance in the first quarter of 2016, effective as of January 1, 2016, on a prospective basis. The adoption of this new guidance did not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

In April 2015, the FASB issued guidance as to whether a cloud computing arrangement (e.g., software as a service, platform as a service, infrastructure as a service, and other similar hosting arrangements) includes a software license and, based on that determination, how to account for such arrangements. If a cloud computing arrangement includes a software license, then the customer should account for the software license element of the arrangement consistent with the acquisition of other software licenses. If a cloud computing arrangement does not include a software license, the customer should account for the arrangement as a service contract. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015, and can be adopted on either a prospective or retrospective basis. We adopted this guidance in the first quarter of 2016, effective as of January 1, 2016, on a prospective basis. The adoption of this new guidance did not have a material impact on our consolidated financial statements.

In April 2015, the FASB issued guidance to simplify the balance sheet disclosure for debt issuance costs. Under the guidance, debt issuance costs related to a recognized debt liability are presented in the balance sheet as a direct deduction from the carrying amount of that debt liability, in the same manner as debt discounts, rather than as an asset. In August 2015, the FASB issued guidance clarifying debt issuance costs related to line-of-credit arrangements, which guidance states that the SEC does not object to an entity deferring and presenting debt issuance costs as an asset and subsequently amortizing the deferred debt issuance costs ratably over the term of the line-of-credit arrangement, regardless of whether there are any outstanding borrowings on the line-of-credit. The guidance is effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2015 and must be adopted on a retrospective basis. Early adoption is permitted. We adopted this guidance for the year ended December 31, 2015 on a retrospective basis, and all periods are presented under this guidance.

In May 2014, the FASB issued guidance for revenue recognition for contracts, superseding the previous revenue recognition requirements, along with most existing industry-specific guidance. The guidance requires an entity to review contracts in five steps: 1) identify the contract, 2) identify performance obligations, 3) determine the transaction price, 4) allocate the transaction price, and 5) recognize revenue. The new standard will result in enhanced disclosures regarding the nature, amount, timing, and uncertainty of revenue arising from contracts with customers. In August 2015, the FASB issued guidance approving a one-year deferral, making the standard effective for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2017, with early adoption permitted only for reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016. In March 2016, the FASB issued guidance to clarify the implementation guidance on principal versus agent considerations for reporting revenue gross rather than net, with the same deferred effective date. In April 2016, the FASB issued guidance to clarify the implementation guidance on identifying performance obligations and the accounting for licenses of intellectual property, with the same deferred effective date. In May 2016, the FASB issued guidance rescinding SEC paragraphs related to revenue recognition, pursuant to two SEC Staff Announcements at the March 3, 2016 Emerging Issues Task Force meeting. In May 2016, the FASB also issued guidance to clarify the implementation guidance on assessing collectability, presentation of sales tax, noncash consideration, and contract modifications at transition, with the same effective date. We are currently evaluating the impact, if any, that this guidance will have on our consolidated financial statements.

### CONTRACTUAL OBLIGATIONS AND OFF-BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS

In addition to the specified contractual obligations set forth in the contractual obligations information provided in Item 7. "Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations" of our Annual Report on Form 10-K for the year ended December 31, 2015, the following obligations were incurred or discharged during six months ending June 30, 2016:

In January 2016, we purchased from Merck Sharp & Dohme B.V. the NDAs for two previously marketed generic drug products for \$75.0 million in cash
and a percentage of future net sales from product sales.

As of June 30, 2016 and December 31, 2015, we did not have any off-balance sheet arrangements, as defined in Item 303(a)(4)(ii) of Regulation S-K promulgated by the SEC.

#### Item 3. Quantitative and Qualitative Disclosures About Market Risk

Market risks include interest rate risk, foreign currency exchange rate risk, commodity price risk, and other relevant market rate or price risks. Of these risks, only interest rate risk could have a significant impact on our results of operations.

As of June 30, 2016, our principal debt obligation was related to our Notes. In order to reduce the potential equity dilution that would result upon conversion of the Senior Convertible Notes issued in December 2014, we entered into note hedge transactions with a financial institution affiliated with one of the underwriters of the Senior Convertible Note offering. The note hedge transactions are expected generally, but not guaranteed, to reduce the potential dilution to our common stock and/or offset the cash payments we are required to make in excess of the principal amount upon any conversion of Senior Convertible Notes, in the event that the market price per share of our common stock, as measured under the terms of the Convertible Note Hedge Transactions, is greater than the conversion price of the Senior Convertible Notes, which is initially approximately \$69.48. In addition, in order to partially offset the cost of the note hedge transactions, we issued warrants to the hedge counterparty to purchase approximately 2.1 million shares of our common stock at a strike price of \$96.21. The warrants would separately have a dilutive effect to the extent that the market value per share of our common stock exceeds the strike price of the warrants. In addition, non-performance by the counterparties under the hedge transactions would potentially expose us to dilution of our common stock to the extent our stock price exceeds the conversion price.

Interest on the Notes accrues at a fixed rate of 3.0% on the outstanding principal amount of the Notes and is paid semi-annually every December 1st and June 1st until the Notes mature on December 1, 2019. Since the interest rate is fixed, we have no interest-rate market risk related to the Notes. However, if our stock price increases, the fair value of our Notes, and their likelihood of being converted, will increase accordingly.

On May 12, 2016, we entered into a credit agreement (the "Line of Credit") with Citizens Business Capital, a division of Citizens Asset Finance, Inc. (the "Citizens Agreement"). The Citizens Agreement provides for a \$30.0 million asset-based revolving credit loan facility. Amounts drawn bear an interest rate equal to, at our option, either a LIBOR rate plus 1.25%, 1.50%, or 1.75% per annum, depending upon availability under the Citizens Agreement or an alternative base rate plus either 0.25%, 0.50%, or 0.75% per annum, depending upon availability under the Citizens Agreement. We incur a commitment fee on undrawn amounts equal to 0.25% per annum. As of June 30, 2016, we had no outstanding balance on the Line of Credit.

We are exposed to risks associated with changes in interest rates. The returns from certain of our cash and cash equivalents will vary as short-term interest rates change. A 100 basis-point adverse movement (decrease) in short-term interest rates would decrease the interest income earned on our cash balance in the three and six months ended June 30, 2016 by approximately \$1 thousand and \$3 thousand, respectively.

### **Item 4. Controls and Procedures**

#### **Evaluation of Disclosure Controls and Procedures**

Disclosure controls and procedures are controls and other procedures that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our reports filed or submitted under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the "Exchange Act"), is recorded, processed, summarized, and reported within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms. Disclosure controls and procedures include, without limitation, controls and procedures designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our reports filed under the Exchange Act is accumulated and communicated to management, including our principal executive officer and principal financial officer, as appropriate, to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure.

Our management has carried out an evaluation, under the supervision and with the participation of our principal executive officer and principal financial officer, of the effectiveness of the design and operation of our disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e) under the Exchange Act), as of June 30, 2016. Based upon that evaluation, our principal executive officer and principal financial officer concluded that, as of the end of the period covered by this report, our disclosure controls and procedures were effective. In designing and evaluating our disclosure controls and procedures, we recognize that any controls and procedures, no matter how well designed and operated, can provide only reasonable assurance of achieving the desired control objectives.

### Changes in Internal Control over Financial Reporting

There were no changes in our internal control over financial reporting during the quarter ended June 30, 2016 that have materially affected, or are reasonably likely to materially affect, our internal control over financial reporting.

### Part II — OTHER INFORMATION

### Item 1. Legal Proceedings

Please refer to Note 11, Commitments and Contingencies, in the unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements included in Part I, Item 1 of this Form 10-Q quarterly report, which is incorporated into this item by reference.

### Item 1A. Risk Factors

In addition to the other information set forth in this report, please carefully consider the factors described in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2015 under the heading "Part I — Item 1A. Risk Factors." The risks described are not the only risks facing us. Additional risks and uncertainties not currently known to us, or that our management currently deems to be immaterial, also may adversely affect our business, financial condition, and/or operating results. There have been no material changes to those risk factors since their disclosure in our most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K.

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None.

Item 3. Defaults Upon Senior Securities

None.

Item 4. Mine Safety Disclosures

None.

# Item 5. Other Information

None.

# Item 6. Exhibits

The exhibits listed in the Index to Exhibits, which is incorporated herein by reference, are filed or furnished as part of this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q.

## **SIGNATURES**

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the Registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (Registrant)

Date: August 4, 2016 By: /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Arthur S. Przybyl President and

Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer)

Date: August 4, 2016 By: /s/ Stephen P. Carey

Stephen P. Carey Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (principal financial officer)

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## ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC., ANIP ACQUISITION COMPANY, as Borrowers

and

ANIP PARTNER, LLC, AP EUROPEAN HOLDINGS, LLC, ANIP CO-OP, LLC, as Guarantors

# LOAN AND SECURITY AGREEMENT

Dated: May 12, 2016

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CITIZENS BUSINESS CAPITAL, A division of Citizens Asset Finance, Inc., Individually and as Administrative Agent and Collateral Agent for any Lender which is or becomes a party hereto

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### LOAN AND SECURITY AGREEMENT

THIS LOAN AND SECURITY AGREEMENT (this "Agreement") is made as of this 12th day of May, 2016, by and among CITIZENS BUSINESS CAPITAL, a division of Citizens Asset Finance, Inc., a New York corporation ("Citizens"), individually as a Lender, as administrative agent (in such capacity, "Administrative Agent") for itself and any other financial institution which is or becomes a party hereto as a lender in accordance with the terms hereof (each such financial institution, including Citizens, is referred to hereinafter individually as a "Lender" and collectively as the "Lenders"), and as collateral agent (in such capacity, "Collateral Agent") for the Lenders, the Lenders and ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc., a Delaware corporation ("Parent"), and its Subsidiary, ANIP Acquisition Company, a Delaware ("ANIP", and together with Parent, jointly and severally, individually a "Borrower" and collectively "Borrowers"), and the following Subsidiaries of the Borrowers, as guarantors: ANIP Partner, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Partner"), AP European Holdings, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company ("Co-op", and together with Partner and European, jointly and severally, individually a "Guarantor" and collectively "Guarantors").

#### **SECTION 1. DEFINED TERMS**

Definitions. When used herein: (a) the terms Account, Certificated Security, Chattel Paper, Commercial Tort Claims, Deposit Account, Document, Electronic Chattel Paper, Equipment, Financial Asset, Fixture, General Intangibles, Goods, Instruments, Inventory, Investment Property, Letter of Credit Rights, Payment Intangibles, Proceeds, Security, Security Entitlement, Software, Supporting Obligations, Tangible Chattel Paper and Uncertificated Security have the respective meanings assigned thereto under the UCC; (b) all terms reflecting Collateral having the meanings assigned thereto under the UCC shall be deemed to mean such Property, whether now owned or hereafter created or acquired by any Loan Party or in which such Loan Party now has or hereafter acquires any interest; and (c) the following terms shall have the following meanings (terms defined in the singular to have the same meaning when used in the plural and vice versa):

Account Debtor - any Person who is or may become obligated under or on account of any Account, Contract Right, Chattel Paper or General Intangible.

Adjusted EBITDA – for any fiscal twelve (12) month period, Consolidated Net Income for such period, plus or minus, as applicable, to the extent deducted or added in determining such Consolidated Net Income, the sum, without duplication, of:

- (i) Interest Expense for such period,
- (ii) federal, state, local and foreign income taxes payable with respect to such period,
- (iii) depreciation, amortization and, to the extent they do not result in a cash charge or expense in any future period, other non-cash charges and expenses, including amortization of goodwill, debt issue costs and amortization under FAS Rule 123 for such period,

- (iv) non-cash deductions or charges to net income attributable to purchase accounting adjustments made in accordance with GAAP and taken in such period,
  - (v) transaction expenses related to the Closing Date Transactions in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$300,000 during such period,
  - (vi) non-cash charges incurred during such period with respect to stock based compensation to employees and directors of the Loan Parties,
  - (vii) upfront cash payments in respect of any "swap" contracts made in such period,
- (viii) in each case to the extent calculated in good faith, the amount of any one (1) time restructuring charge, reserve, integration cost or other business optimization expense or cost that is deducted in such period (and not added back), including charges directly related to implementation of cost-savings initiatives, including, without limitation, severance, retention, signing bonuses, relocation, recruiting and other employee related costs,
- (ix) any provision for the reduction in carrying value of assets recorded in accordance with GAAP and any non-cash gains or losses resulting from mark to market activity,
- (x) the amount of any expenses, charges or losses for such period that are covered by indemnification or other reimbursement provisions in connection with any acquisition, investment, Restricted Payment, issuance of Equity Interests or other incurrence of Indebtedness or disposition permitted hereunder, so long as Borrowers have made a determination that a reasonable basis exists for indemnification or reimbursement and then only to the extent actually reimbursed within 365 days of such date of determination, plus
- (xi) non-recurring costs, fees, expenses and charges incurred in such period related to any consummated Permitted Acquisition or other acquisition or disposition of assets permitted hereunder or any issuance of Equity Interests or incurrence of other Indebtedness or disposition permitted hereunder (whether or not such transaction was completed) in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$500,000 during such period.

For the purposes of calculating Adjusted EBITDA during any period in which a Permitted Acquisition has occurred, Adjusted EBITDA for such period shall be calculated after giving pro forma effect thereto as if such Permitted Acquisition occurred on the first day of such period.

Administrative Agent – as defined in the preamble to this Agreement and any successor in that capacity appointed pursuant to Section 12.8.

Affiliate – a Person (other than a Subsidiary): (i) which directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries controls, or is controlled by, or is under common control with, a Person; (ii) which beneficially owns or holds 35% or more of any class of the Voting Stock of a Person; or (iii) 35% or more of the Voting Stock (or in the case of a Person which is not a corporation, 35% or more of the equity interest) of which is beneficially owned or held by a Person or a Subsidiary of a Person.

Agent – each of Administrative Agent and Collateral Agent, both individually and collectively.

Aggregate Loan Commitment – with respect to any Lender, the amount of such Lender's Revolving Credit Commitment.

Aggregate Percentage — with respect to each Lender, the percentage equal to the quotient of (i) such Lender's Aggregate Loan Commitment divided by (ii) the total of all Aggregate Loan Commitments.

Aggregate Revolving Extensions – at any time, the sum of (i) the outstanding principal balance of all Revolving Credit Loans plus (ii) the LC Amount.

<u>Agreement</u> – as defined in the preamble to this Agreement, including all Exhibits and Schedules thereto, as each of the same may be amended from time to time.

AmerisourceBergen – means AmerisourceBergen Drug Corporation and its Affiliates.

Anti-Terrorism Laws - any laws of the United States relating to terrorism or money laundering, including the Patriot Act.

Applicable Law – all laws, rules, regulations and governmental guidelines applicable to the Person, conduct, transaction, agreement or matter in question, including all applicable statutory law, common law and equitable principles, and all provisions of constitutions, treaties, statutes, rules, regulations, orders and decrees of Governmental Authorities.

Applicable Margin – from the Closing Date to, but not including, the first Adjustment Date (as hereinafter defined) the percentages set forth below as Level I.

The Applicable Margins will be adjusted on the first day of each fiscal quarter, commencing with the fiscal quarter ending June 30, 2016 (each such date an "Adjustment Date"), effective prospectively, by reference to the applicable "Financial Measurement" (as defined below) for the quarter most recently ending in accordance with the following:

		Base Rate Revolving Credit	LIBOR Revolving Credit
Level	Financial Measurement	Loans	Loans
I	Greater than or equal to 67%	0.25%	1.25%
II	Less than 67% but greater than or equal to 33%	0.50%	1.50%
III	Less than 33%	0.75%	1.75%

For purposes hereof, "Financial Measurement" shall mean the Quarterly Average Availability Percentage.

<u>Assignment and Acceptance Agreement</u> – an assignment and acceptance agreement in substantially the form of <u>Exhibit 13.5</u> hereto pursuant to which a Lender assigns to another Lender all or any portion of any of such Lender's Revolving Credit Commitment, as permitted pursuant to the terms hereof.

Availability – the difference derived when the amount of the Aggregate Revolving Extensions at any time is subtracted from the Line Cap at such time.

Bank - Citizens Bank, National Association.

Bankruptcy Code - Title 11 of the United States Code.

Base Rate – for any day the greatest of: (i) the rate of interest announced or otherwise established by Administrative Agent from time to time as its prime commercial rate, or its equivalent, for U.S. Dollar loans to borrowers located in the United States as in effect on such day, with any change in the Base Rate resulting from a change in such prime commercial rate to be effective as of the date of the relevant change in such prime commercial rate (it being acknowledged and agreed that such rate may not be Administrative Agent's best or lowest rate), (ii) the sum of (x) the rate determined by Administrative Agent to be the average (rounded upward, if necessary, to the next higher of 1/100 of 1%) of the rates per annum quoted to Administrative Agent at approximately 10:00 a.m. (New York time) (or as soon thereafter as is practicable) on such day (or, if such day is not a Business Day, on the immediately preceding Business Day) by two or more Federal funds brokers selected by Administrative Agent for sale to Administrative Agent at face value of Federal funds in the secondary market in an amount equal or comparable to the principal amount owed to Administrative Agent for which such rate is being determined, plus (y) 0.50%, and (iii) the sum of (x) the then applicable LIBOR Lending Rate for one month interest periods and (y) 1.00%.

Base Rate Loans - any Base Rate Revolving Credit Loan.

<u>Base Rate Revolving Credit Loan</u> – any Revolving Credit Loan for the periods when the rate of interest applicable to such Revolving Credit Loan is calculated by reference to the Base Rate.

Borrower(s) - as defined in the preamble to this Agreement and each other Person who is joined as a "Borrower" hereto.

Borrower Representative - Parent.

Borrowing Base – as at any date of determination thereof, an amount equal to the sum of:

- (i) 85% of the net amount of Eligible Accounts; plus
- (ii) 65% of the Value of Eligible Unappraised Finished Goods Inventory at such date; <u>plus</u>
- (iii) 50% of the Value of Eligible Acquisition Inventory at such date (provided that the aggregate amount advanced pursuant to subclause (ii) above and this subclause (iii) shall not exceed the Inventory Cap); <u>plus</u>

(iv) without duplication of the Inventory included pursuant to subparagraphs (ii) and (iii) above, the lesser of (a) 65% of the Value of Eligible Inventory (calculated by category), as of such date or (b) 85% of the NOLV of Eligible Inventory (calculated by category) at such date; minus

## (v) Reserves.

For purposes hereof, (1) the net amount of Eligible Accounts at any time shall be the face amount of such Eligible Accounts less any and all returns, rebates, discounts, chargebacks, debit memos (which may, at Collateral Agent's option, be calculated on shortest terms), credits, allowances or excise taxes of any nature at any time issued, owing, claimed by Account Debtors, granted, outstanding or payable in connection with such Accounts at such time, and (2) the amount of Eligible Inventory shall be determined on a first-in, first-out basis and at the lower of cost or market value in accordance with GAAP.

Borrowing Base Certificate – a certificate executed by a responsible officer of Borrower Representative, on the Borrower's behalf and on behalf of all other Loan Parties, substantially in the form of Exhibit 9.1.4 setting forth the calculation of the Borrowing Base, including a calculation of each component thereof, all in such detail as shall be reasonably satisfactory to Collateral Agent. All calculations of the Borrowing Base in connection with the preparation of any Borrowing Base Certificate shall originally be made by the Loan Parties and certified to Collateral Agent; provided that Collateral Agent shall have the right to review and adjust, in the exercise of its reasonable credit judgment, any such calculation after giving notice thereof to the Loan Parties, to the extent that Collateral Agent determines that such calculation is not in accordance with this Agreement.

<u>Business Day</u> – any day excluding Saturday, Sunday and any day which is a legal holiday under the laws the State of New York or is a day on which banking institutions located in the State of New York are closed and, when used in connection with LIBOR Loans, shall also exclude any day on which banks are closed for dealings in U.S. dollar deposits in the London interbank market.

Cardinal Heath – means Cardinal Health, Inc. and its Affiliates.

<u>Capital Expenditures</u> – expenditures made or liabilities incurred for the acquisition of any fixed capital assets (excluding normal replacements and maintenance which are properly charged to current operations) replacements, substitutions or additions thereto which have a useful life of more than one year, including the total principal portion of Capitalized Lease Obligations, in each case to the extent required to be capitalized under GAAP. For purposes of this definition, Capital Expenditures shall not include (i) the purchase price paid in connection with any acquisition of assets made in the calendar year of the Closing Date, any Permitted Acquisition or any other acquisition of assets permitted in accordance with the terms hereof, (ii) any additions to property, plant and equipment and other capital expenditures made with (A) the proceeds of any equity investment in the Loan Parties, (B) the application of net cash proceeds in accordance with <u>Section 4.3.1</u> or (iii) any expenditures which are contractually required to be, and are, reimbursed to the Loan Parties in cash by a third party (including landlords) during or in respect of such period of calculation, (iv) expenditures made with the proceeds of awards or compensation arising from the taking by eminent domain or condemnation of assets which proceeds are used to replace or restore the asset which was the subject of such eminent domain or condemnation, or (v) the assets acquired in connection with any Capital Lease Obligations incurred during such period; provided that for the purposes of <u>clause (ii)</u> (B), expenditures shall be included in Capital Expenditures only to the extent of the gross amount by which such purchase price exceeds the net cash proceeds so applied.

<u>Capitalized Lease Obligation</u> – any obligations under a lease that is required to be capitalized for financial reporting purposes in accordance with GAAP, other than real estate lease obligations that are required to be capitalized due to a change in GAAP after the date hereof.

<u>Cash Dominion Trigger Event</u> – any of (a) the occurrence of an Event of Default, or (b) the failure of the Loan Parties to maintain Availability of the greater of (i) \$4,500,000, or (ii) 15% of the Line Cap and such failure continues for a period of five (5) consecutive Business Days. A Cash Dominion Trigger Event shall continue (a) so long as an Event of Default is continuing and has not been cured or waived, and (b) until Availability is equal to or greater than the greater of (i) \$4,500,000, and (ii) 15% of the Line Cap for a period of thirty (30) consecutive days.

Cash Equivalents – (i) direct obligations of the United States of America, or any agency or instrumentality thereof or obligations guaranteed or insured by the United States of America or any agency or instrumentality thereof; provided that such obligations mature within one year from the date of acquisition thereof, (ii) certificates of deposit, time deposits and bankers' acceptances maturing within one year from the date of acquisition and overnight bank deposits, in each case, which are issued by a commercial bank organized under the laws of the United States or any state or district thereof, rated A-2 (or better) by S&P or P-2 (or better) by Moody's at the time of acquisition, and (unless issued by a Lender) not subject to offset rights, (iii) commercial paper rated A-2 (or better) by S&P or P-2 (or better) by Moody's at the time of acquisition and maturing not more than two hundred seventy (270) days from the date of creation thereof, (iv) fully collateralized repurchase obligations with a term of not more than thirty (30) days for underlying investments of the types described in clause (i) and entered into with any bank meeting the qualifications specified in clause (ii), and (v) shares of any money market fund that has substantially all of its assets invested continuously in the types of investments referred to in clauses (i) through (iv) above, has net assets of at least \$500,000,000 and has the highest rating obtainable from either Moody's or S&P.

CERCLA - the Comprehensive Environmental Response Compensation and Liability Act (42 U.S.C. § 9601 et seq.).

CFC – a Person that is a controlled foreign corporation under Section 957 of the Code.

Change in Law – the adoption of any Applicable Law (whether or not having the force of law), or any change therein, or any change in the interpretation or administration thereof by any Governmental Authority, central bank or comparable agency charged with the interpretation or administration thereof, or compliance by Administrative Agent or any Lender with any request or directive (whether or not having the force of law) of any such authority, central bank or comparable agency occurring after the Closing Date (or, with respect to any Lender, such later date on which it shall have become a Lender hereunder). Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, (x) the Dodd-Frank Wall Street Reform and Consumer Protection Act and all requests, rules, guidelines or directives thereunder or issued in connection therewith and (y) all requests, rules, guidelines or directives promulgated by the Bank for International Settlements, the Basel Committee on Banking Supervision (or any successor or similar authority) or the United States or foreign regulatory authorities, in each case pursuant to Basel III, shall in each case be deemed to be a "Change in Law" regardless of the date enacted, adopted or issued.

## <u>Change of Control</u> – means that after the Closing Date:

- (a) any Person or Group (within the meaning of the Securities and Exchange Act of 1934 and the rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission promulgated thereunder), shall have acquired beneficial ownership, directly or indirectly, of Equity Interests of Parent (or other securities convertible into such Equity Interests) representing 35% or more of the combined voting power of all Equity Interests of Parent entitled (without regard to the occurrence of any contingency) to vote for the election of members of the Board of Directors of Parent;
- (b) any Person or two or more Persons acting in concert, shall have acquired by contract or otherwise, or shall have entered into a contract or arrangement that, upon consummation thereof, will result in its or their acquisition of the power to exercise, directly or indirectly, a controlling influence over the management or policies of Parent or control over the Equity Interests of such Person entitled to vote for members of the Board of Directors of Parent on a fully-diluted basis (and taking into account all such Equity Interests that such Person or group has the right to acquire pursuant to any option right) representing 35% or more of the combined voting power of such Equity Interests;
- (c) during any period of 24 consecutive months commencing on or after the Closing Date, the occurrence of a change in the composition of the Board of Directors of Parent such that a majority of the members of such Board of Directors are not Continuing Directors;
  - (d) a "Change of Control" as defined in the Convertible Note Documents; and
  - (e) Parent fails to own and control, directly or indirectly, 100% of the Equity Interests of each other Loan Party, except as otherwise permitted hereunder.

<u>Citizens</u> – as defined in the preamble to this Agreement.

Closing Date - May 12, 2016.

Closing Date Transactions – the initial incurrence of the Loans and other Obligations hereunder and under the other Loan Documents.

Code – the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

<u>Collateral</u> – all of the Property and interests in Property described in <u>Section 6</u>, and all other Property and interests in Property that now or hereafter secure the payment and performance of any of the Obligations.

Collateral Agent – as defined in the preamble to this Agreement and any successor in that capacity appointed pursuant to Section 12.8.

Commodity Exchange Act - the Commodity Exchange Act (7 U.S.C. §1 et seq.), as amended from time to time, and any successor statute.

Compliance Certificate – as defined in subsection 9.1.3.

Computer Hardware and Software – all of any Loan Party's rights (including rights as licensee and lessee) with respect to (i) computer and other electronic data processing hardware, including all integrated computer systems, central processing units, memory units, display terminals, printers, computer elements, card readers, tape drives, hard and soft disk drives, cables, electrical supply hardware, generators, power equalizers, accessories, peripheral devices and other related computer hardware; (ii) all Software and all software programs designed for use on the computers and electronic data processing hardware described in clause (i) above, including all operating system software, utilities and application programs in any form (source code and object code in magnetic tape, disk or hard copy format or any other listings whatsoever); (iii) any firmware associated with any of the foregoing; and (iv) any documentation for hardware, Software and firmware described in clauses (i), (ii) and (iii) above, including flow charts, logic diagrams, manuals, specifications, training materials, charts and pseudo codes.

<u>Consolidated</u> - the consolidation in accordance with GAAP of the accounts or other items as to which such term applies of the Parent and its Subsidiaries.

Consolidated Net Income – with respect to any fiscal period, the net income (or loss) of Parent determined in accordance with GAAP on a Consolidated basis for such period; provided, however, Consolidated Net Income shall not include: (a) the income (or loss) of any Person (other than a Subsidiary of a Loan Party) in which the Loan Parties or any of their wholly-owned Subsidiaries has an ownership interest unless received in a cash distribution; (b) the income (or loss) of any Person accrued prior to the date it became a Subsidiary of a Loan Party or is merged into or consolidated with such Loan Party, except for Permitted Acquisitions, to the extent provided for in the definition of Adjusted EBITDA; (c) all amounts included in determining net income (or loss) in respect of the write-up of assets on or after the Closing Date, including the subsequent amortization or expensing of the written-up portion of the assets; (d) extraordinary gains (or losses) as defined under GAAP; (e) gains (or losses) from asset dispositions (other than sales of inventory); and (f) income attributable to interest.

Continuing Director – means (a) any member of the Board of Directors who was a director of Parent on the Closing Date, and (b) any individual who becomes a member of the Board of Directors after the Closing Date if such individual was approved, appointed or nominated for election to the Board of Directors by a majority of the members of the Board of Directors then in office, but excluding any such individual originally proposed for election in opposition to the Board of Directors in office at the Closing Date in an actual or threatened election contest relating to the election of the directors (or comparable managers) of Parent and whose initial assumption of office resulted from such contest or the settlement thereof.

<u>Contract Right</u> – any right of any Loan Party to payment under a contract for the sale or lease of goods or the rendering of services, which right is at the time not yet earned by performance.

<u>Convertible Note</u> – means the 3.00% Convertible Senior Notes as to which the aggregate outstanding principal balance thereof as of the Closing Date is \$143,750,000.00 and maturing December 1, 2019.

Convertible Note Documents - means the Convertible Note together with any other document executed and delivered in connection therewith.

<u>Copyright Security Agreement</u> – any copyright collateral assignment pursuant to which any Loan Party grants to Administrative Agent, for the benefit of Lenders, a Lien on such Loan Party's interest in its copyrights as security for the Obligations.

Covenant Trigger Event – any of (a) the occurrence of an Event of Default, or (b) the failure of the Loan Parties to maintain Availability of at least the greater of (i) \$3,750,000 or (ii) 12.5% of the Line Cap and such failure continues for a period of three (3) consecutive Business Days. A Covenant Trigger Event shall continue (a) so long as an Event of Default is continuing and has not been cured or waived, and (b) until Availability is equal to or greater than the greater of (i) \$3,750,000 or (ii) 12.5% of the Line Cap for a period of thirty (30) consecutive days.

<u>DEA</u> – the United States Drug Enforcement Administration

Default – an event or condition the occurrence of which would, with the lapse of time or the giving of notice, or both, become an Event of Default.

<u>Default Rate</u> – as defined in <u>subsection 3.1.2</u>.

<u>Defaulting Lender</u> – subject to <u>Section 4.11</u>, any Lender that (i) has failed to (a) fund all or any portion of its Loans within two (2) Business Days of the date such Loans were required to be funded hereunder, or (b) pay to Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank, Swingline Lender or any other Lender any other amount required to be paid by it hereunder (including in respect of its participation in Letters of Credit or Swingline Loans) within two (2) Business Days of the date when due, (ii) has notified the Loan Parties, Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank or Swingline Lender in writing that it does not intend to comply with its funding obligations hereunder, or has made a public statement to that effect (unless such writing or public statement relates to such Lender's obligation to fund a Loan hereunder and states that such position is based on such Lender's determination that a condition precedent to funding (which condition precedent, together with any applicable Default or Event of Default, shall be specifically identified in such writing or public statement) cannot be satisfied), (iii) has failed, within three (3) Business Days after written request by Administrative Agent or the Loan Parties, to confirm in writing to Administrative Agent and the Loan Parties that it will comply with its prospective funding obligations hereunder; provided, that such Lender shall cease to be a Defaulting Lender pursuant to this clause (iii) upon receipt of such written confirmation by Administrative Agent and the Loan Parties, or (iv) has, or has a direct or indirect parent company that has, (a) become the subject of a proceeding under any Insolvency Law or (b) had appointed for it a receiver, custodian, conservator, trustee, administrator, assignee for the benefit of creditors or similar person charged with reorganization or liquidation of its business or assets, including the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation or any other Governmental Authority acting in such a capacity; provided, that a Lender shall not be a Defaulting Lender solely by virtue of the ownership or acquisition of any equity interest in that Lender or any direct or indirect parent company thereof by a Governmental Authority so long as such ownership interest does not result in or provide such Lender with immunity from the jurisdiction of courts within the United States of America or from the enforcement of judgments or writs of attachment on its assets or permit such Lender (or such Governmental Authority) to reject, repudiate, disavow or disaffirm any contracts or agreements made with such Lender. Any determination by Administrative Agent that a Lender is a Defaulting Lender under any one or more of clauses (i) through (iv) above shall be conclusive and binding absent manifest error, and such Lender shall be deemed to be a Defaulting Lender (subject to Section 4.11) upon delivery of written notice of such determination to the Loan Parties, Issuing Bank, Swingline Lender and each Lender.

<u>Derivative Obligations</u> – every obligation of a Person under any forward contract, futures contract, exchange contract, swap, option or other financing agreement or arrangement (including, without limitation, caps, floors, collars and similar agreement), the value of which is dependent upon interest rates, currency exchange rates, commodities or other indices.

<u>Derivative Obligations Provider</u> – Administrative Agent, Bank, any Lender or any Affiliate of Administrative Agent, Bank or any Lender to whom a Derivative Obligation is owed from any Loan Party.

<u>Derivative Obligations Reserve</u> - the aggregate amount of Reserves established by Collateral Agent from time to time in respect of Derivative Obligations, if any.

<u>Distribution</u> – in respect of any Person means and includes: (i) the payment of any dividends or other distributions on Equity Interests and (ii) the redemption or acquisition of Equity Interests of such Person, as the case may be, unless made contemporaneously from the net proceeds of the sale of Equity Interests.

<u>Domestic Subsidiary</u> – any Subsidiary of any Loan Party that is organized under the laws of a jurisdiction located in the United States of America and that is not a CFC.

<u>Eligible Account</u> – an Account arising in the ordinary course of the business of any Loan Party from the sale of goods or rendition of services which is not otherwise excluded as ineligible based on one or more of the criteria set forth below. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, no Account shall be an Eligible Account if:

- (i) it arises out of a sale made or services rendered by a Loan Party to a Subsidiary of a Loan Party or an Affiliate of a Loan Party or to a Person controlled by an Affiliate of a Loan Party; or
- (ii) it remains unpaid more than (a) sixty (60) days after the original due date shown on the invoice or (b) one hundred twenty (120) days after the original invoice date shown on the invoice; or

- (iii) the total unpaid Accounts of the Account Debtor (other than a Subject Account Debtor) exceed 20% of the net amount of all Eligible Accounts, but only to the extent of such excess, and as to any Subject Account Debtor, the total unpaid Accounts of the Subject Account Debtor exceed 50% of the net amount of all Eligible Accounts, but only to the extent of such excess; or
  - (iv) any covenant, representation or warranty contained in this Agreement with respect to such Account has been breached; or
- (v) the Account Debtor is also a creditor or supplier of a Loan Party or any Subsidiary of a Loan Party, or the Account Debtor has disputed liability with respect to such Account, or the Account Debtor has made any claim with respect to any other Account due from such Account Debtor to a Loan Party or any Subsidiary of a Loan Party, or the Account otherwise is or may become subject to right of setoff by the Account Debtor; <u>provided</u> that any such Account shall be eligible to the extent such amount thereof exceeds such contract, dispute, claim, setoff or similar right; or
- (vi) the Account Debtor has commenced a voluntary case under the federal bankruptcy laws, as now constituted or hereafter amended, or made an assignment for the benefit of creditors, or a decree or order for relief has been entered by a court having jurisdiction in the premises in respect of the Account Debtor in an involuntary case under the federal bankruptcy laws, as now constituted or hereafter amended, or any other petition or other application for relief under the federal bankruptcy laws, as now constituted or hereafter amended, has been filed against the Account Debtor, or if the Account Debtor has failed, suspended business, ceased to be Solvent, or consented to or suffered a receiver, trustee, liquidator or custodian to be appointed for it or for all or a significant portion of its assets or affairs; or
- (vii) it arises from a sale made or services rendered to an Account Debtor outside the United States, unless the sale is either (1) to an Account Debtor located in Ontario or any other province of Canada in which the Personal Property Security Act has been adopted in substantially the same form as currently in effect in Ontario or (2) backed by a letter of credit from an issuer acceptable to Collateral Agent; or
- (viii) (1) it arises from a sale to the Account Debtor on progress billing, a bill-and-hold, guaranteed sale, sale-or-return, sale-on-approval, consignment, or any other repurchase basis; or (2) it is subject to a reserve established by a Loan Party for potential returns or refunds, to the extent of such reserve or (3) it arises from a sale to an Account Debtor that is subject to cash-on-delivery terms; or
- (ix) the Account Debtor is the United States of America or any department, agency or instrumentality thereof, unless the applicable Loan Party assigns its right to payment of such Account to Collateral Agent, in a manner satisfactory to Collateral Agent, in its reasonable credit judgment, so as to comply with the Assignment of Claims Act of 1940 (31 U.S.C. §203 et seq., as amended); or
- (x) it is not at all times subject to Administrative Agent's duly perfected, first priority security interest or is subject to a Lien that is not a Permitted Lien; or

- (xi) the goods giving rise to such Account have not been delivered to and accepted by the Account Debtor or the services giving rise to such Account have not been performed by the applicable Loan Party; or
  - (xii) the Loan Parties have not sent a bill or invoice for the goods or services giving rise to such Account to the applicable Account Debtor; or
  - (xiii) the Account is evidenced by chattel paper or an instrument of any kind, or has been reduced to judgment; or
  - (xiv) 50% or more of the Accounts owing from the Account Debtor are not Eligible Accounts hereunder; or
  - (xv) it represents service charges, late fees or similar charges; or
- (xvi) it was acquired pursuant to a Permitted Acquisition or other acquisition permitted pursuant to this Agreement and has not been subject to a field examination; or
- (xvii) it is not otherwise acceptable to Collateral Agent in its reasonable credit judgment any such determination to be effective upon delivery of notice (which notice may be written or oral) thereof to the Borrower Representative.

<u>Eligible Inventory</u> – Inventory of any Loan Party (other than packaging materials and supplies, tooling, samples and literature) which is not excluded by virtue of one or more of the criteria set forth below. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, no Inventory shall be Eligible Inventory if:

- (i) it does not meet the specifications of the purchase order or contract for such Inventory, if any; or
- (ii) it is raw materials or work in process unless such raw materials are, in Collateral Agent's reasonable credit judgment, readily marketable in their current form; or
  - (iii) it is not in good, new and saleable condition; or
  - (iv) it is slow-moving, obsolete, unmerchantable or expired or subject to expiration within six (6) months or less; or
  - (v) it does not meet all standards imposed by any Governmental Authority; or
  - (vi) it does not conform in all respects to any covenants, warranties and representations set forth in this Agreement; or
- (vii) it is not at all times subject to Administrative Agent's duly perfected, first priority security interest or is subject to a Lien that is not a Permitted Lien; or
  - (viii) it is situated at a location outside the United States of America; or

- (ix) it is not situated at a location in compliance with this Agreement, provided that Inventory situated at a location not owned by such Loan Party will be Eligible Inventory only if Administrative Agent has received a satisfactory landlord's agreement or bailee letter, as applicable, with respect to such location or if Collateral Agent has established an applicable Reserve; or
- (x) it is in transit (other than Inventory that is in transit between locations of the Loan Parties within the United States); provided that, notwithstanding the foregoing, Inventory in transit with a Value of no more than \$700,000 at any time may be included as Eligible Inventory so long as no Cash Dominion Trigger Event has occurred and is continuing; or
  - (xi) the Collateral Agent has not obtained an appraisal of such Inventory, prepared on a basis which is reasonably acceptable to the Collateral Agent;
- (xii) it is not otherwise acceptable to Collateral Agent in its reasonable credit judgment, any such determination to be effective upon delivery of notice (which notice may be written or oral) thereof to the Borrower Representative.

Eligible Acquisition Inventory – Inventory of a Loan Party consisting of finished goods which (i) was acquired pursuant to an acquisition within twelve (12) weeks prior to the Closing Date, or (ii) has been acquired pursuant to a Permitted Acquisition or other acquisition of assets permitted pursuant to the terms hereof, in either instance, which satisfies all criteria of Eligible Inventory except (a) for clause (xi) in the definition thereof, and (b) that such Inventory has not been subject to a field examination by the Administrative Agent.

Eligible Unappraised Finished Goods Inventory – Inventory of a Loan Party consisting of finished goods which have been purchased in the ordinary course of business (for sake of clarity, and not acquired pursuant to a Permitted Acquisition) and which satisfy all criteria of Eligible Inventory except for clause (xi) in the definition thereof.

<u>Environmental Laws</u> – all federal, state, local or foreign laws, rules, regulations, ordinances, orders and consent decrees relating to health, safety and environmental matters.

<u>Environmental Notice</u> – a written notice from any Governmental Authority or other Person with credible knowledge of any possible material noncompliance with, investigation of a possible material violation of, material litigation relating to, or potential fine or liability under any Environmental Law, or with respect to any Environmental Release, environmental pollution or hazardous materials, including any complaint, summons, citation, order, claim, demand or request for correction, remediation or otherwise.

Environmental Release – a release as defined in CERCLA or under any other Environmental Law.

<u>Equity Interests</u> – all shares of stock, partnership interests, membership interests, membership units or other ownership interests in any other Person and all warrants, options or other rights to acquire the same.

ERISA – the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, as amended, and any successor statute, and all rules and regulations from time to time promulgated thereunder.

Event of Default – as defined in Section 11.1.

Excess Derivative Obligations – Derivative Obligations in excess of the Derivative Obligations Reserve.

Excluded Property – (i) any rights or interests in any contract, lease, sublease, permit, license, charter or similar agreement covering real, intangible or personal property, as such, if under the terms of such contract, lease, sublease, permit, license, charter or similar agreement, or Applicable Law with respect thereto, the valid grant of a security interest or lien therein to Administrative Agent is prohibited (or would render such contract, lease, sublease, permit, license, charter or similar agreement cancelled, invalid or unenforceable) and such prohibition has not been or is not waived or the consent of the other party to such contract, lease, sublease, permit, license, charter or similar agreement has not been or is not otherwise obtained or under Applicable Law such prohibition cannot be waived, including with respect to all licensed Intellectual Property; provided, that, the foregoing exclusion shall in no way be construed (a) to apply if any such prohibition is unenforceable under Sections 9-406, 9-407 or 9-408 of the UCC or other Applicable Law or (b) so as to limit, impair or otherwise affect Administrative Agent's unconditional continuing security interests in and liens upon any rights or interests of any Loan Party in or to monies due or to become due under any such contract, lease, permit, license, charter or similar agreement; (ii) Equity Interests of any Foreign Subsidiary in excess of 65% of the total combined voting power of all classes of Equity Interests of such Foreign Subsidiary entitled to vote (within the meaning of Treasury Regulation Section 1.956-2); (iii) motor vehicles and other assets subject to certificates of title; (iv) any fee or leasehold interest in real Property, unless otherwise agreed to by the Administrative Agent and the Borrowers; (v) intent-to-use trademark applications prior to the filing of a statement of use except in connection with the transfer of the business to which the mark pertains, and (vi) those assets which Administrative Agent and the Loan Parties agr

Excluded Swap Obligation – with respect to any Loan Party, any guarantee of any Swap Obligations if, and only to the extent that and for so long as, all or a portion of the guarantee of such Loan Party of, or the grant by such Loan Party of a security interest to secure, such Swap Obligation (or any guarantee thereof) is or becomes illegal under the Commodity Exchange Act or any rule, regulation or order of the Commodity Futures Trading Commission (or the application or official interpretation of any thereof) by virtue of such Loan Party's failure for any reason to constitute an "eligible contract participant" as defined in the Commodity Exchange Act at the time the guarantee of such Loan Party or the grant of such security interest becomes effective with respect to such Swap Obligation. If a Swap Obligation arises under a master agreement governing more than one swap, such exclusion shall apply only to the portion of such Swap Obligation that is attributable to swaps for which such guarantee or security interest is or becomes illegal.

Excluded Taxes — (i) taxes imposed on the income of Administrative Agent or any Lender by any jurisdiction or any political subdivision thereof, including branch profits taxes, (ii) franchise taxes imposed by the jurisdiction under the laws of which Administrative Agent or any Lender is organized or doing business or any political subdivision thereof, (iii) any withholding taxes attributable to a Lender's failure to comply with subsection 3.11.3, (iv) any United States federal withholding taxes imposed under FATCA, and (v) in the case of a Foreign Lender (other than an assignee pursuant to a request by the Loan Parties under Section 13.5.6), any United States withholding tax that (A) is required to be imposed on amounts payable to such Foreign Lender pursuant to the Laws in force at the time such Foreign Lender becomes a party hereto (or designates a new lending office) or (B) is attributable to such Foreign Lender's failure or inability (other than as a result of a Change in Law) to comply with clause (ii) of Section 3.10.3.

<u>FATCA</u> – Sections 1471, 1472, 1473 and 1474 of the Code, or any regulations promulgated thereunder or published administrative guidance implementing such sections.

<u>FDA</u> – means the United States Food and Drug Administration (or analogous foreign, state or local Governmental Authority).

<u>Fee Letter</u> – as defined in <u>Section 3.3</u>.

<u>FFDCA</u> – Federal Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act, or any regulations promulgated thereunder or published administrative guidance implementing such sections.

<u>Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio</u> – with respect to any period, the ratio of (i) Adjusted EBITDA for such period, <u>minus</u> the sum of (a) cash income taxes paid during such period, <u>plus</u> (b) cash Capital Expenditures during such period that are not financed through the issuances of Equity Interests or Indebtedness (other than with proceeds of Revolving Credit Loans), <u>plus</u> (c) cash Distributions made to holders of Equity Interests of Parent during such period to (ii) Fixed Charges for such period, all as determined for Parent and its Subsidiaries on a Consolidated basis and in accordance with GAAP.

<u>Fixed Charges</u> – with respect to any period, the sum of: (i) scheduled principal payments required to be made during such period (unless the requirement to make such scheduled payment has been duly waived or deferred) with respect to Funded Debt (including the principal portion of Capitalized Lease Obligations), <u>plus</u> (ii) Interest Expense required to be paid in cash for such period, all as determined for Parent and its Subsidiaries on a Consolidated basis and in accordance with GAAP.

Foreign Lender – any Lender that is not a "United States person" as defined in Section 7701(a)(30) of the Code.

<u>Foreign Subsidiary</u> – a Subsidiary that is a CFC such that a guaranty by such Subsidiary of the Obligations or a Lien on the assets of such Subsidiary to secure the Obligations would result in material tax liability to the Loan Parties.

Funded Debt — (i) Indebtedness of the type set forth in clauses (i) and (ii) of the definition thereof; (ii) Capitalized Lease Obligations; (iii) reimbursement obligations with respect to letters of credit or guaranties of letters of credit and (iv) Indebtedness of any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries under any guaranty of obligations that would constitute Funded Debt under clauses (i) through (iii) hereof, if owed directly by a Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries. Funded Debt shall not include trade payables or accrued expenses.

<u>GAAP</u> – generally accepted accounting principles in the United States of America in effect from time to time.

<u>Governmental Authority</u> – any federal (including, without limitation, the DEA and the FDA), state, municipal, foreign, multinational, transnational or other governmental department, agency, commission, board, bureau, court, tribunal, instrumentality, political subdivision, or other entity or officer exercising executive, legislative, judicial, regulatory or administrative functions for or pertaining to any government or court, in each case whether associated with the United States, a state, district or territory thereof, or a foreign entity or government.

<u>Guarantors</u> –Partner, European, and Co-Op, and each Borrower as to each other Borrower, and each other Person who now or hereafter guarantees payment or performance of the whole or any part of the Obligations.

<u>Guaranty Agreements</u> – each guaranty agreement which is to be executed on the Closing Date by each Guarantor, in form and substance satisfactory to Administrative Agent, together with each other guaranty hereafter executed by any Guarantor.

<u>Incremental Assumption Agreement</u> – an Incremental Assumption Agreement in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent, among the Loan Parties, Administrative Agent and one or more Incremental Revolving Credit Lenders.

<u>Incremental Revolving Credit Commitment</u> – any increased or incremental Revolving Credit Commitment provided pursuant to <u>Section 2.4</u>.

<u>Incremental Revolving Credit Lender</u> – a Revolving Credit Lender with a Revolving Credit Commitment or an outstanding Revolving Credit Loan as a result of an Incremental Revolving Credit Commitment.

Indebtedness – as applied to a Person means, without duplication (i) obligations arising from the lending of money by any Person to any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries; (ii) obligations, whether or not in any such case arising from the lending by any Person of money to any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries, (1) which are represented by notes payable or drafts accepted that evidence extensions of credit, (2) which constitute obligations evidenced by bonds, debentures, notes or similar instruments, (3) upon which interest charges are customarily paid (other than accounts payable) or (4) that was issued or assumed as full or partial payment for Property; (iii) all obligations of other Persons which such Person has guaranteed; and (iv) Derivative Obligations. Notwithstanding the foregoing, Indebtedness shall not include trade payables and accrued expenses incurred in the ordinary course of business or obligations of such Person for earnouts, deferred purchase price consideration and similar payment obligations (unless such earnouts, deferred purchase price consideration or similar payment obligations are required to be recorded as liabilities on a balance sheet of such Person in accordance with GAAP, in which case such obligations shall constitute Indebtedness under this Agreement in all cases), purchase price adjustments and profit sharing arrangements until such time as the amount of any such payments are reasonably determined and not contested in good faith. The amount of Indebtedness of any Person in which recourse is limited to an identified asset shall be equal to the lesser of (A) the unpaid amount of such obligation and (B) the fair market value of the property encumbered thereby as determined by such Person in good faith.

<u>Indemnified Person</u> – as defined in <u>Section 13.2</u>.

<u>Indemnified Taxes</u> – as defined in <u>subsection 3.11.1</u>.

Ineligible Institution – a (a) natural person, (b) a Defaulting Lender, (c) any pharmaceutical company or any other competitor of any Loan Party or any Subsidiary of a Loan Party which has been identified by the Borrower Representative to Agent in writing as being a competitor, (d) holding company, investment vehicle or trust for, or owned and operated for the primary benefit of, a natural person or relative(s) thereof; provided that, such holding company, investment vehicle or trust shall not constitute an Ineligible Institution if it (x) has not been established for the primary purpose of acquiring any Loans or Commitments, (y) is managed by a professional advisor, who is not such natural person or a relative thereof, having significant experience in the business of making or purchasing commercial loans, and (z) has assets greater than \$75,000,000 and a significant part of its activities consist of making or purchasing commercial loans and similar extensions of credit in the ordinary course of its business, or (e) a Loan Party or a Subsidiary or other Affiliate of a Loan Party.

<u>Insolvency Law</u> – collectively, the Bankruptcy Code, and any other insolvency, debtor relief or debt adjustment or similar law (whether state, provincial, territorial, federal or foreign).

<u>Insolvency Proceeding</u> – any case or proceeding commenced by or against a Person under any state, federal or foreign law for, or any agreement of such Person to, (a) the entry of an order for relief under the Bankruptcy Code, or any other Insolvency Law; (b) the appointment of a receiver, trustee, liquidator, administrator, conservator or other custodian for such Person or any part of its Property; or (c) an assignment or trust mortgage for the benefit of creditors.

Intellectual Property — all past, present and future: trade secrets, know-how and other proprietary information; trademarks, internet domain names, service marks, trade dress, trade names, business names, designs, logos, slogans (and all translations, adaptations, derivations and combinations of the foregoing) indicia and other source and/or business identifiers, and the goodwill of the business relating thereto and all registrations or applications for registrations which have heretofore been or may hereafter be issued thereon throughout the world; copyrights (including copyrights for computer programs) and copyright registrations or applications for registrations which have heretofore been or may hereafter be issued throughout the world and all tangible property embodying the copyrights, unpatented inventions (whether or not patentable); patent applications and patents; industrial design applications and registered industrial designs; any license agreements (including any licenses as to which a Loan Party is a licensee) related to any of the foregoing and income therefrom; books, records, writings, computer tapes or disks, flow diagrams, specification sheets, computer software, source codes, object codes, executable code, data, databases and other physical manifestations, embodiments or incorporations of any of the foregoing; the right to sue for all past, present and future infringements of any of the foregoing; all other intellectual property; and all common law and other rights throughout the world in and to all of the foregoing.

Interest Expense – with respect to any period, cash interest expense paid for such period, including without limitation the interest portion of Capitalized Lease Obligations, plus the Letter of Credit fees owing for such period, all as determined for the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries on a Consolidated basis and in accordance with GAAP, but excluding all other fees paid in connection with this Agreement and the related Loan Documents, and Interest Expense shall not include any upfront fees in connection with any issuance of Indebtedness, any agent fees and any expenses in connection with any issuance or amendment of Indebtedness (whether or not consummated).

<u>Interest Payment Date</u> – (a) as to any Base Rate Loan, the first day of each fiscal quarter and (b) as to any LIBOR Loan, the last day of each Interest Period for such LIBOR Loan, and in addition, where the applicable Interest Period exceeds three months, the date every three months after the beginning of such Interest Period. If an Interest Payment Date falls on a date that is not a Business Day, such Interest Payment Date shall be deemed to be the immediately succeeding Business Day.

Interest Period — relative to any LIBOR Loans: (a) initially, the period beginning on (and including) the date on which such LIBOR Loan is made or continued as, or converted into, a LIBOR Loan and ending on (but excluding) the day which numerically corresponds to such date one, two, three or six months thereafter (or, if such month has no numerically corresponding day, on the last Business Day of such month), in each case as Borrower Representative may select in its notice pursuant to Section 4.1; and (b) thereafter, each period commencing on the last day of the next preceding Interest Period applicable to such LIBOR Loan and ending one, two, three or six months thereafter, as selected by Borrower Representative in accordance with Section 4.1; provided, however, that (i) all Interest Periods of the same duration which commence on the same date shall end on the same date; (ii) Interest Periods commencing on the same date for LIBOR Loans comprising part of the same advance under this Agreement shall be of the same duration; (iii) Interest Periods for LIBOR Loans in connection with which Borrowers have or may incur Derivative Obligations with Administrative Agent shall be of the same duration as the relevant periods set under the applicable underlying agreements; (iv) if such Interest Period would otherwise end on a day which is not a Business Day, such Interest Period shall end on the next following Business Day unless such day falls in the next calendar month, in which case such Interest Period shall end on the first preceding Business Day; and (v) no Interest Period may end later than the termination of this Agreement.

Inventory Cap – means as of any date of calculation, as to all Inventory included or proposed to be included in the Borrowing Base, that amount which is the greater of (a) \$3,000,000, and (b) 20% of the Borrowing Base (after giving effect to the inclusion of such Inventory in the Borrowing Base).

Issuing Bank - Administrative Agent, Bank or any other Affiliate of Administrative Agent or a Lender that issues a Letter of Credit hereunder.

JPM - JP Morgan Chase Bank, N.A.

<u>LC Amount</u> – at any time, the aggregate undrawn available amount of all Letters of Credit then outstanding <u>plus</u> the amount of LC Obligations that have not been reimbursed by Borrowers or funded with a Revolving Credit Loan.

<u>LC Obligations</u> – any Obligations that arise from any draw against any Letter of Credit.

LC Sublimit - \$3,000,000.

<u>Lender(s)</u> – as defined in the preamble to this Agreement and each other Person who becomes a "Lender" hereunder, whether by assignment or otherwise, including (unless the context otherwise requires) Swingline Lender.

<u>Letter of Credit</u> – any standby or documentary letter of credit issued by Issuing Bank for the account of any Loan Party.

<u>LIBOR</u> – relative to any Interest Period for LIBOR Loans, the offered rate for deposits of U.S. Dollars (provided such rate shall not be less than zero) in an amount approximately equal to the amount of the requested LIBOR Loans for a term coextensive with the designated Interest Period which the ICE Benchmark Administration fixes as its LIBOR rate as of 11:00 a.m. London time on the day which is two London Banking Days prior to the beginning of such Interest Period.

<u>LIBOR Lending Rate</u> – relative to any LIBOR Loan to be made, continued or maintained as, or converted into, a LIBOR Loan for any Interest Period, a rate per annum determined pursuant to the following formula:

LIBOR Lending Rate = <u>LIBOR</u>
(1.00 – LIBOR Reserve Percentage)

<u>LIBOR Loans</u> – the LIBOR Revolving Credit Loans.

<u>LIBOR Option</u> – the option granted pursuant to <u>Section 4.1</u> to have the interest on all or any portion of the principal amount of the Revolving Credit Loans based on LIBOR.

<u>LIBOR Reserve Percentage</u> – relative to any day of any Interest Period for LIBOR Loans, the maximum aggregate (without duplication) of the rates (expressed as a decimal fraction) of reserve requirements (including all basic, emergency, supplemental, marginal and other reserves and taking into account any transitional adjustments or other scheduled changes in reserve requirements) under any regulations of the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System (the "Board") or other Governmental Authority having jurisdiction with respect thereto as issued from time to time and then applicable to assets or liabilities consisting of "Eurocurrency Liabilities," as currently defined in Regulation D of the Board, having a term approximately equal or comparable to such Interest Period.

<u>LIBOR Revolving Credit Loan</u> – any Revolving Credit Loan for the periods when the rate of interest applicable to such Revolving Credit Loan is calculated by reference to the LIBOR Lending Rate.

<u>Lien</u> – any interest in Property securing an obligation owed to, or a claim by, a Person other than the owner of the Property, whether such interest is based on common law, statute or contract. The term "Lien" shall also include rights of seller under conditional sales contracts or title retention agreements, reservations, exceptions, encroachments, easements, rights-of-way, covenants, conditions, restrictions, leases and other title exceptions and encumbrances affecting Property. For the purpose of this Agreement, a Loan Party shall be deemed to be the owner of any Property which it has acquired or holds subject to a conditional sale agreement or other arrangement pursuant to which title to the Property has been retained by or vested in some other Person for security purposes.

Line Cap – at any time, the lesser of (i) the Revolving Credit Maximum Amount and (ii) the Borrowing Base.

Loan Account – as defined in Section 4.6.

<u>Loan Documents</u> – this Agreement, the Other Agreements and the Security Documents.

Loan Parties - means collectively, Borrowers and Guarantors and Loan Party means any one of them.

<u>Loan(s)</u> – all loans and advances of any kind made by Administrative Agent, any Lender, or any Affiliate of Administrative Agent or any Lender, pursuant to this Agreement.

London Banking Day – any date on which commercial banks are open for business in London, England.

<u>Majority Lenders</u> – as of any date, Lenders holding more than 50% of the Revolving Credit Commitments determined on a combined basis and following the termination of the Revolving Credit Commitments, Lenders holding more than 50% of the outstanding Loans and LC Obligations; <u>provided</u> that (i) if there are two or more Lenders which are not Affiliates, then at least two Lenders which are not Affiliates shall be required to constitute Majority Lenders and (ii) the Loans, Revolving Credit Commitments and LC Obligations held by any Defaulting Lender shall be excluded for purposes of determining Majority Lenders.

Margin Stock – as defined in Regulation U of the Board of Governors.

<u>Material Adverse Effect</u> – (i) a material adverse effect on the business, condition (financial or otherwise), operation, performance or properties of the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries taken as a whole, (ii) a material adverse effect on the rights and remedies of Administrative Agent or Lenders under the Loan Documents, or (iii) the material impairment of the ability of any Loan Party to perform its obligations under this Agreement or under any Loan Document.

McKesson – means McKesson Corporation and its Affiliates.

Moody's - Moody's Investors Service, Inc., and its successors.

Mortgages – each mortgage, security deed or deed of trust executed by a Loan Party in favor of Administrative Agent, for the benefit of itself and Lenders, by which such Loan Party grants to Administrative Agent, as security for the Obligations, a Lien upon the real Property of such Loan Party described therein, if any.

Multiemployer Plan - has the meaning set forth in Section 4001(a)(3) of ERISA.

<u>NOLV</u> – the net orderly liquidation value of Eligible Inventory, expressed as a percentage of book value for Eligible Inventory, to be realized at an orderly, negotiated sale held within a reasonable period of time, net of all liquidation expenses, as determined from the most recent appraisal of Loan Parties' Inventory performed by an appraiser and on terms satisfactory to Collateral Agent in its reasonable discretion.

Notes - the Revolving Credit Notes.

Obligations – all Loans, LC Obligations, reimbursement and other obligations with respect to Letters of Credit and all other advances, debts, liabilities, obligations, covenants and duties, together with all interest, fees and other charges thereon (including all interest, fees and other charges accruing after the commencement of any Insolvency Proceeding), of any kind or nature, present or future, owing, arising, due or payable from any Borrower or any other Loan Party to Administrative Agent, any Lender, Issuing Bank, Bank or any of their respective Affiliates, arising under this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, whether direct or indirect (including those acquired by assignment), absolute or contingent, primary or secondary, due or to become due, now existing or hereafter arising and however acquired, including without limitation all Product Obligations; provided, that Obligations of any Loan Party shall not include any Excluded Swap Obligations solely of such Loan Party.

<u>Organizational I.D. Number</u> – with respect to any Person, the organizational identification number assigned to such Person by the applicable governmental unit or agency of the jurisdiction of organization of such Person.

Other Agreements – any and all agreements, instruments and documents (other than this Agreement and the Security Documents), heretofore, now or hereafter executed by any Loan Party, any Subsidiary of a Loan Party or any other third party and delivered to Administrative Agent, any Lender or any Affiliate of any Agent or any Lender in respect of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement, including, without limitation, all agreements, instruments and documents relating to Product Obligations.

Overadvance – as defined in subsection 2.1.2.

Parent - as defined in the preamble to this Agreement.

Participant – as defined in subsection 13.5.2.

Participation Register – as defined in subsection 13.5.2.

<u>Patent Security Agreement</u> – any patent collateral assignment agreement pursuant to which a Loan Party or a Guarantor grants to Administrative Agent, for the benefit of Lenders, a Lien on such Loan Party's or Guarantor's interests in its patents, as security for the Obligations.

<u>Patriot Act</u> – the Uniting and Strengthening America by Providing Appropriate Tools Required to Intercept and Obstruct Terrorism Act of 2001, Pub. L. No. 107-56, 115 Stat. 272 (2001).

<u>Payment Conditions</u> – with respect to any applicable transaction, (i) no Default or Event of Default shall exist before or immediately after giving effect to such transaction, (ii) the average of the Availability amounts (calculated on a *pro forma* basis to include the making of any Loans or the issuance of any Letters of Credit in connection with such transaction) for each Business Day in the thirty (30) day period prior to such transaction shall be greater than or equal to the greater of (x) \$7,500,000 and (y) 25% of the Line Cap, (iii) Availability (calculated as set forth above) on the date of such proposed transaction shall be greater than or equal to the greater of (x) \$7,500,000 and (y) 25% of the Line Cap, and (iv) the Loan Parties shall be in compliance with the financial covenants (calculated on a pro forma basis after giving effect to such transaction) set forth in <u>subsection 9.3.1</u>.

<u>Permitted Acquisitions</u> – each acquisition of all or a substantial part of the assets, property or Equity Interests of any Person or any business unit or division of any Person (the "<u>Target</u>") by a Loan Party, subject to the satisfaction of each of the following conditions:

- (i) Administrative Agent shall receive at least ten (10) Business Days' prior written notice of such proposed Permitted Acquisition, which notice shall include a reasonably detailed description of such proposed Permitted Acquisition;
- (ii) at or prior to the closing thereof, Administrative Agent will be granted a first priority perfected Lien in all assets and Equity Interests of the Target on the same terms and conditions set forth in <u>Section 6</u>, and the Collateral shall not be subject to any liens or encumbrances other than Permitted Liens, and the Loan Parties and, if applicable, the Target shall have executed such documents and taken such actions as may be reasonably required by Administrative Agent in connection therewith;
- (iii) concurrently with delivery of the notice referred to in clause (i) above, Administrative Agent shall have received a pro forma consolidated balance sheet, income statement and cash flow statement of Parent and its Subsidiaries, based on the most recent financial statements then available;
- (iv) on or prior to the closing date thereof, Administrative Agent shall have received, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent, copies of the acquisition agreement and related agreements and instruments, and all opinions, certificates, lien search results and other documents reasonably requested by Administrative Agent;
  - (v) Administrative Agent shall have received a copy of the proposed capital structure after giving effect to such Permitted Acquisition;
  - (vi) the Payment Conditions shall have been satisfied;

- (vii) the board of directors or similar governing body of the Target shall have approved the Permitted Acquisition; and
- (viii) concurrently with consummation of the Permitted Acquisition, Borrower Representative shall have delivered to Administrative Agent a certificate stating that the foregoing conditions have been satisfied.

Permitted Liens – any Lien permitted under subsection 9.2.4.

<u>Permitted Equity Issuances</u> – means the sale or issuance of equity by the Parent to eligible participants in the Parent's incentive equity plan as in effect or contemplated as of the date hereof or such other equity incentive plan as the Parent may effect on terms and conditions reasonably satisfactory to the Agent.

Permitted Purchase Money Indebtedness – Purchase Money Indebtedness and Capitalized Lease Obligations of any Loan Party incurred after the date hereof which is secured by a Purchase Money Lien and the principal amount of which, when aggregated with the principal amount of all other such Purchase Money Indebtedness and Capitalized Lease Obligations of the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries at the time outstanding, does not exceed \$1,750,000. For the purposes of this definition, the principal amount of any Purchase Money Indebtedness consisting of capitalized leases (as opposed to operating leases) shall be computed as a Capitalized Lease Obligation. For purposes of this definition, earnout payments to be made in connection with any acquisition of assets permitted hereunder shall not be deemed to be Permitted Purchase Money Indebtedness to the extent such payments are not evidenced by a promissory note or secured by a Lien.

<u>Person</u> – an individual, partnership, corporation, limited liability company, joint stock company, land trust, business trust, or unincorporated organization, or a government or agency or political subdivision thereof.

<u>Pharmaceutical Laws</u> means federal (including, without limitation, the FFDCA), state and local laws, rules or regulations, codes, orders, decrees, judgments or injunctions issued, promulgated, approved or entered, relating to dispensing, storing or distributing prescription medicines or products, including laws, rules or regulations relating to the qualifications of Persons employed to do the same.

<u>Plan</u> – an employee benefit plan now or hereafter maintained for employees of any Loan Party or any of their Subsidiaries that is covered by Title IV of ERISA.

<u>Pledge Agreements</u> – each pledge agreement executed by the Loan Parties or any one of them, as applicable, granting in favor of Administrative Agent, for the benefit of itself and Lenders, a Lien on the Equity Interests of the Subsidiaries of such Loan Party or Loan Parties.

<u>Pro Rata Percentage</u> —with respect to each Revolving Credit Lender, the percentage equal to its Revolving Credit Commitment <u>divided by</u> the aggregate of all Revolving Credit Commitments.

<u>Product Obligations</u> – every obligation of any Borrower or any other Loan Party under and in respect of any one or more of the following types of services or facilities extended to such Borrower or any other Loan Party by Bank, Administrative Agent, any Lender or any of their respective Affiliates: (i) credit cards, (ii) cash management or related services including the automatic clearing house transfer of funds for the account of such Borrower or any other Loan Party pursuant to agreement or overdraft, (iii) treasury management, including controlled disbursement services, (iv) Derivative Obligations and (v) supply chain financing and supply chain finance services (including, without limitation, trade payable services and supplier accounts receivable purchases).

<u>Projections</u> – Parent's forecasted Consolidated (i) balance sheets, (ii) profit and loss statements, (iii) cash flow statements, (iv) capitalization statements and (v) Availability, all prepared on a consistent basis with the historical financial statements of Parent and its Subsidiaries, together with appropriate supporting details and a statement of underlying assumptions.

<u>Property</u> – any interest in any kind of property or asset, whether real, personal or mixed, or tangible or intangible.

<u>Purchase Money Indebtedness</u> – includes (i) Indebtedness (other than the Obligations) for the payment of all or any part of the purchase price of any fixed assets, (ii) any Indebtedness (other than the Obligations) incurred at the time of or within ten (10) days prior to or after the acquisition of any fixed assets for the purpose of financing all or any part of the purchase price thereof, and (iii) any renewals, extensions or refinancings thereof, but not any increases in the principal amounts thereof outstanding at the time.

<u>Purchase Money Lien</u> – a Lien upon fixed assets which secures Purchase Money Indebtedness or a Capitalized Lease Obligation, but only if such Lien shall at all times be confined solely to the fixed assets the purchase price of which was financed through the incurrence of the Purchase Money Indebtedness or Capitalized Lease Obligation secured by such Lien.

Qualified ECP Guarantor – in respect of any Swap Obligations, each Loan Party that has total assets exceeding \$10,000,000 at the time the relevant guarantee or grant of the relevant security interest becomes effective with respect to such Swap Obligation or such other person as constitutes an "eligible contract participant" under the Commodity Exchange Act and can cause another person to qualify as an "eligible contract participant" at such time by entering into a keepwell under Section 1a(18)(A)(v)(II) of the Commodity Exchange Act.

Quarterly Average Availability – for any fiscal quarter, the average of the Availability amounts for each Business Day during such fiscal quarter.

<u>Quarterly Average Availability Percentage</u> – for any fiscal quarter, Quarterly Average Availability for such fiscal quarter divided by the Revolving Credit Maximum Amount as at the end of such fiscal quarter.

Register – as defined in subsection 13.5.5.

<u>Related Parties</u> – with respect to any specified Person, such Person's Affiliates and the respective directors, trustees, officers, employees, agents and consultants of such Person and such Person's Affiliates.

Reportable Event – any of the events set forth in Section 4043(c) of ERISA.

Reserves – reserves in such amounts, and with respect to such matters, as Collateral Agent shall deem necessary or appropriate in its reasonable credit judgment exercised in good faith, against the Borrowing Base or Availability, including without limitation with respect to (i) price adjustments, damages, unearned discounts, unearned chargebacks, unearned rebates, returned products or other matters for which credit memoranda are issued in the ordinary course of any Loan Party's business; (ii) potential dilution related to Accounts; (iii) shrinkage, spoilage and obsolescence of any Loan Party's Inventory; (iv) other sums chargeable against Borrowers' Loan Account as Revolving Credit Loans under any section of this Agreement; (v) amounts owing by any Loan Party to any Person to the extent secured by a Lien on, or trust over, any Property of any Loan Party; (vi) amounts owing by any Loan Party in connection with Product Obligations, including, without limitation, the Derivative Obligations Reserve; (vii) rent for locations at which Inventory or Equipment is stored and as to which Administrative Agent has not received a satisfactory landlord's agreement or bailee letter, as applicable, and (viii) such other specific events, conditions or contingencies as to which Collateral Agent, in its reasonable credit judgment exercised in good faith, determines reserves should be established from time to time hereunder; provided, that, notwithstanding the foregoing, Collateral Agent shall not establish any Reserves in respect of any matters relating to any items of Collateral that have been taken into account in determining Eligible Accounts, Eligible Inventory, Eligible Unappraised Finished Goods Inventory, or Eligible Acquisition Inventory, as applicable.

Restrictive Agreement – an agreement (other than a Loan Document) that conditions or restricts the right of any Loan Party or any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to incur or repay Indebtedness, to grant Liens on any assets, to declare or make Distributions, to modify, extend or renew any agreement evidencing Indebtedness, or to repay any intercompany Indebtedness.

Revolving Credit Commitment – with respect to any Lender, the amount of such Lender's Revolving Credit Commitment pursuant to subsection 2.1.1 or 2.4.1, as set forth next to such Lender's name on Schedule 1 hereto, in any Incremental Assumption Agreement or any Assignment and Acceptance Agreement executed by such Lender. "Revolving Credit Commitments" shall mean the aggregate amount of such commitments of all Lenders.

Revolving Credit Lender – a Lender with a Revolving Credit Commitment.

<u>Revolving Credit Loan</u> – a Loan made by any Revolving Credit Lender pursuant to <u>Section 2.1</u>, including (unless the context otherwise requires) Overadvances and Swingline Loans.

Revolving Credit Maturity Date - May 12, 2019.

<u>Revolving Credit Termination Date</u> – the earlier to occur of (i) the Revolving Credit Maturity Date, (ii) the date upon which the Borrower Representative terminates this Agreement in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement, and (iii) the date upon which the Revolving Credit Commitments are terminated in accordance with the provisions of Section 11.2 hereof.

Revolving Credit Maximum Amount - \$30,000,000, as such amount may be increased or reduced from time to time pursuant to the terms hereof.

<u>Revolving Credit Notes</u> – any promissory notes executed by Borrowers in favor of each Revolving Credit Lender that requests a Revolving Credit Note to evidence its Revolving Credit Loans, which shall be in the form of <u>Exhibit 2.1</u> to this Agreement, together with any replacement or successor notes therefor.

S&P - Standard & Poor's Ratings Services, a division of The McGraw-Hill Companies, Inc., and its successors.

<u>Security Documents</u> – the Guaranty Agreements, the Pledge Agreements, the Mortgages, the Copyright Security Agreement, the Patent Security Agreement, the Trademark Security Agreement and all other instruments and agreements now or at any time hereafter securing the whole or any part of the Obligations.

<u>Solvent</u> – as to any Person, that such Person (i) owns Property whose fair saleable value is greater than the amount required to pay all of such Person's Indebtedness (including contingent debts), (ii) is able to pay all of its Indebtedness as such Indebtedness matures and (iii) has capital sufficient to carry on its business and transactions and all business and transactions in which it is about to engage.

<u>Subject Account Debtor</u> – means any of McKesson, AmerisourceBergen, and CardinalHealth, so long, as to each such Person's long-term credit rating remains investment grade as determined by the Administrative Agent.

<u>Subordinated Debt.</u> – Indebtedness of any Loan Party or any Subsidiary of any Loan Party that is subordinated to the Obligations in a manner satisfactory to Administrative Agent, and contains terms, including without limitation, payment terms, satisfactory to Administrative Agent.

<u>Subsidiary</u> – any Person of which another Person owns, directly or indirectly through one or more intermediaries, more than 50% of the Voting Stock at the time of determination.

Swap Obligation – with respect to any Loan Party, any obligation to pay or perform under any agreement, contract or transaction that constitutes a "swap" within the meaning of section 1a(47) of the Commodity Exchange Act.

Swingline Lender - Citizens in its capacity as the lender of Swingline Loans.

Swingline Loan Sublimit - \$3,000,000.

Swingline Loans – as defined in subsection 2.1.3.

<u>Term</u> – as defined in <u>Section 5.1</u>.

<u>Total Credit Facility</u> - \$30,000,000, as increased or reduced from time to time pursuant to the terms hereof.

<u>Trademark Security Agreement</u> – any trademark collateral assignment pursuant to which any Loan Party grants to Administrative Agent, for the benefit of Lenders, a Lien on such Loan Party's interest in its trademarks as security for the Obligations.

<u>Type of Organization</u> – with respect to any Person, the kind or type of entity by which such Person is organized, such as a corporation or limited liability company.

UCC - the Uniform Commercial Code as in effect in the State of New York on the date hereof, as it may be amended or otherwise modified.

<u>Unused Line Fee</u> – as defined in <u>Section 3.5</u>.

Unused Line Fee Margin – 0.25% per annum.

<u>U.S. Lender</u> – any Lender that is a "United States person" as defined in Section 7701(a)(30) of the Code.

<u>U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate</u> – as defined in <u>subsection 3.11.3</u>.

<u>Value</u> – means the book value of Eligible Inventory (as reflected in the Loan Parties' books and records prepared and maintained in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement) valued at the lower of a first-in, first-out basis cost or market value in accordance with GAAP.

<u>Voting Stock</u> – Equity Interests of any class or classes of a corporation, limited partnership or limited liability company or any other entity the holders of which are ordinarily, in the absence of contingencies, entitled to vote with respect to the election of directors (or Persons performing similar functions).

- 1.2 Other Terms. All other terms contained in this Agreement shall have, when the context so indicates, the meanings provided for by the UCC to the extent the same are used or defined therein. Accounting terms not otherwise specifically defined herein shall be construed in accordance with GAAP consistently applied.
- 1.3 <u>Certain Matters of Construction</u>. The terms "herein", "hereof" and "hereunder" and other words of similar import refer to this Agreement as a whole and not to any particular section, paragraph or subdivision. Any pronoun used shall be deemed to cover all genders. The section titles, table of contents and list of exhibits and schedules appear as a matter of convenience only and shall not affect the interpretation of this Agreement. All references to statutes and related regulations shall include any amendments of same and any successor statutes and regulations. All references to any of the Loan Documents shall include any and all modifications thereto and any and all extensions or renewals thereof.

Changes in GAAP. If at any time any change in GAAP would affect the computation of any financial ratio, requirement or covenant in this Agreement or any related definition, and either the Loan Parties or Majority Lenders shall so request, Administrative Agent, the Lenders and the Loan Parties shall negotiate in good faith to amend such ratio, requirement, covenant or definition to preserve the original intent thereof in light of such change in GAAP (subject to the approval of Majority Lenders); provided that, until so amended, (i) such ratio, requirement, covenant or definition shall continue to be computed in accordance with GAAP prior to such change therein and (ii) the Loan Parties shall provide to Administrative Agent and Lenders financial statements and other documents required under this Agreement setting forth a reconciliation between calculations of such ratio, requirement, covenant or definition made before and after giving effect to such change in GAAP.

## **SECTION 2. CREDIT FACILITY**

Subject to the terms and conditions of, and in reliance upon the representations and warranties made in, this Agreement and the other Loan Documents, Lenders agree to make a Total Credit Facility of up to \$30,000,000, as such amount may be increased in accordance with the terms hereof, available upon Borrowers' request therefor, as follows:

## 2.1 <u>Revolving Credit Loans.</u>

- 2.1.1 Revolving Credit Commitments. Each Revolving Credit Lender agrees, severally and not jointly, to make Revolving Credit Loans to Borrowers from time to time during the period from the date hereof to but not including the Revolving Credit Maturity Date, as requested by Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers in the manner set forth in subsection 4.1.1 hereof, up to a maximum principal amount at any time outstanding equal to the lesser of (i) such Revolving Credit Lender's Revolving Credit Commitment and (ii) the product of such Revolving Credit Lender's Pro Rata Percentage and the amount of the Line Cap at such time, minus, in each case, the product of such Revolving Credit Lender's Pro Rata Percentage and an amount equal to the sum of the LC Amount and the amount of Swingline Loans outstanding. Within the foregoing limits, Borrowers may borrow, repay and reborrow Revolving Credit Loans. The Revolving Credit Loans shall be secured by all of the Collateral.
- Administrative Agent (as provided below) may be willing in its sole and absolute discretion to make Revolving Credit Loans to Borrowers or (ii) Administrative Agent, in its sole discretion, makes Revolving Credit Loans on behalf of Lenders, if Administrative Agent, in its reasonable credit judgment, deems that such Revolving Credit Loans are necessary or desirable (a) to protect all or any portion of the Collateral, (b) to enhance the likelihood, or maximize the amount of, repayment of the Loans and the other Obligations, or (c) to pay any other amount chargeable to Borrowers pursuant to this Agreement, including without limitation costs, fees and expenses as described in Sections 3.7 and 3.8., in each case, at a time when the unpaid balance of Revolving Credit Loans plus the LC Amount exceeds, or would exceed with the making of any such Revolving Credit Loan, the Borrowing Base (such Loan or Loans being herein referred to individually as an "Overadvance" and collectively, as "Overadvances"), Administrative Agent shall enter such Overadvances as debits in the Loan Account; provided, that the aggregate amount of Overadvances outstanding at any time shall not exceed 10% of the Borrowing Base. All Overadvances shall be repaid promptly following demand, shall be secured by the Collateral and shall bear interest as provided in this Agreement for Revolving Credit Loans generally. Any Overadvance made pursuant to the terms hereof shall be made by all Revolving Credit Lenders ratably in accordance with their respective Pro Rata Percentages. The foregoing notwithstanding, (i) unless otherwise consented to by Majority Lenders, Overadvances shall not be outstanding for more than ten (10) consecutive days, and (ii) unless otherwise consented to by all Lenders, no Overadvances shall be permitted to the extent that such Overadvances would cause the Aggregate Revolving Extensions to exceed the Revolving Credit Maximum Amount.

## 2.1.3 Swingline Loans.

- (i) In order to reduce the frequency of transfers of funds from Revolving Credit Lenders to Administrative Agent for making Revolving Credit Loans, Swingline Lender shall be permitted (but not required) to make Revolving Credit Loans to Borrowers upon request by Borrowers (such Revolving Credit Loans to be designated as "Swingline Loans") provided that the aggregate amount of Swingline Loans outstanding at any time will not (a) exceed the Swingline Loan Sublimit or (b) when added to the principal amount of all other Revolving Credit Loans then outstanding plus the LC Amount, exceed the Line Cap. Within the foregoing limits, Borrowers may borrow, repay and reborrow Swingline Loans. All Swingline Loans shall be treated as Revolving Credit Loans for purposes of this Agreement, except that all Swingline Loans shall be Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans and, except as provided in paragraph (ii) of this subsection 2.1.3, all principal and interest paid with respect to Swingline Loans shall be for the sole account of Swingline Lender.
- Swingline Lender may, in its sole discretion (but not less frequently than weekly), provide written notice to Administrative Agent that it shall require the Revolving Credit Lenders to make Revolving Credit Loans to repay all or a portion of the Swingline Loans outstanding or, if Revolving Credit Lenders are prohibited from making Revolving Credit Loans at such time, to acquire participations in all or a portion of the Swingline Loans outstanding; provided that such notice shall be deemed to have been automatically given upon the occurrence of a Default or an Event of Default under subsection 11.1.7. Administrative Agent will, promptly upon receipt of such notice, give notice to each Revolving Credit Lender, specifying in such notice such Revolving Credit Lender's Pro Rata Percentage of such Swingline Loan. In furtherance of the foregoing, each Revolving Credit Lender hereby irrevocably, absolutely and unconditionally agrees, upon receipt of notice as provided above, to pay to Administrative Agent, for the account of Swingline Lender, such Revolving Credit Lender's Pro Rata Percentage of such Swingline Loan. Each Revolving Credit Lender acknowledges and agrees that its obligation to make Revolving Credit Loans to repay Swingline Loans and/or to acquire participations in Swingline Loans pursuant to this paragraph is absolute and unconditional and shall not be affected by any circumstance whatsoever, including the occurrence and continuance of a Default or an Event of Default, and that each such payment shall be made without any offset, abatement, withholding or reduction whatsoever. Each Revolving Credit Lender shall comply with its obligation under this paragraph by wire transfer of immediately available funds, in the same manner as provided in subsection 4.1.3 with respect to Loans made by such Lender, and Administrative Agent shall promptly pay to Swingline Lender the amounts so received by it from the Revolving Credit Lenders. Administrative Agent shall notify Borrowers of any Revolving Credit Loans made or participations in any Swingline Loan acquired pursuant to this paragraph and thereafter payments by Borrowers in respect of such Swingline Loan shall be made to Administrative Agent and not to Swingline Lender. Any amounts received by Swingline Lender from Borrowers (or other Person on behalf of Borrowers) in respect of a Swingline Loan after receipt by Swingline Lender of the proceeds of Revolving Credit Loans to repay such Swingline Loan or a sale of participations therein shall be promptly remitted to Administrative Agent and any such amounts received by Administrative Agent shall be promptly remitted by Administrative Agent to the Revolving Credit Lenders that shall have made their payments pursuant to this paragraph and to Swingline Lender, as their interests may appear. The purchase of participations in a Swingline Loan pursuant to this paragraph shall not relieve Borrowers (or any other Person liable for any obligations of Borrowers) of any default in the payment thereof.

2.2 Letters of Credit. If requested by Borrower Representative, on its own behalf or on behalf of any other Borrower, in accordance with the procedures set forth in subsection 4.1.5, Administrative Agent agrees to cause Issuing Bank to issue Letters of Credit for the account of Borrowers; provided that the LC Amount shall not exceed the LC Sublimit at any time. No Letter of Credit may have an expiration date after the Revolving Credit Maturity Date or that is more than one year after the date of issuance; provided that a Letter of Credit may provide for automatic extensions of its expiry date for one or more successive one-year periods so long as the Issuing Bank has the right to terminate such Letter of Credit on each such annual expiration date and no renewal term may extend the term of any Letter of Credit to a date that is later than the Revolving Credit Maturity Date. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, Borrowers, Administrative Agent and Lenders hereby agree that all LC Obligations and all obligations of Borrowers relating thereto shall be satisfied by the prompt issuance of one or more Revolving Credit Loans that are Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans, which Borrowers hereby acknowledge are requested and Revolving Credit Lenders hereby agree to fund. In the event that Revolving Credit Loans are not, for any reason, promptly made to satisfy all then existing LC Obligations, each Revolving Credit Lender hereby agrees to pay to Administrative Agent, promptly following demand, for the benefit of Issuing Bank, an amount equal to such LC Obligations multiplied by such Revolving Credit Lender's Pro Rata Percentage, and until so paid, such amount shall be secured by the Collateral and shall bear interest and be payable at the same rate and in the same manner as Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans. Immediately upon the issuance of a Letter of Credit under this Agreement, each Revolving Credit Lender shall be deemed to have irrevocably and unconditionally purchased and received from Issuing Bank, without recourse or warranty, an undivided interest and participation therein equal to such LC Obligations multiplied by such Revolving Credit Lender's Pro Rata Percentage. In connection with its administration of and enforcement of rights or remedies under any Letters of Credit, Administrative Agent and its Related Parties shall be entitled to act, and shall be fully protected in acting, upon any certification, notice or other communication in whatever form believed by any of them, in good faith, to be genuine and correct and to have been signed, sent or made by a proper Person.

#### 2.3 Reserved.

## 2.4 <u>Incremental Loans and Commitments</u>

- 2.4.1 Borrower Representative may by written notice to Administrative Agent from time to time after the Closing Date, request Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$10,000,000 from one or more Incremental Revolving Credit Lenders (which may include any existing Lender) willing to provide such Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments in their own discretion; provided that each Incremental Revolving Credit Lender shall be subject to the approval of Administrative Agent. Such notice shall set forth (i) the amount of the Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments being requested (which shall be in minimum increments of \$1,000,000 and a minimum amount of \$5,000,000 or such lesser amount equal to the remaining available amount of Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments), and (ii) the date on which such Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments are requested to become effective (which shall not be less than ten (10) Business Days nor more than thirty (30) days after the date of such notice). Promptly following delivery of such notice to Administrative Agent, Administrative Agent shall notify the applicable existing Revolving Credit Lenders and each such Revolving Credit Lenders shall have the option (but shall not be required) to provide a portion of the requested Incremental Revolving Credit Commitment. To the extent that any such Lender elects not to provide its ratable portion of the requested Incremental Revolving Credit Commitment, Administrative Agent may request other existing Lenders or other financial institutions to provide such portion of the requested Incremental Revolving Credit Commitment, and Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent for its own account such arrangement fees as agreed to by Administrative Agent and Borrowers.
- Assumption Agreement and such other documentation as Administrative Agent shall reasonably specify to evidence the Incremental Revolving Credit Commitment of such Incremental Revolving Credit Lender, and Borrowers shall have paid to such Incremental Revolving Credit Lender such fees as shall have been agreed to by and among the Borrowers, such Incremental Revolving Credit Lender and the Administrative Agent. Each of the parties hereto hereby agrees that, upon the effectiveness of any Incremental Assumption Agreement, this Agreement shall be deemed amended to the extent (but only to the extent) necessary to reflect the existence and terms of the Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments evidenced thereby as provided for in Section 13.3; provided, that, (i) the Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments shall be implemented as an increase to the Revolving Credit Commitments and the terms of the Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments shall be identical to the then-existing Revolving Credit Commitments and (ii) all minimum Availability requirements or thresholds set forth herein as a specific dollar amount shall be increased by the same percentage as the Revolving Credit Commitments are being increased by the Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments.

- 2.4.3 Notwithstanding the foregoing, no Incremental Revolving Credit Commitment shall become effective under this Section 2.4 unless (i) on the date of such effectiveness, the conditions set forth in subsections 10.2.1 and 10.2.2 shall be satisfied and Administrative Agent shall have received a certificate to that effect dated such date and executed by a responsible officer of Borrower Representative and (ii) Administrative Agent shall have received customary legal opinions, board resolutions and other customary closing certificates and documentation as required by the relevant Incremental Assumption Agreement and, to the extent required by Administrative Agent or Majority Lenders, consistent with those delivered on the Closing Date under Section 10.1 and such additional customary documents and filings (including amendments to the Mortgages and other Security Documents and title endorsement bringdowns) as Administrative Agent may reasonably require to assure that the Loans in respect of Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments are secured by the Collateral.
- 2.4.4 Each of the parties hereto hereby agrees that Administrative Agent may take any and all action as may be reasonably necessary to ensure that, after giving effect to any increase in the Revolving Credit Commitments pursuant to this Section 2.4, the outstanding Revolving Credit Loans (if any) are held by the Revolving Credit Lenders in accordance with their new Pro Rata Percentages. This may be accomplished at the discretion of Administrative Agent, following consultation with Borrower Representative, (i) by requiring the outstanding Revolving Credit Loans to be prepaid with the proceeds of a new Revolving Credit Loan, (ii) by causing non-increasing Revolving Credit Lenders to assign portions of their outstanding Revolving Credit Loans to new or increasing Revolving Credit Lenders or (iii) by a combination of the foregoing.

# **SECTION 3. INTEREST, FEES AND CHARGES**

## 3.1 <u>Interest.</u>

- 3.1.1 Rates of Interest. Interest shall accrue on the principal amount of the Base Rate Loans outstanding at the end of each day at a fluctuating rate per annum equal to the Applicable Margin then in effect plus the Base Rate. Such rate of interest shall increase or decrease by an amount equal to any increase or decrease in the Base Rate, effective as of the opening of business on the day that any such change in the Base Rate occurs. If Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers, exercises the LIBOR Option as provided in Section 4.1, interest shall accrue on the principal amount of the LIBOR Loans outstanding at the end of each day at a rate per annum equal to the Applicable Margin then in effect plus the LIBOR Lending Rate applicable to each LIBOR Loan for the corresponding Interest Period.
- 3.1.2 <u>Default Rate of Interest</u>. At the option of Administrative Agent, upon and after the occurrence of an Event of Default, and during the continuation thereof, all Obligations shall bear interest at a rate per annum equal to 2.0% <u>plus</u> the rate otherwise applicable thereto (the "<u>Default Rate</u>").
- 3.1.3 <u>Maximum Interest</u>. In no event whatsoever shall the aggregate of all amounts deemed interest hereunder and charged or collected pursuant to the terms of this Agreement exceed the highest rate permissible under any law which a court of competent jurisdiction shall, in a final determination, deem applicable hereto (the "<u>Maximum Rate</u>"). If any provisions of this Agreement are in contravention of any such law, such provisions shall be deemed amended to conform thereto. If at any time, the amount of interest paid hereunder is limited by the Maximum Rate, and the amount at which interest accrues hereunder is subsequently below the Maximum Rate, the rate at which interest accrues hereunder shall remain at the Maximum Rate, until such time as the aggregate interest paid hereunder equals the amount of interest that would have been paid had the Maximum Rate not applied.

- 3.2 <u>Computation of Interest and Fees</u>. Interest with respect to LIBOR Loans, Letter of Credit fees and Unused Line Fees hereunder shall be calculated daily and shall be computed on the actual number of days elapsed over a year of 360 days. Interest with respect to Base Rate Loans hereunder shall be calculated daily and shall be computed on the actual number of days elapsed over a year of 365 days or 366 days, as applicable. For the purpose of computing interest hereunder, all items of payment received by Administrative Agent shall be deemed applied by Administrative Agent on account of the Obligations (subject to final payment of such items) on the next Business Day (unless a Cash Dominion Trigger Event has occurred and is continuing, in which case, on the second (2 nd) Business Day) after receipt by Administrative Agent of such items in Administrative Agent's account located in Boston, Massachusetts.
- 3.3 <u>Fee Letter</u>. Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent certain fees and other amounts in accordance with the terms of the fee letter between Borrowers and Administrative Agent (the "<u>Fee Letter</u>").
- 3.4 <u>Letter of Credit Fees</u>. Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent (i) for the ratable benefit of Revolving Credit Lenders, a per annum fee equal to the Applicable Margin then in effect for LIBOR Revolving Credit Loans multiplied by the aggregate undrawn available amount of such Letters of Credit outstanding from time to time during the term of this Agreement, (ii) for the benefit of Issuing Bank, all normal and customary charges associated with the issuance, processing and administration thereof, which fees and charges shall be deemed fully earned upon issuance of each such Letter of Credit or as advised by Administrative Agent or Issuing Bank, and (iii) for the benefit of Issuing Bank, a per annum fronting fee equal to 0.125% of the aggregate face amount of such Letters of Credit outstanding from time to time during the term of this Agreement. Such fees and charges shall be payable quarterly in arrears on the first Business Day of each fiscal quarter or as advised by Administrative Agent or Issuing Bank and shall not be subject to rebate or proration upon the termination of this Agreement for any reason.
- 3.5 <u>Unused Line Fee</u>. Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent, for the ratable benefit of Revolving Credit Lenders, a fee (the "<u>Unused Line Fee</u>") equal to the Unused Line Fee Margin per annum multiplied by the average daily amount by which the Revolving Credit Maximum Amount exceeds the Aggregate Revolving Extensions; <u>provided</u> that, if there is more than one (1) Lender, any outstanding Swingline Loans shall not be included as part of the outstanding balance of the Revolving Credit Loans for purposes of calculating the Unused Line Fee. The Unused Line Fee shall be payable quarterly in arrears on the first Business Day of each fiscal quarter hereafter and on the Revolving Credit Termination Date.

- 3.6 Reimbursement of Expenses. If, at any time or times regardless of whether or not an Event of Default then exists, (i) Administrative Agent incurs reasonable out-of-pocket legal or accounting expenses or any other reasonable out-of-pocket costs or out-of-pocket expenses in connection with (a) the negotiation and preparation of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, any amendment of or modification of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, or any syndication or attempted syndication of the Obligations (including, without limitation, printing and distribution of materials to prospective Lenders and all costs associated with bank meetings, but excluding any closing fees paid to Lenders in connection therewith), provided that due diligence expenses in connection with consummation of this Agreement shall not exceed \$50,000 or (b) the administration of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents and the transactions contemplated hereby and thereby, or (ii) Administrative Agent or any Lender incurs reasonable out-of-pocket legal or accounting expenses or any other reasonable out-of-pocket costs or out-of-pocket expenses in connection with (a) any litigation, contest, dispute, suit, proceeding or action (whether instituted by Administrative Agent, any Lender, any Borrower or any other Person) relating to the Collateral, this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents or any Borrower's, any of its Subsidiaries' or any Guarantor's affairs, (b) any attempt to enforce any rights of Administrative Agent or any Lender against any Borrower or any other Person which may be obligated to Administrative Agent or any Lender by virtue of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents or (c) any attempt to inspect, verify, protect, preserve, restore, collect, sell, liquidate or otherwise dispose of or realize upon the Collateral, including, without limitation, any excise, property, sales, and use taxes imposed by any state, federal, or local authority on any of the Collateral or in respect of the sale thereof; then all such legal and accounting expenses, other costs and out-of-pocket expenses of Administrative Agent or any Lender, as applicable, shall be charged to Borrowers; provided, that, in the case of each of clauses (i) and (ii), any such legal expenses shall be limited to one counsel for Administrative Agent and one local counsel in each appropriate jurisdiction, if necessary, and, in the case of clause (ii), one additional counsel for all Lenders other than Administrative Agent. All amounts chargeable to Borrowers under this Section 3.7 shall be Obligations secured by all of the Collateral, shall be payable promptly following demand to Administrative Agent or such Lender, as the case may be, and shall bear interest from the date such demand is made until paid in full at the rate applicable to Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans from time to time. Borrowers shall also reimburse Administrative Agent for expenses incurred by any Agent to the extent and in the manner provided in Sections 3.8 and 3.9 hereof.
- 3.7 <u>Bank Charges</u>. Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent, promptly following demand, any and all reasonable fees, costs or expenses which Administrative Agent or any Lender pays to a bank or other similar institution arising out of or in connection with (i) the forwarding to any Borrower or any other Person on behalf of any Borrower, by Administrative Agent or any Lender, of proceeds of Loans made to Borrowers pursuant to this Agreement and (ii) the depositing for collection by Administrative Agent or any Lender of any check or item of payment received or delivered to Administrative Agent or any Lender on account of the Obligations.
- Field Exams; Appraisals. Collateral Agent may, at Borrowers' expense, conduct one (1) field exam per year of the books, records and Properties of Borrowers and their Subsidiaries and such other matters as Collateral Agent shall deem appropriate in its reasonable credit judgment, which field exam may be conducted by employees of Collateral Agent or by third parties hired by Collateral Agent. In addition, Collateral Agent may conduct (i) one (1) additional field exam per year, at Borrowers' expense, if a Cash Dominion Trigger Event has occurred and is continuing, and (ii) such additional field exams, at Borrowers' expense, as Collateral Agent shall require if an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing. If (i) Borrowers request that Inventory consisting of raw materials be included in the Borrowing Base as Eligible Inventory, or (ii) if the Borrowers request that Inventory consisting of finished goods, the Value of which would exceed the Inventory Cap, be included in the Borrowing Base, Collateral Agent may, at Borrowers' expense, obtain one (1) appraisal per year from appraisers (who may be personnel of Collateral Agent), stating the then current Value or NOLV of all or any portion of the real or personal Property of any Borrower or any of its Subsidiaries, including without limitation the Inventory of any Borrower and its Subsidiaries. In addition, Collateral Agent may obtain (i) one (1) additional appraisal per year, at Borrowers' expense, if a Cash Dominion Trigger Event has occurred and is continuing, and (ii) such additional appraisals, at Borrowers' expense, as Collateral Agent shall require if an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing. Administrative Agent may, in its discretion upon prior notice to Borrowers, provide for the payment of such amounts by making appropriate Revolving Credit Loans to Borrowers and charging Borrowers' Loan Account therefor. All field exams and audits provided for in this Section 3.8 shall be effected during normal business hours and on reasonable advance notice

3.9 <u>Payment of Charges</u>. All amounts chargeable to Borrowers under this Agreement shall be Obligations secured by all of the Collateral, shall be, unless specifically otherwise provided, payable promptly following demand and shall bear interest from the date demand was made or such amount is due, as applicable, until paid in full at the rate applicable to Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans from time to time.

## 3.10 <u>Taxes</u>.

- 3.10.1 <u>No Deductions</u>. Any and all payments or reimbursements made hereunder shall be made free and clear of and without deduction for any and all taxes, levies, imposts, deductions, charges or withholdings, and all liabilities with respect thereto, other than Excluded Taxes (collectively, "Indemnified Taxes"). If Applicable Law requires a deduction for any such Indemnified Taxes from or in respect of any sum payable hereunder to Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank or any Lender, then the sum payable hereunder shall be increased as may be necessary so that, after all required deductions are made, Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank or such Lender receives an amount equal to the sum it would have received had no such deductions been made.
- 3.10.2 <u>Indemnification for Taxes</u>. The Loan Parties shall jointly and severally indemnify Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank and each Lender, within ten (10) days after demand therefor, for the full amount of any Indemnified Taxes payable or paid by Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank or such Lender or required to be withheld or deducted from a payment to Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank or such Lender and any reasonable out-of-pocket expenses arising therefrom or with respect thereto, whether or not such Indemnified Taxes were correctly or legally imposed or asserted by the relevant Governmental Authority. A certificate as to the amount of such payment or liability prepared in good faith and delivered to the Loan Parties by Issuing Bank or a Lender (with a copy to Administrative Agent), or by Administrative Agent on its own behalf or on behalf of Issuing Bank or a Lender, shall be conclusive absent manifest error. Notwithstanding any contrary provision in this Agreement, the obligation of the Loan Parties under this <u>Section 3.11</u> shall survive the payment in full of the Obligations and the termination of this Agreement.

- 3.10.3 <u>Status of Lenders</u>. Any Lender that is entitled to an exemption from or reduction of withholding tax with respect to any payments made hereunder or under any other Loan Document shall deliver to Borrowers and Administrative Agent, at the time or times reasonably requested by the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent, such properly completed and executed documentation reasonably requested by the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent as will permit such payments to be made without withholding or at a reduced rate of withholding. In addition, any Lender, if reasonably requested by the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent as will the Loan Parties Borrowers or Administrative Agent to determine whether or not such Lender is subject to backup withholding or information reporting requirements. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing:
  - (i) each U.S. Lender shall deliver to the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent (in such number of copies as shall be requested by the recipient) on or prior to the date on which such U.S. Lender becomes a Lender under this Agreement (and from time to time thereafter upon the reasonable request of the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent), executed originals of IRS Form W-9 certifying that such Lender is exempt from U.S. federal backup withholding;
  - (ii) each Foreign Lender shall deliver to the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent (in such number of copies as shall be requested by the recipient) on or prior to the date on which such Foreign Lender becomes a Lender under this Agreement (and from time to time thereafter upon the reasonable request of the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent), whichever of the following is applicable:
  - (a) in the case of a Foreign Lender claiming the benefits of an income tax treaty to which the United States is a party, executed originals of IRS Form W-8BEN (or any successor forms) establishing an exemption from, or reduction of, U.S. federal withholding, and such other documentation as required by the Code;
    - (b) executed originals of IRS Form W-8ECI (or any successor forms);
  - (c) in the case of a Foreign Lender claiming the benefits of the exemption for portfolio interest under Section 871(h) or Section 881(c) of the Code, (x) certificates substantially in the form of Exhibit 3.11 (a "U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate") and (y) executed originals of IRS Form W-8BEN (or any successor form); or
  - (d) to the extent a Foreign Lender is not the beneficial owner, executed originals of IRS Form W-8IMY (or any successor form), accompanied by IRS Form W-8ECI, IRS Form W-8BEN, a U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate, IRS Form W-9, and/or other certification documents (or successor forms) from each beneficial owner, as applicable; <u>provided</u>, that if the Foreign Lender is a partnership (and not a participating lender) and one or more direct or indirect partners of such Foreign Lender are claiming the portfolio interest exemption, a U.S. Tax Compliance Certificate may be provided by such Foreign Lender on behalf of each such direct and indirect partner;

- (iii) any Foreign Lender shall, to the extent it is legally eligible to do so, deliver to the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent (in such number of copies as shall be requested by the recipient) on or prior to the date on which such Foreign Lender becomes a Lender under this Agreement (and from time to time thereafter upon the reasonable request of the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent), executed originals of any other form prescribed by applicable law as a basis for claiming exemption from or a reduction in U.S. federal withholding Tax, duly completed, together with such supplementary documentation as may be prescribed by applicable law to permit the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent to determine the withholding or deduction required to be made; and
- (iv) if a payment made to a Lender under any Loan Document would be subject to U.S. federal withholding Tax imposed by FATCA if such Lender were to fail to comply with the applicable reporting requirements of FATCA (including those contained in Section 1471(b) or 1472(b) of the Code, as applicable), such Lender shall deliver to the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent at the time or times prescribed by Law and at such time or times reasonably requested by the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent such documentation prescribed by applicable Law (including as prescribed by Section 1471(b)(3)(C)(i) of the Code) and such additional documentation reasonably requested by the Loan Parties or Administrative Agent as may be necessary for the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent to comply with their obligations under FATCA, to determine whether such Lender has complied with such Lender's obligations under FATCA and/or to determine the amount, if any, to deduct and withhold from such payment.

Each Lender agrees that if any documentation it previously delivered expires or becomes obsolete or inaccurate in any respect, it shall promptly update such documentation or promptly notify the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent in writing of its inability to do so. Notwithstanding any other provisions of this subsection 3.11.3, a Lender shall not be required to deliver any documentation that such Lender is not legally eligible to deliver.

#### SECTION 4. LOAN ADMINISTRATION

- 4.1 <u>Procedures for Borrowing and LIBOR Option</u>. Borrowings under the credit facility established pursuant to <u>Section 2</u> hereof shall be as follows:
  - 4.1.1 Loan Requests . Requests for a Revolving Credit Loan shall be made, or shall be deemed to be made, in the following manner:
- (i) Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers, may give Administrative Agent notice of its intention to borrow, in which notice Borrower Representative shall specify the amount of the proposed borrowing of a Revolving Credit Loan (which shall be no less than \$1,000,000 or an integral multiple of \$100,000 in excess thereof in the case of Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans which are not Swingline Loans (with respect to which there shall be no minimum borrowing amount)) and the proposed borrowing date, which shall be a Business Day, no later than 11:00 a.m. (New York time) on the proposed borrowing date (or in accordance with subsection 4.1.7 or 4.1.8, as applicable, in the case of a request for a LIBOR Loan).

- (ii) On the date on which any amount required to be paid under this Agreement, whether as interest, repayment of Swingline Loans pursuant to <u>subsection 2.1.3</u>, repayment of LC Obligations pursuant to <u>Section 2.2</u>, or for any other Obligation, becomes due and payable, Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers, shall be deemed irrevocably to have made a request for a Revolving Credit Loan on such due date in the amount required to pay such interest or other Obligation.
- 4.1.2 <u>Disbursement</u>. The proceeds of each Revolving Credit Loan requested pursuant to <u>subsection 4.1.1(i)</u> shall be disbursed by Administrative Agent in lawful money of the United States of America in immediately available funds, in the case of the initial requested borrowing, in accordance with the terms of the written disbursement letter from Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers, and in the case of each subsequent requested borrowing, by wire transfer to such bank account as may be agreed upon by Borrowers and Administrative Agent from time to time or elsewhere if pursuant to a written direction from Borrower Representative. The proceeds of each Revolving Credit Loan that is deemed requested pursuant to <u>subsection 4.1.1(ii)</u> shall be disbursed by Administrative Agent in lawful money of the United States of America in immediately available funds by way of direct payment of the relevant interest or other Obligation. If at any time any Loan is funded by Administrative Agent or Lenders in excess of the amount requested or deemed requested by Borrowers, Borrowers agree to repay the excess to Administrative Agent immediately following the earlier to occur of (a) any Borrower's discovery of the error and (b) notice thereof to Borrowers from Administrative Agent or any Lender.
- 4.1.3 Payment by Lenders. Administrative Agent shall give to each Lender prompt written notice by facsimile, e-mail or otherwise of the receipt by Administrative Agent from Borrower Representative of any request for a Revolving Credit Loan. Each such notice shall specify the requested date and amount of such Revolving Credit Loan, whether such Revolving Credit Loan shall be subject to the LIBOR Option, and the amount of each Lender's advance thereunder (in accordance with its applicable Pro Rata Percentage). Each Lender shall, not later than 12:00 p.m. (New York time) on such requested date, wire to a bank designated by Administrative Agent the amount of that Lender's Pro Rata Percentage of the requested Revolving Credit Loan. The failure of any Lender to make the Revolving Credit Loans to be made by it shall not release any other Lender of its obligations hereunder to make its Revolving Credit Loan. Neither Administrative Agent nor any other Lender shall be responsible for the failure of any other Lender to make the Revolving Credit Loan to be made by such other Lender. The foregoing notwithstanding, Administrative Agent, in its sole discretion, may from its own funds make a Revolving Credit Loan on behalf of any Lender. In such event, the Lender on behalf of whom Administrative Agent made the Revolving Credit Loan shall reimburse Administrative Agent for the amount of such Revolving Credit Loan made on its behalf, on a weekly (or more frequent, as determined by Administrative Agent in its sole discretion) basis. On each such settlement date, Administrative Agent will pay to each Lender the net amount owing to such Lender in connection with such settlement, including without limitation amounts relating to Loans, fees, interest and other amounts payable hereunder. The entire amount of interest attributable to such Revolving Credit Loan for the period from the date on which such Revolving Credit Loan was made by Administrative Agent on such Lender's behalf until Administrative Agent is reimbursed by such Lender,

- 4.1.4 <u>Authorization</u>. Borrowers hereby irrevocably authorize Administrative Agent, in Administrative Agent's sole discretion, to advance to Borrowers, and to charge to Borrowers' Loan Account hereunder as a Revolving Credit Loan (which shall be a Base Rate Revolving Credit Loan), a sum sufficient to pay all interest accrued on the Obligations during the immediately preceding quarter and to pay all reasonable out-of-pocket fees, costs and expenses and other Obligations at any time owed by any Borrower to Administrative Agent or any Lender hereunder.
- 4.1.5 <u>Letter of Credit Requests</u>. A request for a Letter of Credit shall be made in the following manner: Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers, may give Administrative Agent and Issuing Bank a written notice of its request for the issuance of a Letter of Credit, not later than 11:00 a.m. (New York time), one Business Day before the proposed issuance date thereof, in which notice Borrower Representative shall specify the issuance date and format and wording for the Letter of Credit being requested (which shall be satisfactory to Administrative Agent and the Person being asked to issue such Letter of Credit). Such request shall be accompanied by an executed application and reimbursement agreement in form and substance satisfactory to Administrative Agent and the Person being asked to issue the Letter of Credit, as well as any required resolutions and other documents.
- 4.1.6 Method of Making Requests. As an accommodation to Borrowers, unless an Event of Default is then in existence, (i) Administrative Agent shall permit telephonic or electronic requests for Revolving Credit Loans to Administrative Agent, (ii) Administrative Agent and Issuing Bank may, in their discretion, permit electronic transmittal of requests for Letters of Credit to them, and (iii) Administrative Agent may, in Administrative Agent's discretion, permit electronic transmittal of instructions, authorizations, agreements or reports to Administrative Agent. Unless Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers specifically directs Administrative Agent or Issuing Bank in writing not to accept or act upon telephonic or electronic communications from any Borrower, neither Administrative Agent nor Issuing Bank shall have any liability to Borrowers for any loss or damage suffered by any Borrower as a result of Administrative Agent's or Issuing Bank's honoring of any requests, execution of any instructions, authorizations or agreements or reliance on any reports communicated to it telephonically or electronically and purporting to have been sent to Administrative Agent or Issuing Bank by any Borrower, and neither Administrative Agent nor Issuing Bank shall have any duty to verify the origin of any such communication or the authority of the Person sending it. Each telephonic request for a Revolving Credit Loan or Letter of Credit accepted by Administrative Agent and Issuing Bank, if applicable, hereunder shall be promptly followed by a written confirmation of such request from Borrower Representative to Administrative Agent and Issuing Bank, if applicable.

- 4.1.7 <u>LIBOR Loan Request</u>. By delivering a borrowing request to Administrative Agent on or before 10:00 a.m., New York time, on a Business Day, Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of each other Borrower, may from time to time irrevocably request, on not less than three nor more than five Business Days' notice, that a LIBOR Loan be made in a minimum amount of \$1,000,000 and integral multiples of \$100,000, with an Interest Period of one, two, three or six months. On the terms and subject to the conditions of this agreement, each LIBOR Loan shall be made available to Borrowers no later than 11:00 a.m. New York time on the first day of the applicable Interest Period by deposit to the account of the applicable Borrower as shall have been specified in its borrowing request. In no event shall Borrowers be permitted to have outstanding at any one time LIBOR Loans with more than six different Interest Periods.
- 4.1.8 Continuation and Conversion Elections. By delivering a continuation/conversion notice to Administrative Agent on or before 10:00 a.m., New York time, on a Business Day, Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of each other Borrower, may from time to time irrevocably elect, on not less than three nor more than five Business Days' notice, that all, or any portion in an aggregate minimum amount of \$1,000,000 and integral multiples of \$100,000, of any LIBOR Loan be converted on the last day of an Interest Period into a LIBOR Loan with a different Interest Period, or continued on the last day of an Interest Period as a LIBOR Loan with a similar Interest Period, provided, however, that no portion of the outstanding principal amount of any LIBOR Loans when any Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, and no portion of the outstanding principal amount of any LIBOR Loans may be converted to LIBOR Loans of a different duration if such LIBOR Loans relate to any Derivative Obligations. If any Default or Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, or in the absence of delivery of a continuation/conversion notice with respect to any LIBOR Loan at least three Business Days before the last day of the then current Interest Period with respect thereto, each maturing LIBOR Loan shall automatically be continued as a Base Rate Loan.
- 4.1.9 Voluntary Prepayment of LIBOR Loans. LIBOR Loans may be prepaid upon the terms and conditions set forth herein. For LIBOR Loans in connection with which Borrowers have or may incur Derivative Obligations, additional obligations may be associated with prepayment, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the applicable underlying agreements relating to such Derivative Obligations. Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of each other Borrower, shall give Administrative Agent, no later than 10:00 a.m., New York time, at least three (3) Business Days' notice of any proposed prepayment of any LIBOR Loan, specifying the proposed date of payment of such LIBOR Loan, and the principal amount to be paid. Each partial prepayment of the principal amount of LIBOR Loans shall be in a minimum amount of \$1,000,000 and integral multiples of \$100,000 and accompanied by the payment of all charges outstanding on such LIBOR Loans and of all accrued interest on the principal repaid to the date of payment. Borrowers acknowledge that prepayment or acceleration of a LIBOR Loan during an Interest Period shall result in Lenders incurring additional costs, expenses and/or liabilities and that it is extremely difficult and impractical to ascertain the extent of such costs, expenses and/or liabilities. Therefore, all full or partial prepayments of LIBOR Loans shall be accompanied by, and Borrowers hereby promise to pay, on each date a LIBOR Loan is prepaid or the date all sums payable hereunder become due and payable, by acceleration or otherwise, in addition to all other sums then owing, an amount equal to the loss, cost and expense incurred by each Lender attributable to such event (including any loss, expense or liability incurred by reason of the liquidation or reemployment of deposits or other funds required by such Lender to fund its LIBOR Loans and any loss, expense or liability relating to any currency swap entered into by such Lender to fund such LIBOR Loan, but excluding loss of anticipated profits) ("LIBOR Loan Prepayment Fee"). A certificate of any Lender setting forth in reasonable detail any amount or amounts that such Lender is entitled to receive pursuant to this subsection 4.1.9 shall be delivered to Borrower Representative (with a copy to Administrative Agent) and shall be conclusive and binding absent manifest error.

- 4.2 <u>Payments</u>. The Obligations shall be payable as follows:
- 4.2.1 <u>Revolving Credit Loans</u>. Principal on account of Revolving Credit Loans shall be payable by Borrowers to Administrative Agent for the ratable benefit of Lenders immediately upon the earliest of (i) the occurrence of an Event of Default in consequence of which Administrative Agent or Majority Lenders elect to accelerate the maturity and payment of the Obligations, or (ii) termination of this Agreement pursuant to <u>Section 5</u> hereof; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that, if an Overadvance shall exist at any time, Borrowers shall, promptly following demand, repay the Overadvance. Each payment by Borrowers on account of principal of the Revolving Credit Loans shall be applied first to Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans and then to LIBOR Revolving Credit Loans.
- 4.2.2 <u>Interest Provisions</u>. Interest on the outstanding principal amount of any Loan shall be payable on each applicable Interest Payment Date.
- 4.2.3 <u>Costs, Fees and Charges</u>. Costs, fees and charges payable pursuant to this Agreement shall be payable by Borrowers to Administrative Agent, as and when provided to Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank or a Lender, as applicable, or to any other Person designated by Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank or such Lender in writing.
- 4.2.4 Other Obligations. The balance of the Obligations requiring the payment of money, if any, shall be payable by Borrowers to Administrative Agent for distribution to Issuing Bank and Lenders, as applicable, as and when provided in this Agreement or the other Loan Documents.
- 4.2.5 <u>LIBOR Loans</u>. If the application of any payment made in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement would result in the prepayment, in whole or in part, of a LIBOR Loan prior to the last day of the Interest Period for such LIBOR Loan, Borrowers shall pay to each Lender on the date of each such prepayment any applicable LIBOR Loan Prepayment Fees of such Lender; <u>provided</u>, <u>that</u>, if no Event of Default has occurred and is continuing at the time such payment is to be applied, the amount of such prepayment shall not be applied to such LIBOR Loan, but will, at Borrowers' option, be held by Administrative Agent in a non-interest-bearing account at Bank, which account is in the name of Administrative Agent and from which account only Administrative Agent can make any withdrawal, in each case to be applied as such amount would otherwise have been applied hereunder at the earlier to occur of (i) the last day of the relevant Interest Period or (ii) the occurrence of an Event of Default, in which case, the LIBOR Loan Prepayment Fees shall be payable upon the occurrence of such Event of Default.

## 4.3 Mandatory and Optional Prepayments.

Proceeds of Sale, Loss, Destruction or Condemnation of Collateral. If any Loan Party sells any of the Collateral (other than any sales or dispositions permitted under any clause of subsection 9.2.8, except clause (xi) thereof) or if any of the Collateral is lost or destroyed or taken by condemnation, in each case which results in the realization by such Loan Party of net cash proceeds, then subject to the provisions of this subsection 4.3.1, Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent, for the ratable benefit of Lenders, as and when received by any Loan Party and as a mandatory prepayment of the Loans, as herein provided, a sum equal to 100% of such net cash proceeds (including insurance payments but in all cases net of costs incurred in connection with any sale or recovery and taxes incurred in connection with such sale or event) received by such Loan Party from such sale, loss, destruction or condemnation. The applicable prepayment shall be applied to reduce the outstanding principal balance of the Revolving Credit Loans, without a reduction of the Revolving Credit Commitments. Notwithstanding the foregoing, with respect to the proceeds of insurance (net of costs incurred, including costs of recovery and taxes incurred) arising out of any loss, destruction or condemnation of Collateral, so long as no Cash Dominion Trigger Event has occurred and is then continuing, Administrative Agent hereby agrees to permit Borrowers or the applicable Loan Party to retain and reinvest all or any portion of such net cash proceeds in operating assets (and pay transaction expenses associated with the acquisition thereof), including pursuant to a Permitted Acquisition and, in the event any such net cash proceeds exceed \$500,000, (A) so long as within 180 days after the receipt of such net cash proceeds, such reinvestment shall have been consummated or such reinvestment is subject to a binding written agreement with a third party which is not an Affiliate of Borrowers which agreement was entered into during such 180-day time period and which reinvestment is consummated within 120 days after such 180-day period expires (as certified by the Borrowers in writing to the Administrative Agent upon request); (B) any net cash proceeds received by any Borrower or other Loan Party not so reinvested shall thereafter be promptly applied to the prepayment of the Loans as set forth in Section 4.4 below. The net cash proceeds from any business interruption insurance received by any Borrower and/or any other Loan Party may be retained by the Borrowers or the applicable Loan Party so long as there in no Event of Default that has occurred and is then continuing.

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- 4.3.3 <u>Proceeds from Issuance of Additional Indebtedness or Equity</u>. If any Loan Party issues and receives proceeds from, any additional Indebtedness (other than Indebtedness permitted pursuant to <u>subsection 9.2.2</u>) or any additional equity (other than pursuant to a Permitted Equity Issuance), Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent, for the ratable benefit of Lenders, when and as received by such Loan Party and as a mandatory prepayment of the Obligations, a sum equal to 100% of the net cash proceeds to such Loan Party of the issuance of such Indebtedness or equity (less the amount of any costs incurred in connection therewith, including taxes payable thereon, underwriting discounts, commissions and other out-of-pocket costs and expenses). Any such prepayment shall be applied to repay outstanding principal of Revolving Credit Loans without a reduction of the Revolving Credit Commitments.
- 4.3.4 <u>Excess Revolving Credit Extensions</u>. If at any time the Aggregate Revolving Extensions exceed the Line Cap at such time (except as a result of Overadvances permitted under <u>subsection 2.1.2</u>), Borrowers shall immediately repay the Revolving Credit Loans and/or cash collateralize the Letters of Credit in an aggregate amount equal to such excess.

4.3.5 Optional Reductions of Revolving Credit Commitments. Borrowers may, at their option from time to time upon not less than three (3) Business Days' prior written notice to Administrative Agent, permanently reduce ratably in part, the unused portion of the Revolving Credit Commitments, provided, however, that (i) each such optional reduction shall be in an amount of \$2,000,000 or integral multiples of \$1,000,000 in excess thereof. Except for charges under Section 3.6 or subsection 4.1.9, as applicable, such prepayments shall be without premium or penalty.

## 4.4 Application of Payments and Collections.

- 4.4.1 <u>Collections</u>. All items of payment received by Administrative Agent by 12:00 noon, New York time, on any Business Day shall be deemed received on that Business Day. All items of payment received after 12:00 noon, New York time, on any Business Day, in Administrative Agent's discretion, shall be deemed received on the following Business Day. If as the result of collections of Accounts as authorized by <u>subsection 7.2.4</u> hereof or otherwise, a credit balance exists in the Loan Account, such credit balance shall not accrue interest in favor of Borrowers, but shall be disbursed to Borrowers or otherwise at Borrower Representative's direction in the manner set forth in <u>subsection 4.1.2</u>, upon Borrower Representative's request at any time, so long as no Event of Default then exists. Administrative Agent may at its option, offset such credit balance against any of the Obligations upon and during the continuance of an Event of Default.
- 4.4.2 Apportionment, Application and Reversal of Payments. Principal and interest payments shall be apportioned ratably among Lenders (according to the unpaid principal balance of the Loans to which such payments relate held by each Lender). Prior to the occurrence of an Event of Default, all proceeds of Collateral shall be applied by Administrative Agent against the outstanding Obligations as otherwise provided in this Agreement. Anything contained herein or in any other Loan Document to the contrary notwithstanding, all payments and collections received in respect of the Obligations and all proceeds of the Collateral received, in each instance, by Administrative Agent or any Lender after the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default and the resultant declaration that all Obligations are immediately due and payable shall be remitted to Administrative Agent and distributed as follows:
  - (i) <u>first</u>, to the payment of any outstanding reasonable out-of-pocket costs and expenses incurred by any Agent in monitoring, verifying, protecting, preserving or enforcing the Liens on the Collateral, and in protecting, preserving or enforcing rights under this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, and payable by Borrowers under this Agreement, including, without limitation, under <u>Sections 3.7, 3.9</u> and <u>13.2</u> hereof (such funds to be retained by the applicable Agent for its own account unless it has previously been reimbursed for such costs and expenses by Lenders, in which event such amounts shall be remitted to Lenders to reimburse them for payments theretofore made to such Agent);
  - (ii) <u>second</u>, to the payment of any outstanding interest or fees due under the Loan Documents to be allocated pro rata in accordance with the aggregate unpaid amounts owing to each holder thereof;

- (iii) <u>third</u>, to the payment of the principal balance of the Swingline Loans;
- (iv) <u>fourth</u>, to the payment of principal on the Revolving Credit Loans, unpaid reimbursement obligations in respect of Letters of Credit, together with amounts to be held by Administrative Agent as collateral security for any outstanding Letters of Credit pursuant to <u>subsection 11.3.5</u> hereof, amounts owing with respect to Derivative Obligations (other than Excess Derivative Obligations), the aggregate amount paid to, or held as collateral security for, Lenders (and their Affiliates, as applicable in the case of Derivative Obligations) to be allocated pro rata in accordance with the aggregate unpaid amounts owing to each holder thereof;
- (v) <u>fifth</u>, to the payment of all other unpaid Obligations (including, without limitation, all Product Obligations not included in any of the preceding clauses of this <u>subsection 4.4.2</u>) and all other indebtedness, obligations, and liabilities of the Loan Parties to be allocated pro rata in accordance with the aggregate unpaid amounts owing to each holder thereof; and
  - (vi) finally, to Borrowers or otherwise as required by law or court order.

Except as otherwise specifically provided for herein, Borrowers hereby irrevocably waive the right to direct the application of payments and collections at any time received by Administrative Agent or any Lender from or on behalf of Borrowers or any Guarantor, and Borrowers hereby irrevocably agree that Administrative Agent shall have the continuing exclusive right to apply and reapply any and all such payments and collections received at any time by Administrative Agent or any Lender against the Obligations in the manner described above. In the event that the amount of any Derivative Obligation is not fixed and determined at the time proceeds of Collateral are received which are to be allocated thereto, the proceeds of Collateral so allocated shall be held by Administrative Agent as collateral security (in a non-interest bearing account) until such Derivative Obligation is fixed and determined and then the same shall (if and when, and to the extent that, payment of such liability is required by the terms of the relevant contractual arrangements) be applied to such liability.

- 4.5 <u>All Loans to Constitute One Obligation</u>. The Loans and LC Obligations shall constitute one general Obligation of Borrowers and shall be secured by Administrative Agent's Lien upon all of the Collateral.
- 4.6 <u>Loan Account</u>. Administrative Agent shall enter all Loans as debits to a loan account (the "<u>Loan Account</u>") and shall also record in the Loan Account all payments made by Borrowers on any Obligations and all proceeds of Collateral which are finally paid to Administrative Agent, and may record therein, in accordance with customary accounting practice, other debits and credits, including interest and all charges and expenses properly chargeable to Borrowers.

- 4.7 <u>Statements of Account</u>. Administrative Agent will account to Borrower Representative monthly with a statement of Loans, charges and payments made pursuant to this Agreement during the immediately preceding month, and such account rendered by Administrative Agent shall be deemed final, binding and conclusive upon Borrowers absent demonstrable or manifest error unless Administrative Agent is notified by Borrowers in writing to the contrary within thirty (30) days of the date each accounting is received by Borrowers. Such notice shall be deemed an objection only to those items specifically objected to therein.
- Increased Costs. If any Change in Law on or after the date hereof (i) shall subject Administrative Agent or any Lender to any tax, duty or other charge with respect to its Loans or its obligation to make Loans, or shall change the basis of taxation of payments to Administrative Agent or any Lender of the principal of or interest on its Loans or any other amounts due under this Agreement in respect of its Loans or its obligation to make Loans (except for the introduction of, or change in the rate of, tax on the overall net income of Administrative Agent or any Lender or franchise taxes or any other Excluded Tax, imposed by the jurisdiction (or any political subdivision or taxing authority thereof) under the laws of which Administrative Agent or any Lender is organized or in which Administrative Agent's or such Lender's principal executive office is located); or (ii) shall impose, modify or deem applicable any reserve, special deposit or similar requirement (including, without limitation, any such requirement imposed by the Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System of the United States) against assets of, deposits with or for the account of, or credit extended by, Administrative Agent or any Lender or shall impose on Administrative Agent or any Lender or on the London interbank market any other condition affecting its Loans or its obligation to make Loans; and the result of any of the foregoing in clause (i) or (ii) is to increase the cost to Administrative Agent or any Lender of making or maintaining any Loan, or to reduce the amount of any sum received or receivable by Administrative Agent or any Lender under this Agreement with respect thereto, then, within fifteen (15) days after demand by Administrative Agent or such Lender, Borrowers shall pay to Administrative Agent, for its own account or the account of the applicable Lender, such additional amount or amounts as will compensate Administrative Agent or such Lender for such increased cost or reduction so long as such amounts have accrued on or after
- Basis for Determining Interest Rate Inadequate. In the event that Administrative Agent or any Lender shall have determined that (i) reasonable means do not exist for ascertaining LIBOR for any Interest Period; or (ii) dollar deposits in the relevant amount and for the relevant maturity are not available in the London interbank market with respect to a proposed LIBOR Loan, or a proposed conversion of a Base Rate Loan into a LIBOR Loan; then Administrative Agent or such Lender shall give Borrowers prompt written, telephonic or electronic notice of the determination of such effect. If such notice is given, (x) any such requested LIBOR Loan shall be made as a Base Rate Loan, unless Borrower Representative, on its own behalf and on behalf of all other Borrowers, shall notify Administrative Agent no later than 10:00 a.m. (New York time) three (3) Business Days' prior to the date of such proposed borrowing that the request for such borrowing shall be canceled or made as an unaffected type of LIBOR Loan, and (y) any Base Rate Loan which was to have been converted to an affected type of LIBOR Loan shall be continued as or converted into a Base Rate Loan, or, if Borrowers shall notify Administrative Agent, no later than 10:00 a.m. (New York time) three (3) Business Days prior to the proposed conversion, shall be maintained as an unaffected type of LIBOR Loan.

- Sharing of Payments, Etc. If any Lender shall obtain any payment (whether voluntary, involuntary, through the exercise of any right of setoff, or otherwise) on account of any Loan made by it in excess of its ratable share of payments on account of Loans made by all Lenders, such Lender shall forthwith purchase from each other Lender such participation in such Loan as shall be necessary to cause such purchasing Lender to share the excess payment ratably with each other Lender; provided that, if all or any portion of such excess payment is thereafter recovered from such purchasing Lender, such purchase from each Lender shall be rescinded and such Lender shall repay to the purchasing Lenders the purchase price to the extent of such recovery, together with an amount equal to such Lender's ratable share (according to the proportion of (i) the amount of such Lender's required repayment to (ii) the total amount so recovered from the purchasing Lender) of any interest or other amount paid or payable by the purchasing Lender in respect of the total amount so recovered. Borrowers agree that any Lender so purchasing a participation from another Lender pursuant to this Section 4.10 may, to the fullest extent permitted by law, exercise all its rights of payment (including the right of setoff) with respect to such participation as fully as if such Lender were the direct creditor of Borrowers in the amount of such participation to the extent set forth herein. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained herein, all purchases and repayments to be made under this Section 4.10 shall be made through Administrative Agent.
- 4.11 <u>Defaulting Lender</u>. Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, if any Lender becomes a Defaulting Lender, then the following provisions shall apply for so long as such Lender is a Defaulting Lender:
- 4.11.1 The Unused Line Fee shall cease to accrue on the Revolving Credit Commitment of such Lender so long as it is a Defaulting Lender (except to the extent it is payable to an Issuing Bank pursuant to <u>subsection 4.11.2(v)</u> below);
  - 4.11.2 If any Swingline Loans or Letters of Credit are outstanding at the time a Lender becomes a Defaulting Lender then:
  - (i) (A) the exposure under all or any part of any such Swingline Loans or Letters of Credit shall be reallocated among the applicable non-Defaulting Lenders that are Revolving Credit Lenders in accordance with their respective Pro Rata Percentages but only to the extent the sum of all such non-Defaulting Lenders' Revolving Credit Loans outstanding, plus the LC Amount, plus the aggregate amount of Swingline Loans outstanding does not exceed the total of all such non-Defaulting Lenders' Revolving Credit Commitments; and (B) with respect to any such exposure so reallocated, each applicable non-Defaulting Lender shall be deemed to have irrevocably and unconditionally purchased from the applicable Swingline Lender or Issuing Bank an undivided interest and participation in the portion of each Swingline Loan or Letter of Credit so reallocated, in accordance with the applicable provisions of subsection 2.1.3 and Section 2.2;

- (ii) if the reallocations described in clause (i) above cannot, or can only partially, be effected, Borrowers shall within one (1) Business Day following notice by Administrative Agent (after giving effect to any partial reallocation pursuant to clause (i) above) (x) first, prepay Swingline Loans in an amount equal to the product of such Defaulting Lender's Pro Rata Percentage times the Swingline Loans outstanding, and (y) second, cash collateralize Letters of Credit in an amount equal to the product of such Defaulting Lender's Pro Rata Percentage times the total LC Amount;
- (iii) if any portion of the Letters of Credit is cash collateralized pursuant to <u>clause (ii)</u> above, Borrowers shall not be required to pay the Letter of Credit fee described in clause (i) of <u>Section 3.4</u> with respect to such portion so long as it is cash collateralized;
- (iv) if any portion of the exposure under Letters of Credit of such Defaulting Lender is reallocated to the non-Defaulting Lenders pursuant to <u>clause (i)</u> above, then the Letter of Credit fee described in clause (i) of <u>Section 3.4</u> with respect to such portion so reallocated to each such non-Defaulting Lender shall then be paid to such non-Defaulting Lender; and
- (v) if any portion of the exposure under Letters of Credit of such Defaulting Lender is neither cash collateralized nor reallocated pursuant to this subsection 4.11.2, then, without prejudice to any rights or remedies of Issuing Bank or any Lender hereunder, the Unused Line Fee that otherwise would have been payable to such Defaulting Lender (with respect to the portion of such Defaulting Lender's Revolving Credit Commitment that was utilized by such Letters of Credit) and the Letter of Credit fee described in clause (i) of Section 3.4 payable with respect to such Letters of Credit shall be payable to Issuing Bank until such Letters of Credit are fully cash collateralized and/or reallocated.
- 4.11.3 So long as any Lender is a Defaulting Lender, Swingline Lender shall not be required to fund any Swingline Loan and no Issuing Bank shall be required to issue, amend or increase any Letter of Credit, unless it is reasonably satisfied that the related exposure will be 100% covered by the Revolving Credit Commitments of the non-Defaulting Lenders and/or cash collateralized in accordance with subsection 4.11.2, and participations in any such newly issued or increased Letter of Credit or newly made Swingline Loan shall be allocated among non-Defaulting Lenders in accordance with their respective Pro Rata Percentages (and Defaulting Lenders shall not participate therein).
- 4.11.4 Any amount payable to a Defaulting Lender hereunder (whether on account of principal, interest, fees or otherwise but excluding subsection 13.5.6) may, in lieu of being distributed to such Defaulting Lender, be retained by Administrative Agent in a segregated non-interest bearing account and, subject to any Applicable Law, be applied at such time or times as may be determined by Administrative Agent (i) first, to the payment of any amounts owing by such Defaulting Lender to Administrative Agent hereunder, (ii) second, pro rata, to the payment of any amounts owing by such Defaulting Lender to Issuing Bank or Swingline Lender hereunder, (iii) third, to the funding of any Loan or the funding or cash collateralization of any participation in any Swingline Loan or Letter of Credit in respect of which such Defaulting Lender has failed to fund its portion thereof as required by this Agreement, as determined by Administrative Agent, (iv) fourth, if so determined by Administrative Agent and Borrowers, held in such account as cash collateral for future funding obligations of the Defaulting Lender under this Agreement, (v) fifth, pro rata, to the payment of any amounts owing to Borrowers or the Lenders as a result of any judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction obtained by any Borrower or any Lender against such Defaulting Lender as a result of such Defaulting Lender's breach of its obligations under this Agreement and (vi) sixth, to such Defaulting Lender or as otherwise directed by a court of competent jurisdiction; provided, that if such payment is a prepayment of the principal amount of any Loans or LC Obligations owed to, all non-Defaulting Lenders pro rata prior to being applied to the prepayment of any Loans of, or LC Obligations owed to, any Defaulting Lender.

4.11.5 In the event that Administrative Agent, Borrowers, Issuing Bank and Swingline Lender agree that a Defaulting Lender has adequately remedied all matters that caused such Lender to be a Defaulting Lender, then the exposure of the Lenders under the Swingline Loans and Letters of Credit shall be readjusted to reflect the inclusion of such Lender's Revolving Credit Commitment and on such date such Lender shall purchase at par such of the Revolving Credit Loans of the other Lenders as Administrative Agent shall determine may be necessary in order for such Lender to hold such Revolving Credit Loans in accordance with its Pro Rata Percentage and Borrowers shall no longer be required to cash collateralize any Letters of Credit as provided in subsection 4.11.2(ii) above. The rights and remedies against a Defaulting Lender under this Section 4.11 are in addition to other rights and remedies that Borrowers, Administrative Agent, Issuing Bank, Swingline Lender and the non-Defaulting Lenders may have against such Defaulting Lender. The arrangements permitted or required by this Section 4.11 shall be permitted under this Agreement, notwithstanding any limitation on Liens or the pro rata sharing provisions or otherwise.

## **SECTION 5. TERM AND TERMINATION**

5.1 <u>Term of Agreement</u>. Subject to the right of Lenders to cease making Loans to Borrowers during the continuance of any Default or Event of Default, this Agreement shall be in effect for a period of three (3) years from the date hereof, through the Revolving Credit Maturity Date (the "<u>Term</u>"), unless terminated or extended as provided herein.

## 5.2 <u>Termination.</u>

5.2.1 <u>Termination by Lenders</u>. Administrative Agent may, and at the direction of Majority Lenders shall, terminate this Agreement without advance notice after the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, provided written notice following such termination shall be provided to Borrowers.

- 5.2.2 <u>Termination by Borrowers</u>. Upon at least three (3) Business Days' prior written notice to Administrative Agent and Lenders, Borrowers may, at their option, terminate this Agreement; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that no such termination shall be effective until Borrowers have paid or collateralized to Administrative Agent's reasonable satisfaction all of the Obligations (including any obligations in connection with Derivative Obligations of any Loan Party but excluding indemnity Obligations for which no claim has been made) in immediately available funds, all Letters of Credit have expired, terminated or have been cash collateralized or supported by a backstop letter of credit, in the case of any such cash collateralization or backstop letter of credit, at 105% of the face amount thereof to Administrative Agent's reasonable satisfaction and Borrowers have complied with <u>Section 3.6</u> and <u>subsection 4.1.9</u>. Any notice of termination given by Borrowers shall be irrevocable unless all Lenders otherwise agree in writing and no Lender shall have any obligation to make any Loans or issue or procure any Letters of Credit on or after the termination date stated in such notice; <u>provided</u>, that a notice of termination may state that such notice is conditioned upon the effectiveness of other credit facilities, in which case such notice may be revoked by Borrowers (by notice to Administrative Agent on or prior to the specified effective date) if such condition is not satisfied.
- 5.2.3 <u>Effect of Termination</u>. All of the Obligations shall be immediately due and payable upon the termination date stated in any notice of termination of this Agreement. All undertakings, agreements, covenants, warranties and representations of Borrowers contained in the Loan Documents shall survive any such termination and Administrative Agent shall retain its Liens in the Collateral and Administrative Agent and each Lender shall retain all of its rights and remedies under the Loan Documents notwithstanding such termination until all Obligations (other than indemnity Obligations for which no claim has been made) have been discharged or paid, in full, in immediately available funds, including, without limitation, all Obligations under Section 3.6 and subsection 4.1.9 resulting from such termination and all Letters of Credit have expired, terminated or have been cash collateralized or supported by a backstop letter of credit, in the case of any such cash collateralization or backstop letter of credit, at 105% of the face amount thereof to Administrative Agent's reasonable satisfaction. Notwithstanding the foregoing or the payment in full of the Obligations, Administrative Agent shall not be required to terminate its Liens in the Collateral unless, with respect to any loss or damage Administrative Agent may incur as a result of dishonored checks or other items of payment received by Administrative Agent from any Borrower or any Account Debtor and applied to the Obligations, Administrative Agent shall, at its option, (i) have received a written agreement satisfactory to Administrative Agent, executed by any Borrower and by any Person whose loans or other advances to Borrowers are used in whole or in part to satisfy the Obligations, indemnifying Administrative Agent and each Lender from any such loss or damage or (ii) have retained cash Collateral or other Collateral for such period of time as Administrative Agent, in its reasonable discretion, may deem necessary to protect Administrative Agent and each Lender fr

## **SECTION 6. SECURITY INTERESTS**

6.1 <u>Security Interest in Collateral</u>. To secure the prompt payment and performance to Administrative Agent and each Lender of the Obligations, each Loan Party hereby grants to Administrative Agent for the benefit of itself and each Lender a continuing Lien upon all of such Loan Party's assets, including all of the following Property and interests in Property of such Loan Party (other than Excluded Property), whether now owned or existing or hereafter created, acquired or arising and wheresoever located:

	(ii)	Certificated Securities;
	(iii)	Chattel Paper;
	(iv)	Commercial Tort Claims, including, without limitation, the Commercial Tort Claims set forth on Schedule 6.1 hereto;
		Computer Hardware and Software and all rights with respect thereto, including any and all licenses, options, warranties, in services, test rights, maintenance rights, support rights, improvement rights, renewal rights and indemnifications, and any s, additions or model conversions of any of the foregoing;
	(vi)	Contract Rights;
	(vii)	Deposit Accounts;
	(viii)	Documents;
	(ix)	Equipment;
	(x)	Financial Assets;
	(xi)	Fixtures;
	(xii)	General Intangibles, including Payment Intangibles;
(xiii) Goods (including all of its Equipment, Fixtures and Inventory), and all accessions, additions, attachments, improvement substitutions and replacements thereto and therefor;		
	(xiv)	Instruments;
	(xv)	Owned Intellectual Property;
	(xvi)	Inventory;
	(xvii)	Investment Property;
	(xviii)	money (of every jurisdiction whatsoever);
	(xix)	Letter of Credit Rights;
	(xx)	Payment Intangibles;
	(xxi)	Security Entitlements;
	(xxii)	Supporting Obligations;

(i)

Accounts;

- (xxiii) Uncertificated Securities; and
- (xxiv) to the extent not included in the foregoing, all other personal property of any kind or description;

together with all books, records, writings, databases, information and other property relating to, used or useful in connection with, or evidencing, embodying, incorporating or referring to any of the foregoing, and all Proceeds, products, offspring, rents, issues, profits and returns of and from any of the foregoing.

## 6.2 Other Collateral.

- 6.2.1 <u>Commercial Tort Claims</u>. The Loan Parties shall promptly notify Administrative Agent in writing upon any Loan Party incurring or otherwise obtaining a Commercial Tort Claim after the Closing Date against any third party and, upon request of Administrative Agent, promptly enter into an amendment to this Agreement and do such other acts or things deemed appropriate by Administrative Agent to give Administrative Agent a security interest in any such Commercial Tort Claim. The Loan Parties represent and warrant that as of the date of this Agreement, except as set forth on <u>Schedule 6.1</u> hereto, to their knowledge, no Loan Party possesses any Commercial Tort Claims.
- 6.2.2 Other Collateral. The Loan Parties shall promptly notify Administrative Agent in writing upon acquiring or otherwise obtaining any Collateral after the date hereof consisting of Deposit Accounts, Investment Property, Letter of Credit Rights or Electronic Chattel Paper and, upon the request of Administrative Agent, promptly execute such other documents, and do such other acts or things deemed appropriate by Administrative Agent to deliver to Administrative Agent control with respect to such Collateral; promptly notify Administrative Agent in writing upon acquiring or otherwise obtaining any Collateral after the date hereof consisting of Documents or Instruments and, upon the request of Administrative Agent, will promptly execute such other documents, and do such other acts or things deemed appropriate by Administrative Agent to deliver to Administrative Agent possession of such Documents which are negotiable and Instruments, and, with respect to nonnegotiable Documents, to have such nonnegotiable Documents issued in the name of Administrative Agent; and with respect to Collateral in the possession of a third party, other than Certificated Securities and Goods covered by a Document, obtain an acknowledgment from the third party that it is holding the Collateral for the benefit of Administrative Agent.
- 6.3 <u>Lien Perfection; Further Assurances</u>. The Loan Parties authorize the filing of such UCC-1 financing statements as are required by the UCC and shall execute such other instruments, assignments or documents as are necessary to perfect Administrative Agent's Lien upon any of the Collateral and shall take such other action as may be required to perfect or to continue the perfection of Administrative Agent's Lien upon the Collateral, including, without limitation, the filing of UCC-1 financing statements that indicate the Collateral (i) as all assets of such Loan Party or words of similar effect, or (ii) as being of an equal or lesser scope, or with greater or lesser detail, than as set forth in <u>Section 6.1</u>, on such Loan Party's behalf. Each Loan Party also hereby ratifies its authorization for Administrative Agent to have filed in any jurisdiction any such UCC-1 financing statements or amendments thereto if filed prior to the date hereof. At Administrative Agent's request, each Loan Party shall also promptly execute or cause to be executed and shall deliver to Administrative Agent any and all documents, instruments and agreements deemed necessary by Administrative Agent, to give effect to or carry out the terms or intent of the Loan Documents.

## **SECTION 7. COLLATERAL ADMINISTRATION**

## 7.1 General.

- 7.1.1 <u>Location of Collateral</u>. Set forth on <u>Schedule 7.1.1</u> hereto are (i) each Loan Party's chief executive office, (ii) the locations at which each Loan Party maintains its books and records relating to Accounts and General Intangibles, (iii) each other business location of the Loan Parties and (iv) each location (including bailees, warehouses, consignees and similar parties) at which Collateral, other than Inventory in transit and motor vehicles are located. All Collateral, other than Inventory in transit and motor vehicles, will at all times be kept by the Loan Parties at one or more of the business locations set forth in <u>Schedule 7.1.1</u> hereto, as updated by the Loan Parties providing prior written notice to Administrative Agent of any new location.
- 7.1.2 Insurance of Collateral. The Loan Parties shall at all times maintain and pay for insurance upon all Collateral wherever located and with respect to the business of the Loan Parties and each of their Subsidiaries, covering casualty, hazard, public liability, workers' compensation and such other risks in such amounts and with such insurance companies as are reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent. The Loan Parties shall provide that such policies shall include satisfactory endorsements, naming Administrative Agent as a loss payee or additional insured, as appropriate, as its interest may appear. Each policy of insurance or endorsement shall contain a clause requiring the insurer to give not less than ten (10) days' prior written notice to Administrative Agent in the event of cancellation of the policy for nonpayment of premium and not less than thirty (30) days' prior written notice to Administrative Agent in the event of the policy for any other reason whatsoever and a clause specifying that the interest of Administrative Agent shall not be impaired or invalidated by any act or neglect of any Loan Party, any of their Subsidiaries or the owner of the Property or by the occupation of the premises for purposes more hazardous than are permitted by such policy.

Unless the Loan Parties provide Administrative Agent with evidence of the insurance coverage required by this Agreement, Administrative Agent may purchase insurance at the Loan Parties' expense to protect Administrative Agent's interests in the Properties of the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries. This insurance may, but need not, protect the interests of the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries. The coverage that Administrative Agent purchases may not pay any claim that any Loan Party or any Subsidiary makes or any claim that is made against any Loan Party or any such Subsidiary in connection with such Property. The Loan Parties may later cancel any insurance purchased by Administrative Agent, but only after providing Administrative Agent with evidence that the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries have obtained insurance as required by this Agreement. If Administrative Agent purchases insurance, the Loan Parties will be responsible for the costs of that insurance, including interest and any other charges Administrative Agent may impose in connection with the placement of insurance, until the effective date of the cancellation or expiration of the insurance. The costs of the insurance may be added to the Obligations. The costs of the insurance may be more than the cost of insurance that the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries may be able to obtain on their own.

7.1.3 <u>Protection of Collateral</u>. Neither Administrative Agent nor any Lender shall be liable or responsible in any way for the safekeeping of any of the Collateral or for any loss or damage thereto (except for reasonable care in the custody thereof while any Collateral is in Administrative Agent's or any Lender's actual possession) or for any diminution in the value thereof, or for any act or default of any warehouseman, carrier, forwarding agency or other person whomsoever, but the same shall be at the Loan Parties' sole risk.

## 7.2 Administration of Accounts.

- 7.2.1 Records, Schedules and Assignments of Accounts. The Loan Parties shall keep records that are accurate and complete, in all material respects, of their Accounts and all payments and collections thereon and shall submit to Collateral Agent on such periodic basis as Collateral Agent shall request, in its reasonable credit judgment, a sales and collections report for the preceding period, in form acceptable to Collateral Agent, in its reasonable credit judgment, and consistent with the reports currently prepared by the Loan Parties with respect to such information to Collateral Agent, which form the Collateral Agent acknowledges is acceptable. Concurrently with the delivery of each Borrowing Base Certificate described in subsection 9.1.4, or more frequently as requested by Collateral Agent following the occurrence and during the continuance of a Cash Dominion Trigger Event, from and after the date hereof, the Loan Parties shall deliver to Collateral Agent a detailed aged trial balance of all of their Accounts, specifying the names, addresses, face values, dates of invoices and due dates for each Account Debtor obligated on an Account so listed in a form consistent with reports currently prepared by the Loan Parties with respect to such information ("Schedule of Accounts"), and upon Collateral Agent's written request therefor, copies of proof of delivery and the original copy of all documents, including, without limitation, repayment histories and present status reports relating to the Accounts so scheduled and such other matters and information relating to the status of then existing Accounts as Collateral Agent shall request, in its reasonable credit judgment. If requested by Collateral Agent in writing, upon the occurrence and during the continuation of an Event of Default, the Loan Parties shall execute and deliver to Collateral Agent formal written assignments of all of their Accounts weekly or daily, which shall include all Accounts that have been created since the date of the last assignment, together w
- 7.2.2 <u>Discounts; Allowances; Disputes</u>. If any Loan Party grants any discounts, allowances or credits that are not shown on the face of the invoice for the Account involved, the Loan Parties shall report such discounts, allowances or credits, as the case may be, to Collateral Agent as part of the next required Schedule of Accounts.
- 7.2.3 Account Verification. Any of Collateral Agent's officers, employees or agents shall have the right, at any time or times if an Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, in the name of Collateral Agent, any designee of Collateral Agent or any Loan Party, to verify the validity, amount or any other matter relating to any Accounts by mail, telephone, electronic communication or otherwise. The Loan Parties shall cooperate fully with Collateral Agent in an effort to facilitate and promptly conclude any such verification process.

- 7.2.4 Maintenance of Blocked Accounts . As of the Closing Date, Borrowers and the other Loan Parties maintain and the Administrative Agent agrees they may continue to maintain their primary depository, blocked account and cash management relationship with JPM. The Borrowers and other Loan Parties may, with the written consent of the Administrative Agent, maintain their primary depository, blocked account and cash management relationship with another financial institution. In all events, the Administrative Agent shall have control (subject to the limitations set forth below on directing application of funds prior to a Cash Dominion Trigger Event) of all deposit and securities accounts, it being understood and agreed that, Borrowers and the other Loan Parties will cause or direct all cash to be transferred daily to, or otherwise maintained in, accounts subject to a blocked account agreement and that upon the occurrence and during the continuance of a Cash Dominion Trigger Event, Administrative Agent shall at all times require that all such cash be swept on a daily basis to an account of Administrative Agent to be applied by Administrative Agent to repay outstanding Revolving Credit Loans, Swingline Loans, LC Obligations, other amounts then due and payable pursuant to this Agreement, and, if an Event of Default exists, to cash collateralize outstanding Letters of Credit in an amount equal to 105% of the face amount thereof. With respect to any deposit accounts not maintained with Administrative Agent or its affiliate, the Loan Parties shall maintain blocked deposit accounts pursuant to lockbox and blocked account arrangements reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent with such banks as may be selected by the Loan Parties and be reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent; provided, that Administrative Agent hereby agrees that it shall not institute or otherwise require a control agreement and/or blocked account agreement with regard to any employee payroll account maintained by any Loan Party. Administrative Agent shall have control over and a Lien on all funds deposited in any blocked account, for the ratable benefit of Lenders, and, with respect to deposit accounts not maintained with Administrative Agent or its affiliate, the Loan Parties shall obtain the agreement by such banks in favor of Administrative Agent to waive any recoupment, setoff rights, and any security interest in, or against, the funds so deposited (except to the extent of any such bank's customary fees). If at any time a Cash Dominion Trigger Event has occurred and is continuing, Administrative Agent shall have the right to issue to any such banks irrevocable instructions directing such banks to remit all payments or other remittances received in the blocked accounts to an account of Administrative Agent for application on account of the Obligations as provided herein. Administrative Agent assumes no responsibility for such lockbox and blocked account arrangements, including, without limitation, any claim of accord and satisfaction or release with respect to deposits accepted by any bank thereunder.
- 7.2.5 <u>Collection of Accounts; Proceeds of Collateral</u>. Each Loan Party agrees that all invoices rendered and other requests made by any Loan Party for payment in respect of Accounts shall contain a written statement directing payment in respect of such Accounts to be paid to a lockbox or blocked account established pursuant to <u>subsection 7.2.4</u>. All remittances received by any Loan Party in respect of Accounts, together with the proceeds of any other Collateral, shall be held as Administrative Agent's property, for its benefit and the benefit of Lenders, by such Loan Party as trustee of an express trust for Administrative Agent's benefit and such Loan Party shall immediately deposit the same in a blocked account established pursuant to <u>subsection 7.2.4</u>. Administrative Agent retains the right at all times after the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default to notify Account Debtors that the Loan Parties' Accounts have been assigned to Administrative Agent and to collect the Loan Parties' Accounts directly in its own name, or in the name of Administrative Agent's agent, and to charge the collection costs and expenses, including attorneys' fees, to the Loan Parties.

- 7.2.6 Taxes. If an Account includes a charge for any tax payable to any Governmental Authority, Administrative Agent is authorized, in its sole discretion, to pay the amount thereof to the proper Governmental Authority for the account of the Loan Parties and to charge the Loan Parties therefor, except for taxes that (i) are being actively contested in good faith and by appropriate proceedings and with respect to which the Loan Parties maintain reasonable reserves on its books therefor and (ii) would not reasonably be expected to result in any Lien other than a Permitted Lien. In no event shall Administrative Agent or any Lender be liable for any taxes to any Governmental Authority that may be due by any Loan Party.
- 7.3 Administration of Inventory. The Loan Parties shall keep records of their Inventory, which records shall be complete and accurate in all material respects. The Loan Parties shall furnish to Collateral Agent Inventory reports concurrently with the delivery of each Borrowing Base Certificate described in subsection 9.1.4 more frequently as requested by Collateral Agent following the occurrence and during the continuance of a Cash Dominion Trigger Event, which reports will be in such format and detail as Collateral Agent shall request and shall include a current list of all locations of the Loan Parties' Inventory. The Loan Parties (or their accountants) shall conduct a physical inventory no less frequently than annually and shall provide to Collateral Agent a report based on each such physical inventory promptly thereafter, together with such supporting information as Collateral Agent shall reasonably request.
- 7.4 <u>Administration of Equipment</u>. The Loan Parties shall keep records of their Equipment which shall be complete and accurate in all material respects itemizing and describing the kind, type, quality, quantity and book value of its Equipment, and the Loan Parties shall, and shall cause each of their Subsidiaries to, furnish Administrative Agent with a current schedule containing the foregoing information on at least an annual basis and more often if reasonably requested by Administrative Agent. Promptly after the request therefor by Administrative Agent, the Loan Parties shall deliver to Administrative Agent any and all evidence of ownership, if any, of any of their Equipment.
- 7.5 <u>Payment of Charges</u>. All amounts chargeable to the Loan Parties under <u>Section 7</u> hereof shall be Obligations secured by all of the Collateral, shall be payable promptly following demand and shall bear interest from the date such advance was made until paid in full at the rate applicable to Base Rate Revolving Credit Loans from time to time.

## **SECTION 8. REPRESENTATIONS AND WARRANTIES**

8.1 <u>General Representations and Warranties</u>. To induce Administrative Agent and each Lender to enter into this Agreement and to make advances hereunder, the Loan Parties represent and warrant to Administrative Agent and each Lender, on a joint and several basis, that:

- 8.1.1 Qualification. Each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries is a corporation, limited partnership, or limited liability company duly organized, validly existing and in good standing under the laws of the jurisdiction of its incorporation or organization. As of the Closing Date, each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries is duly qualified and is authorized to do business and is in good standing as a foreign limited liability company, limited partnership or corporation, as applicable, in each state or jurisdiction listed on Schedule 8.1.1 hereto (which Schedule 8.1.1 shall be updated annually in connection with the delivery of the financial statements required by Section 9.1.3(i) to reflect any change in the states or jurisdictions in which such Loan Party is qualified and authorized to do business). Each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries is duly qualified and is authorized to do business and is in good standing as a foreign limited liability company, limited partnership or corporation, as applicable, in all states and jurisdictions in which the failure of any Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries to be so qualified would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.
- 8.1.2 Power and Authority. Each Loan Party is duly authorized and empowered to enter into, execute, deliver and perform this Agreement and each of the other Loan Documents to which it is a party. The execution, delivery and performance of this Agreement and each of the other Loan Documents have been duly authorized by all necessary corporate or other relevant action and do not and will not: (i) require any consent or approval of the shareholders, partners or members, as the case may be, of any Loan Party; (ii) contravene any Loan Party's or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries' charter, articles or certificate of incorporation, partnership agreement, articles or certificate of formation, by-laws, limited liability agreement, operating agreement or other organizational documents (as the case may be); (iii) violate, or cause any Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries to be in default under, any provision of any law, rule, regulation, order, writ, judgment, injunction, decree, determination or award in effect having applicability to such Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries, the violation of which would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; (iv) result in a breach of or constitute a default under any indenture or loan or credit agreement or any other agreement, lease or instrument to which any Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries is a party or by which it or its Properties may be bound or affected, the breach of or default under which would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; or (v) result in, or require, the creation or imposition of any Lien (other than Permitted Liens) upon or with respect to any of the Properties now owned or hereafter acquired by any Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries.
- 8.1.3 <u>Legally Enforceable Agreement</u>. This Agreement is, and each of the other Loan Documents when delivered under this Agreement will be, a legal, valid and binding obligation of each Loan Party party thereto, enforceable against it in accordance with its respective terms, except as enforceability may be limited by bankruptcy, insolvency or similar laws affecting the enforcement of creditors' rights generally.

- 8.1.4 <u>Capital Structure</u>. <u>Schedule 8.1.4</u> hereto states, as of the date hereof, (i) the number, nature and holder of all outstanding Equity Interests of each Loan Party (other than the Parent) and each Subsidiary of any such Loan Party, and (ii) the name of each Loan Party's and each of its Subsidiaries' joint venture relationships and the nature of the relationship. Each Loan Party has good title to all of the Equity Interests it purports to own of each of such Subsidiaries, free and clear in each case of any Lien other than Permitted Liens. All such Equity Interests have been duly issued and are fully paid and non-assessable. As of the date hereof, there are no outstanding options to purchase, or any rights or warrants to subscribe for, or any commitments or agreements to issue or sell any Equity Interests or obligations convertible into, or any powers of attorney relating to any Equity Interests of any Loan Party (other than the Parent) or any of its Subsidiaries.
- 8.1.5 Names; Organization. Within the five (5) years prior to the Closing Date, neither any Loan Party nor any of their respective Subsidiaries has been known as or has used any legal, fictitious or trade names except those listed on Schedule 8.1.5 hereto. Within the five (5) years prior to the Closing Date, except as set forth on Schedule 8.1.5, neither any Loan Party nor any of their respective Subsidiaries has been the surviving entity of a merger or consolidation or has acquired all or substantially all of the assets of any Person. The exact legal name, jurisdiction of incorporation or organization, Type of Organization and Organizational I.D. Number of each Loan Party and each of their respective Subsidiaries is set forth on Schedule 8.1.5.
- 8.1.6 Title to Properties; Liens. Each Loan Party has good, indefeasible and marketable title to or a valid and subsisting leasehold interests in, all of its real Property and all of its other Property, in each case, free and clear of all Liens except Permitted Liens. The provisions of this Agreement and the other Loan Documents create legal and valid Liens on all of the Collateral in favor of the Administrative Agent, for the benefit of the Secured Parties, and such Liens constitute perfected and continuing Liens on the Collateral (in each case to the extent perfection may be achieved by (i) filing Uniform Commercial Code financing statements, and (ii) taking the other steps required pursuant to the Security Documents), securing the Obligations, enforceable against the applicable Loan Party and all third parties (subject to applicable bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, moratorium or other laws affecting creditors' rights generally and subject to general principles of equity, regardless of a proceeding in equity or at Law), and having priority over all other Liens on the Collateral except in the case of (a) Permitted Liens, to the extent any such Permitted Liens would have priority over the Liens in favor of the Administrative Agent pursuant to any applicable law or agreement and (b) Liens perfected only by possession (including possession of any certificate of title) to the extent the Administrative Agent has not obtained or does not maintain possession of such Collateral.
- 8.1.7 <u>Accounts</u>. All Accounts included in any Borrowing Base Certificate constituted Eligible Accounts at the time of delivery of such Borrowing Base Certificate.
- 8.1.8 <u>Equipment</u>. The Equipment of each Loan Party and its Subsidiaries is, taken as a whole, in good operating condition and repair, reasonable wear and tear excepted, and except to the extent any failure thereof, individually or in the aggregate, would reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

- 8.1.9 <u>Financial Statements; Fiscal Year</u>. The Consolidated balance sheets of Parent and its Subsidiaries as of February 29, 2016, and the related statements of income, changes in shareholder's equity, and changes in financial position for the periods ended on such dates, have been prepared in accordance with GAAP and present fairly in all material respects the financial positions of Parent and such Persons at such dates and the results of Parent's and such Persons' operations for such periods. As of the date hereof, since February 29, 2016, there has been no material adverse change in the financial position of Parent and such other Persons, taken as a whole, as reflected in the Consolidated balance sheet as of such date. As of the date hereof, the fiscal year of Parent and each of its Subsidiaries ends on December 31 of each year.
- 8.1.10 <u>Full Disclosure</u>. The financial statements referred to in <u>subsection 8.1.9</u> hereof do not, nor does this Agreement or any other written statement of the Loan Parties made to Administrative Agent or any Lender in connection herewith, contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit a material fact necessary to make the statements contained therein or herein not misleading. There is no fact which the Loan Parties have failed to disclose to Administrative Agent or any Lender in writing which would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.
- 8.1.11 <u>Solvent Financial Condition</u>. The Loan Parties and their respective Subsidiaries, taken as a whole, are now and, after giving effect to the initial Loans to be made and the initial Letters of Credit to be issued hereunder and the consummation of each other Closing Date Transaction, will be, Solvent.
- 8.1.12 <u>Taxes</u>. Each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries has filed all federal, state and local tax returns and other reports relating to taxes it is required by law to file, and has paid, or made provision for the payment of, all taxes, assessments, fees, levies and other governmental charges upon it, its income and Properties as and when such taxes, assessments, fees, levies and charges are due and payable, unless and to the extent any thereof are being actively contested in good faith and by appropriate proceedings, and each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries maintains reasonable reserves on its books therefor. The provision for taxes on the books of each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries is adequate for all years not closed by applicable statutes, and for the current fiscal year.

## 8.1.13 Reserved.

- 8.1.14 Patents, Trademarks, Copyrights and Licenses. Each Loan Party and each Domestic Subsidiary owns, or is licensed to use, all trademarks, tradenames, copyrights, patents and other intellectual property necessary to its business as currently conducted, and, to the knowledge of the Loan Parties, the use thereof by each Loan Party and each Domestic Subsidiary does not infringe in any material respect upon the rights of any other Person. As of the Closing Date, all such material patents, trademarks, service marks, trade names, copyrights, and other similar rights owned by the Loan Parties as of the Closing Date are listed on Schedule 8.1.14 hereto (which Schedule 8.1.14 shall be updated annually in connection with the delivery of the financial statements required by Section 9.1.3(i) to reflect the acquisition or disposition of any material trademarks, tradenames, copyrights, patents and other intellectual property made in accordance with this Agreement).
- 8.1.15 <u>Governmental Consents</u>. Each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries has all governmental approvals, licenses, authorizations, permits, and certificates necessary to continue to conduct its business as heretofore or proposed to be conducted by it and to own or lease and operate its Properties as now owned or leased by it, except where the failure to possess or so maintain such rights could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

## 8.1.16 Compliance with Laws; Environmental.

- (i) Each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries has duly complied, and its Properties, business operations and leaseholds are in compliance with, the provisions of all Applicable Laws applicable to such Loan Party or such Subsidiary, as applicable, its Properties or the conduct of its business, except for such non-compliance as could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, and there have been no written citations, notices or orders of non-compliance issued to any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries under any such Applicable Law, except where such non-compliance could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. Each Loan Party and each of its Subsidiaries has established and maintains an adequate monitoring system to insure that it remains in compliance in all material respects with all Applicable Laws. No Inventory has been produced in violation of the Fair Labor Standards Act (29 U.S.C. §201 et seq.), as amended.
- (ii) (A) No Loan Party or any Domestic Subsidiary has received notice of any material claim with respect to any material Environmental Liability that is outstanding or unresolved or knows of any basis for any material Environmental Liability and (B) no Loan Party or any Domestic Subsidiary has failed to comply with any Environmental Law or to obtain, maintain or comply with any permit, license or other approval required under any Environmental Law, in each case, that, individually or in the aggregate, would reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.

## 8.1.17 Reserved.

- 8.1.18 <u>Litigation</u>. Except as set forth on <u>Schedule 8.1.18</u> hereto, there are no actions, suits, proceedings or investigations pending, or to the knowledge of the Loan Parties, threatened, against or affecting any Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries which, singly or in the aggregate, would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect or that involve any Loan Document or the Closing Date Transactions. Neither any Loan Party nor any of its Domestic Subsidiaries is in default with respect to any order, writ, injunction, judgment, decree or rule of any Governmental Authority, which, singly or in the aggregate, would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.
- 8.1.19 No Defaults. No event has occurred and no condition exists which would, upon or after the execution and delivery of this Agreement or any Loan Party's performance hereunder, constitute a Default or an Event of Default.
- 8.1.20 <u>Pension Plans</u>. Except as disclosed on <u>Schedule 8.1.20</u> hereto, as of the Closing Date, neither any Loan Party nor any of its Domestic Subsidiaries has any Plan (which <u>Schedule 8.1.20</u> shall be updated annually in connection with the delivery of the financial statements required by <u>Section 9.1.3(i)</u> to reflect any changes thereto that have occurred). Each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries is in compliance with the requirements of ERISA and the regulations promulgated thereunder with respect to each Plan, except where the failure to so comply could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. No fact or situation exists in connection with any Plan that would reasonably be likely to have a Material Adverse Effect. Neither any Loan Party nor any of their Domestic Subsidiaries has any withdrawal liability in connection with a Multiemployer Plan.

- 8.1.21 <u>Trade Relations</u>. There exists no actual or, to the Loan Parties' knowledge, threatened termination, cancellation or limitation of, or any modification or change in, the business relationship between any Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries and any customer or any group of customers whose purchases individually or in the aggregate are material to the business of the Loan Parties and their Domestic Subsidiaries, or with any material supplier, except in each case, where the same could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, and there exists no present condition or state of facts or circumstances which would prevent any Loan Party or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries from conducting such business after the consummation of the transactions contemplated by this Agreement in substantially the same manner in which it has heretofore been conducted.
- 8.1.22 <u>Labor Relations</u>. Except as described on <u>Schedule 8.1.22</u> hereto, as of the Closing Date, neither any Loan Party nor any of its Domestic Subsidiaries is a party to any collective bargaining agreement (which <u>Schedule 8.1.22</u> shall be updated annually in connection with the delivery of the financial statements required by <u>Section 9.1.3(i)</u> to reflect any changes thereto). There are no material grievances, disputes or controversies with any union or any other organization of any Loan Party's or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries' employees, or threats of strikes, work stoppages or any asserted pending demands for collective bargaining by any union or organization, except those that could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.
- 8.1.23 <u>Leases</u>. <u>Schedule 8.1.23</u> hereto, as of the Closing Date, is a complete listing of all capitalized leases of the Loan Parties and their Domestic Subsidiaries and all real property leases of the Loan Parties and their Domestic Subsidiaries as of the date hereof (which <u>Schedule 8.1.23</u> shall be updated annually in connection with the delivery of the financial statements required by <u>Section 9.1.3(i)</u> to reflect and additional capitalized leases or real property leases entered into). Each Loan Party and each of its Domestic Subsidiaries is in compliance with all of the terms of each of its respective capitalized and operating leases, except where the failure to so comply could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

#### 8.1.24 Reserved.

8.1.25 <u>Related Businesses</u>. Each Loan Party and each Domestic Subsidiary of each Loan Party expects to derive benefit (and the Board of Directors of each Loan Party and each Domestic Subsidiary of each Loan Party has determined that such Loan Party or Domestic Subsidiary may reasonably be expected to derive benefit), directly or indirectly, from a portion of the credit extended by Lenders hereunder, both in its separate capacity and as a member of the group of companies, since the successful operation and condition of each Loan Party and each Domestic Subsidiary of each Loan Party is dependent on the continued successful performance of the functions of the group as a whole. Each Loan Party acknowledges that, but for the agreement of each of the other Loan Parties to execute and deliver this Agreement, Administrative Agent and Lenders would not have made available the credit facilities established hereby on the terms set forth herein.

- 8.1.26 Not a Regulated Entity. No Loan Party is an "investment company" or a "person directly or indirectly controlled by or acting on behalf of an investment company" within the meaning of the Investment Company Act of 1940.
- 8.1.27 <u>Margin Stock</u>. No Loan Party or any of their Domestic Subsidiaries is engaged, principally or as one of its important activities, in the business of extending credit for the purpose of purchasing or carrying any Margin Stock. No Loan proceeds or Letters of Credit will be used by the Loan Parties to purchase or carry, or to reduce or refinance any Indebtedness incurred to purchase or carry, any Margin Stock or for any related purpose governed by Regulations T, U or X of the Board of Governors.

# 8.1.28 Foreign Assets Control Regulations and Anti-Money Laundering.

- (i) No Loan Party nor any Subsidiary is (i) a Person whose property or interest in property is blocked or subject to blocking pursuant to Section 1 of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001 Blocking Party and Prohibiting Transactions With Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit, or Support Terrorism (66 Fed. Reg. 49079 (2001)), (ii) a Person who engages in any dealings or transactions prohibited by Section 2 of such executive order, or is otherwise associated with any such Person in any manner violative of such Section 2, or (iii) a Person on the list of Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons or subject to the limitations or prohibitions under any other U.S. Department of Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control regulation or executive order.
- (ii) Each of the Loan Parties and their Subsidiaries are in compliance, in all material respects, with the Patriot Act. No part of the proceeds of the Loans will be used, directly or indirectly, for any payments to any governmental official or employee, political party, official of a political party, candidate for political office, or anyone else acting in an official capacity, in order to obtain, retain or direct business or obtain any improper advantage, in violation of the United States Foreign Corrupt Practices Act of 1977, as amended.
- 8.2 <u>Representations and Warranties</u>. Each (i) Loan request made or deemed made pursuant to <u>subsection 4.1.1</u> hereof, or (ii) each request for the issuance of a Letter of Credit made pursuant to <u>subsection 4.1.5</u> hereof, shall constitute a reaffirmation, as of the date of each such (i) Loan request, or (ii) request for the issuance of a Letter of Credit, of each representation or warranty made or furnished to Administrative Agent or any Lender by or on behalf of any Loan Party or any Subsidiary of any Loan Party in this Agreement, any of the other Loan Documents, or any instrument, certificate or financial statement furnished in compliance with or in reference thereto.
- 8.3 <u>Survival of Representations and Warranties</u>. All representations and warranties of the Loan Parties contained in this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents shall survive the execution, delivery and acceptance thereof by Administrative Agent and each Lender and the parties thereto and the closing of the transactions described therein or related thereto.

## SECTION 9. COVENANTS AND CONTINUING AGREEMENTS

- 9.1 <u>Affirmative Covenants</u>. During the Term, and thereafter for so long as there are any Obligations outstanding (other than indemnity Obligations for which no claim has been made), the Loan Parties covenant that they shall:
- 9.1.1 <u>Visits and Inspections; Lender Meeting</u>. Subject to the next sentence, permit (i) representatives of each Agent, and during the continuation of any Default or Event of Default any Lender, from time to time, as often as may be reasonably requested, but only during normal business hours, to visit and inspect the Properties of each Loan Party and each of its Subsidiaries, inspect, audit and make extracts from its books and records, and discuss with its officers, its employees and its independent accountants, each Loan Party's and each of its Subsidiaries' business, assets, liabilities, financial condition, business prospects and results of operations and (ii) auditors and appraisers engaged pursuant to Section 3.9 (whether or not personnel of any Agent), from time to time, as often as may be reasonably requested, but only during normal business hours, to visit and inspect the Properties of each Loan Party and each of its Subsidiaries, for the purpose of completing audits and appraisals pursuant to Section 3.9. Each Agent, if no Default or Event of Default then exists, shall give the Loan Parties reasonable prior notice of any such inspection or audit. Without limiting the foregoing, the Loan Parties will participate and will cause their key management personnel to participate in a meeting with Administrative Agent and Lenders no more than once during each year (except that during the continuation of an Event of Default such meetings may be held more frequently as requested by Administrative Agent or Majority Lenders), which meeting(s) shall be held at such times and such places as may be reasonably requested by Administrative Agent.

## 9.1.2 Notices.

(i) Notify Administrative Agent, for itself and on behalf of Lenders, in writing, promptly after a Loan Party's obtaining actual knowledge thereof, of any of the following that affects a Loan Party: (a) the written threat or commencement of any proceeding or investigation, whether or not covered by insurance, if an adverse determination would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; (b) any pending or written threatened labor dispute, strike or walkout, or the expiration of any material labor contract; (c) the existence of any Default or Event of Default; (d) any judgment in an amount exceeding \$1,000,000; (e) the written assertion of any claim in respect of material owned Intellectual Property, if an adverse resolution would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; (f) any violation or asserted violation of any (1) Anti-Terrorism Law, (2) Pharmaceutical Law, or (2) any other Applicable Law if, in each case, an adverse resolution would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; (g) any Environmental Release in material violation of any Environmental Law by a Loan Party or on any Property owned, leased or occupied by a Loan Party; or receipt of any material Environmental Notice; (h) the discharge of or any withdrawal or resignation by Loan Parties' independent accountants; (i) any material change in accounting or financial reporting practices or (j) the filing of any material documentation with the IRS or any other Governmental Authority, other than in the ordinary course of business.

- (ii) Promptly notify Administrative Agent in writing of the occurrence of any event or the existence of any fact which renders any representation or warranty in this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents inaccurate, incomplete or misleading in any material respect as of the date made or remade. In addition, the Loan Parties agree to provide Administrative Agent with prompt written notice of any change in the information disclosed in any Schedule hereto, as required under this Agreement, in each case after giving effect to the materiality limits and Material Adverse Effect qualifications contained therein.
- 9.1.3 <u>Financial Statements</u>. Keep, and cause each of their Subsidiaries to keep, adequate records and books of account with respect to its business activities in which proper entries are made in accordance with customary accounting practices reflecting all its financial transactions; and cause to be prepared and furnished to Administrative Agent and each Lender, the following, all to be prepared in accordance with GAAP applied on a consistent basis:
  - (i) not later than one hundred twenty (120) days after the close of each fiscal year of Parent, unqualified (except for a qualification for a change in accounting principles with which the accountant concurs) audited financial statements of Parent and its Subsidiaries as of the end of such year, on a Consolidated basis, certified by a firm of independent certified public accountants of recognized standing reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent (it being acknowledged by Administrative Agent that EisnerAmper LLP is acceptable) and, within a reasonable time thereafter a copy of any management letter issued in connection therewith;
  - (ii) not later than forty five (45) days after the end of each fiscal quarter, (excluding the last fiscal quarter of Parent's fiscal year), unaudited interim financial statements (including a balance sheet, income statement and cash flow statement) of Parent and its Subsidiaries as of the end of such fiscal quarter and of the portion of the fiscal year then elapsed, on a Consolidated basis, certified by the principal financial officer of Parent as prepared in accordance with GAAP and fairly presenting in all material respects the financial position and results of operations of Parent and its Subsidiaries for such fiscal quarter and period subject only to changes from audit and year-end adjustments and except that such statements need not contain notes;
  - (iii) not later than thirty (30) days after the end of each month hereafter (except for the month of January, in which case, not later than forty-five (45) days after the end of January), unaudited interim financial statements (including a balance sheet, income statement and cash flow statement) of Parent and its Subsidiaries as of the end of such month and of the portion of the fiscal year then elapsed, on a Consolidated basis, certified by the principal financial officer of Parent as prepared in accordance with GAAP and fairly presenting in all material respects the financial position and results of operations of Parent and its Subsidiaries for such month and period subject only to changes from audit and year-end adjustments and except that such statements need not contain notes; provided that the foregoing financial information is not required for the last month of any fiscal quarter;

- (iv) together with each delivery of financial statements pursuant to clauses (i), (ii) and (iii) of this <u>subsection 9.1.3</u>, a management report setting forth in comparative form the corresponding figures for the corresponding periods of the previous fiscal year and the corresponding figures from the most recent Projections for the current fiscal year delivered pursuant to <u>subsection 9.1.7</u>. The Administrative Agent agrees that the form of monthly management report delivered to the Administrative Agent prior to the Closing Date, when completed, shall be acceptable to satisfy the Borrowers' obligations pursuant to this subclause (iv);
- (v) together with each delivery of financial statements pursuant to clauses (i), (ii) and (iii) of this <u>subsection 9.1.3</u>, or more frequently if reasonably requested by Administrative Agent, the Loan Parties shall cause to be prepared and furnished to Administrative Agent a Compliance Certificate in the form of <u>Exhibit 9.1.3</u> hereto (a "Compliance Certificate");
- (vi) promptly after the sending or filing thereof, as the case may be, copies of any proxy statements, financial statements or reports which any Loan Party has made available to holders of its Equity Interests and copies of any regular, periodic and special reports or registration statements which any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries files with the Securities and Exchange Commission or any Governmental Authority which may be substituted therefor or any national securities exchange;
- (vii) promptly following request of Administrative Agent, copies of any annual report to be filed with ERISA in connection with each Plan; and
- (viii) such other data and information (financial and otherwise) as Administrative Agent or any Lender, from time to time, may reasonably request, bearing upon or related to the Collateral or the Loan Parties' or any of their Subsidiaries' financial condition or results of operations.
- 9.1.4 Borrowing Base Certificates. On or before the fifteenth (15 <sup>th</sup>) day of each month from and after the date hereof (except during such time that a Cash Dominion Trigger Event has occurred and is continuing, on or before the third (3 <sup>rd</sup>) Business Day of each week), the Loan Parties shall deliver to Collateral Agent, in form acceptable to Collateral Agent, a Borrowing Base Certificate as of the last day of the immediately preceding month (or week, as applicable), with trial balances, Account aging reports and Inventory reports and such other supporting materials as Collateral Agent shall reasonably request. Together with each delivery of a Borrowing Base Certificate, the Loan Parties shall deliver to Collateral Agent, in the form reasonably acceptable to Collateral Agent, (i) reconciliations of the Accounts as shown on the month-end Borrowing Base Certificate for the immediately preceding month to the Loan Parties' accounts receivable agings, to the Loan Parties' general ledger, and (ii) reconciliations of the Loan Parties' Inventory as shown on the Loan Parties' perpetual inventory, to the Loan Parties' general ledger, all with supporting materials as Collateral Agent shall reasonably request.

- 9.1.5 <u>Landlord, Processor and Storage Agreements</u>. Provide Administrative Agent with copies of all agreements between any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries and any landlord, warehouseman, processor, distributor or consignee which owns or is the lessee of any premises at which any Collateral may, from time to time, be kept. With respect to any lease (other than leases for sales offices), warehousing agreement or any processing agreement in any case entered into after the Closing Date, the Loan Parties shall use commercially reasonable efforts to provide Administrative Agent with landlord waivers, bailee letters or processor letters with respect to such premises, in each case, reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent. In the event the Loan Parties do not provide Administrative Agent with any such landlord waiver, bailee letter or processor letter with respect to any leased or warehouse location, the Loan Parties acknowledge that Collateral Agent may, in Collateral Agent's reasonable credit judgment, (i) not include Inventory at such location as Eligible Inventory, or (ii) establish a Reserve in the amount of three months' rent or other warehouse or comparable charges for such location.
- 9.1.6 <u>Guarantor Financial Statements</u>. Deliver or cause to be delivered to Administrative Agent financial statements, if any, for each Guarantor (to the extent not consolidated with the financial statements delivered to Administrative Agent under <u>subsection 9.1.3</u>) in form and substance satisfactory to Administrative Agent at such intervals and covering such time periods as Administrative Agent may request.
- 9.1.7 <u>Projections</u>. Promptly following approval thereof by the Parent's Board of Directors, but in no event later than March 15 of each calendar year during the Term, deliver to Administrative Agent Projections of Parent and each of its Subsidiaries for the forthcoming fiscal year, month by month.
- 9.1.8 <u>Subsidiaries</u>. Cause each Subsidiary of each Loan Party acquired or created after the date hereof to execute and deliver to Administrative Agent (i) a joinder agreement in form and substance reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent whereby such Subsidiary would become an additional Borrower or Loan Party hereunder and/or (ii) if requested by Administrative Agent, a Guaranty Agreement and a security agreement pursuant to which such Subsidiary guaranties the payment of all Obligations and grants to Administrative Agent a first priority Lien (subject only to Permitted Liens) on all of its Properties of the types described in <u>Section 6.1</u>.
- 9.1.9 <u>Deposit and Brokerage Accounts</u>. For each deposit account or brokerage account that any Loan Party at any time opens after the Closing Date, the Loan Parties shall cause the depository bank or securities intermediary, as applicable, to enter into a control agreement and/or blocked account agreement in accordance with <u>subsection 7.2.4</u>, except to the extent any such agreement is not required thereunder.
- 9.1.10 <u>Use of Proceeds</u>. The Revolving Credit Loans shall be used solely for (i) the Loan Parties' general operating capital needs and general corporate purposes in a manner consistent with the provisions of this Agreement and all Applicable Law, and (ii) other purposes permitted under this Agreement.
- 9.1.11 <u>Compliance with Laws</u>. Comply with all (i) Anti-Terrorism Laws and (ii) other Applicable Laws if the failure to comply with such other Applicable Laws would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, if any Environmental Release in material violation of any Environmental Law occurs at or on any Properties of any Loan Party or Subsidiary, it shall act promptly and diligently to investigate and report to Administrative Agent and all appropriate Governmental Authorities the extent of, and to make appropriate remedial action to eliminate, such Environmental Release, whether or not directed to do so by any Governmental Authority.

- 9.1.12 <u>Payment of Obligations</u>. Pay, discharge or otherwise satisfy as the same shall become due and payable (i) all material Tax liabilities, assessments and governmental charges or levies upon it or its properties or assets, which, if unpaid, would reasonably be expected to result in the creation of a Lien upon its Property, unless the same are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted and adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP are being maintained and (ii) all material lawful claims which, if unpaid, would by law become a Lien upon its property, unless such claims would not become a Lien on the Collateral and the same are being contested in good faith by appropriate proceedings diligently conducted and adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP are being maintained.
- 9.1.13 <u>Preservation of Existence</u>. Preserve, renew and maintain in full force and effect its legal existence under the Applicable Law of the jurisdiction of its organization, other than as a result of a transaction expressly permitted hereunder.
- 9.1.14 <u>Maintenance of Properties, Permits, Etc.</u> Except as otherwise permitted herein, (i) maintain, preserve and protect all of its material properties and equipment necessary in the operation of its business in good working order, repair and condition, ordinary wear and tear and casualty or condemnation excepted, and make all necessary renewals, replacements, modifications, improvements, upgrades, extensions and additions thereof or thereto in accordance with prudent industry practice, (ii) take all reasonable action to maintain all rights, privileges, permits, licenses and franchises necessary or desirable in the normal conduct of its business, except to the extent that failure to do so could not reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, and (iii) preserve or renew all of its registered patents, trademarks, service marks and copyrights, the non-preservation of which would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.
- 9.2 <u>Negative Covenants</u>. During the Term, and thereafter for so long as there are any Obligations outstanding (other than indemnity Obligations for which no claim has been made), the Loan Parties covenant that they shall not:
- 9.2.1 Mergers; Consolidations; Acquisitions; Structural Changes. Merge or consolidate, or permit any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to merge or consolidate, with any Person; change its or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries' state of incorporation or organization, Type of Organization or Organizational I.D. Number; except with thirty (30) days advance written notice to the Administrative Agent, change its or any of its Domestic Subsidiaries' legal name; nor acquire, nor permit any of its Subsidiaries to acquire, all or any substantial part of the Properties of any Person, except for:
  - (i) any merger or consolidation of a Loan Party or any Subsidiary of a Loan Party with another Loan Party or another wholly-owned Subsidiary of a Loan Party; provided, that (x) a Borrower shall be the surviving entity in any merger or consolidation involving a Borrower and (y) a Loan Party shall be the surviving entity in any merger or consolidation involving a Loan Party;

- (ii) acquisitions of assets consisting of fixed assets or real Property that constitute Capital Expenditures permitted under subsection 9.2.7;
- (iii) acquisitions of new drug applications or abbreviated new drug applications, together with associated Eligible Acquisition Inventory, in the ordinary course of business; and
  - (iv) Permitted Acquisitions.
- 9.2.2 <u>Indebtedness</u>. Create, incur, assume, or suffer to exist, or permit any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to create, incur or suffer to exist, any Indebtedness, except:
  - (i) the Obligations;
  - (ii) the Convertible Note Documents:
  - (iii) Indebtedness existing on the date of this Agreement and listed on Schedule 9.2.2;
  - (iv) Permitted Purchase Money Indebtedness;
  - (v) Indebtedness arising from the honoring by a bank or other financial institution of a check, draft or similar instrument drawn against insufficient funds in the ordinary course of business and other Indebtedness in respect of obligations under any agreement or arrangement to provide cash management services, including treasury, depository, overdraft, return items, purchasing card, travel and entertainment card, credit or debit card, electronic funds transfer, automated clearing house transfers of funds and other cash management arrangements in the ordinary course of business;
    - (vi) Guaranties of any Indebtedness permitted hereunder;
    - (vii) Indebtedness in respect of intercompany loans permitted under <u>subsection 9.2.10(viii)</u>;
  - (viii) trade payables, accruals and accounts payable in the ordinary course of business (in each case to the extent not overdue) not for Funded Debt;
  - (ix) Indebtedness arising from any Swap Obligations incurred in the ordinary course of business, for bona fide hedging purposes and not for speculation;
  - (x) Indebtedness owed to any Person providing workers' compensation, health, disability or other employee benefits or property, casualty or liability insurance, pursuant to reimbursement or indemnification obligations to such Person, in each case incurred in the ordinary course of business;
  - (xi) Indebtedness in respect of performance bonds, bid bonds, surety bonds (other than surety bonds required in connection with any 401(k) plan(s) maintained by the Loan Parties) and similar obligations, not to exceed \$1,000,000 in the aggregate at any time outstanding, in each case provided in the ordinary course of business;

- (xii) Indebtedness consisting of insurance premiums accrued but not yet due;
- (xiii) Indebtedness of any Person that becomes a Loan Party or Subsidiary after the date hereof which was incurred prior to the time such Person becomes a Loan Party or Subsidiary; provided that (i) such Indebtedness is not created in contemplation of or in connection with such acquisition or such Person becoming a Loan Party or Subsidiary, as the case may be and (ii) such Indebtedness shall not be assumed or guaranteed by any other Loan Party or Subsidiary;
- (xiv) (a) unsecured earn-outs, (b) seller promissory notes, and (c) payment obligations in respect of non-competition agreements (other than any allocated portion of the purchase price), in each instance, incurred in connection with any acquisition permitted hereunder; <u>provided</u> that the payment (i) of any such seller note shall be subordinated to the Obligations on terms reasonably acceptable to Administrative Agent, and (ii) no payment shall be made on account of any earn-out (other than earn-outs based on net revenues or gross profits required to be paid in connection with the acquisition by any Loan Party of any prescription pharmaceutical product, new drug application or abbreviated new drug application in the ordinary course of business) or any obligations in respect of non-competition agreements (other than any allocated portion of the purchase price) unless the Payment Conditions shall have been satisfied; and
  - (xv) other unsecured Indebtedness not to exceed \$1,000,000 in the aggregate outstanding;
- (xvi) Indebtedness in respect of taxes, assessments or governmental charges which are permitted to be outstanding in accordance with the terms hereof;
  - (xvii) Indebtedness consisting of judgments not otherwise constituting an Event of Default;
- (xviii) Indebtedness of any Borrower or any Domestic Subsidiary incurred to finance the acquisition, construction or improvement of any fixed or capital assets, including Capital Lease Obligations and any Indebtedness assumed in connection with the acquisition of any such assets or secured by a Lien on any such assets prior to the acquisition thereof, and extensions, renewals and replacements of any such Indebtedness in accordance with <u>clause (xx)</u> below; provided that (A) such Indebtedness is incurred prior to or within 90 days after such acquisition or the completion of such construction or improvement and (B) the aggregate principal amount of Indebtedness permitted by this <u>clause (xviii)</u> shall not exceed \$5,000,000 at any time outstanding;
- (xix) Indebtedness consisting of deferred purchase price or notes issued to officers, directors and employees to purchase or redeem Equity Interests of Parent in an amount not to exceed \$1,000,000 at any time outstanding; and

- (xx) Refinancings of Indebtedness permitted under this <u>Section 9.2.2</u>.
- 9.2.3 <u>Affiliate Transactions</u>. Enter into, or be a party to, or permit any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to enter into or be a party to, any transaction with any Affiliate of any Loan Party or any holder of any Equity Interests of any Loan Party or any Subsidiary of any Loan Party, including without limitation any management, consulting or similar fees, except:
  - (i) in the ordinary course of and pursuant to the reasonable requirements of such Loan Party's or such Subsidiary's business and upon fair and reasonable terms which are fully disclosed to Administrative Agent and are no less favorable to such Loan Party or such Subsidiary than would be obtained in a comparable arm's-length transaction with a Person not an Affiliate or holder of Equity Interests of any Loan Party;
  - (ii) transactions expressly permitted by this Agreement or any other Loan Document between a Loan Party or any Subsidiary of a Loan Party and their respective Affiliates, including Section 9.2.6 and Section 9.2.10(xvi)(B); and
  - (iii) intercompany Indebtedness expressly permitted hereunder and repayment of intercompany indebtedness expressly permitted hereunder.
- 9.2.4 <u>Limitation on Liens</u>. Create or suffer to exist, or permit any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to create or suffer to exist, any Lien upon any of its Property, income or profits, whether now owned or hereafter acquired, except:
  - (i) Liens at any time granted in favor of Administrative Agent securing the Obligations;
  - (ii) Liens for taxes, assessments or governmental charges (excluding any Lien imposed pursuant to any of the provisions of ERISA) not yet due, or being contested in the manner described in <u>subsection 9.1.11</u> hereto, if such Lien would not reasonably be expected to materially adversely affect Administrative Agent's rights or the priority of Administrative Agent's Lien on any Collateral;
  - (iii) Liens arising in the ordinary course of the business of any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries by operation of law or regulation, but only if payment in respect of any such Lien is not at the time required and such Liens do not, in the aggregate, materially detract from the value of the Property of such Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries or materially impair the use thereof in the operation of the business of such Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries;
    - (iv) Purchase Money Liens securing Permitted Purchase Money Indebtedness;
    - (v) such other Liens as appear on <u>Schedule 9.2.4</u> hereto;
  - (vi) Liens incurred or deposits made in the ordinary course of business in connection with (1) worker's compensation, social security, unemployment insurance and other like laws or (2) sales contracts, leases, statutory obligations, work-in-progress advances and other similar obligations not incurred in connection with Funded Debt;

- (vii) reservations, covenants, zoning and other land use regulations, title exceptions or encumbrances granted in the ordinary course of business, affecting real Property owned or leased by a Loan Party or one of its Subsidiaries; <u>provided</u> that such exceptions do not in the aggregate materially interfere with the use of such Property in the ordinary course of any Loan Party's or such Subsidiary's business;
  - (viii) judgment Liens that do not give rise to an Event of Default under <u>subsection 11.1.13</u>;
- (ix) Liens of carriers, warehousemen, mechanics and materialmen, and other like Liens arising in the ordinary course of business, which are not delinquent for more than ninety (90) days or remain payable without penalty or which are being contested in good faith and by appropriate proceedings diligently prosecuted, which proceedings have the effect of presenting the forfeiture or sale of the Property subject thereto and for which adequate reserves in accordance with GAAP are being maintained;
- (x) Liens in favor of customs and revenue authorities arising as a matter of law to secure payment of customs duties in connection with the importation of goods in the ordinary course of business of any Loan Party and any Subsidiary thereof;
  - (xi) Liens on insurance premiums securing Indebtedness permitted under <u>Section 9.2.2(xii)</u>;
- (xii) deposits to secure the performance of bids, trade contacts, leases, statutory obligations, surety and appeal bonds, performance bonds and other obligations of a like nature, in each case in the ordinary course of business;
  - (xiii) non-exclusive licenses or sublicenses of intellectual property granted by any Loan Party in the ordinary course of business
- (xiv) Liens in the nature of the right of setoff, refund or chargeback in favor of counterparties to contractual agreements with the Loan Parties in the ordinary course of business;
  - (xv) rights of set-off or customary bankers' Liens upon deposit account in favor of banks or other depositing institutions; and
  - (xvi) Liens only on the assets securing Indebtedness permitted pursuant to Section 9.2.2(xviii).
  - 9.2.5 Payments of Certain Debt and Amendments of Certain Agreements.
- (i) Make or permit any Domestic Subsidiary of any Loan Party to make any payment of any part or all of any Subordinated Debt, except in accordance with the subordination agreement relative thereto or the subordination provisions thereof;

- (ii) amend or modify any agreement, instrument or document evidencing or relating to any Subordinated Debt, except in accordance with the subordination agreement relative thereto or the subordination provisions thereof;
  - (iii) make any prepayment of principal on account of the Convertible Note;
- (iv) amend or modify the Convertible Note Documents which would have the result of (i) increasing the principal amount or interest rate thereunder, (ii) shortening the maturity date thereof, (iii) expediting the amortization of the principal balance thereunder, (iv) increasing in any other material respect any monetary obligations of the Loan Parties, or (v) granting of a security interest in any assets of the Loan Parties as security for the Convertible Note Documents.
  - 9.2.6 <u>Distributions</u>. Declare or make, or permit any Domestic Subsidiary of any Loan Party to declare or make, any Distributions, except for:
    - (i) Distributions by any Subsidiary of a Loan Party to a Loan Party;
    - (ii) Distributions paid solely in Equity Interests of a Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries;
- (iii) Distributions by the Loan Parties to Parent in amounts necessary to permit Parent to repurchase Equity Interests of Parent from employees of any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries upon the termination of their employment, so long as no Default or Event of Default exists at the time of or would be caused by the making of such Distributions and the aggregate cash amount of such Distributions, measured at the time when made, does not exceed \$500,000 in any fiscal year;
- (iv) Distributions to be made pursuant to the Parent's stock repurchase plan in effect as of the Closing Date; provided however, if as of the date of any proposed Distribution pursuant to this subclause (iv), there are outstanding any Loans and/or Letters of Credit, the Payment Conditions shall be satisfied at the time such Distribution is made, and the Borrower Representative shall have certified to Agent in writing (with supporting calculations) that Borrowers shall have Availability equal to the greater of (x) \$7,500,000 and (y) 25% of the Line Cap for five (5) consecutive Business Days thereafter; and
- (v) other Distributions not provided for in any other clause of this <u>subsection 9.2.6</u> so long as the Payment Conditions are satisfied at the time such Distribution is made.
- 9.2.7 <u>Capital Expenditures</u>. Make Capital Expenditures which, in the aggregate, as to the Loan Parties and all of their Subsidiaries, exceed \$7,500,000 during any fiscal year.
- 9.2.8 <u>Disposition of Assets</u>. Sell, lease or otherwise dispose of any of, or permit any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of any of, its Properties, including any disposition of Property as part of a sale-and-leaseback transaction, to or in favor of any Person, except for:

- (i) sales, transfers and dispositions of Inventory in the ordinary course of business;
- (ii) sales, transfers and dispositions of Property to a Loan Party by a Loan Party or a Subsidiary of a Loan Party;
- (iii) sales, transfers and dispositions (including abandonment) of Property that is substantially worn, damaged, uneconomic or obsolete or resulting from any casualty or other insured damage to or any taking under power of eminent domain or by condemnation or similar proceeding;
- (iv) sales, transfers and dispositions of Accounts which are not Eligible Accounts in connection with the compromise, settlement or collection thereof;
  - (v) dispositions of Cash Equivalents;
  - (vi) licenses of Intellectual Property granted in the ordinary course of business;
  - (vii) the lapse of immaterial Intellectual Property that is no longer useful to its business;
  - (viii) the termination, surrender or sublease of a real estate lease in the ordinary course of business;
  - (ix) other dispositions expressly authorized by this Agreement;
  - (x) granting of Liens to the extent permitted under <u>Section 9.2.4</u>; and
- (xi) so long as no Event of Default exists and is continuing, other dispositions not provided for in any other clause of this subsection 9.2.8 in an amount not to exceed \$250,000 in the aggregate during any consecutive twelve-month period.
- 9.2.9 <u>Equity Interests of Subsidiaries</u>. Permit any of their Subsidiaries to issue any additional Equity Interests except to a Loan Party or other Subsidiary of a Loan Party or to the extent required under Applicable Law.
- 9.2.10 <u>Investments</u>. Make or have, or permit any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to make or have, any investment in cash or by delivery of Property to any Person, whether by acquisition of Equity Interests, Indebtedness or other obligation or by loan, advance or capital contribution, or otherwise, except:
  - (i) investments by a Loan Party in another Loan Party;
  - (ii) investments in Cash Equivalents;

- (iii) transactions permitted under <u>subsection 9.2.1</u> of this Agreement;
- (iv) salary advances, travel expense advances, advances against commissions and other similar advances to employees in the ordinary course of business;
  - (v) extensions of trade credit in the ordinary course of business;
  - (vi) deposits with financial institutions permitted under this Agreement;
  - (vii) prepaid expenses;
  - (viii) intercompany loans from (a) a Loan Party to another Loan Party, or (b) a Subsidiary that is not a Loan Party to a Loan Party;
- (ix) advances to vendors in the ordinary course of business consistent with past practices in the aggregate amount not to exceed \$2,000,000 in the aggregate for all such advances outstanding at any time;
  - (x) investments existing on the date hereof and listed on <u>Schedule 9.2.10</u> hereto;
- (xi) investments constituting deposits described in <u>clauses (vi) and (xii)</u> of <u>Section 9.2.4</u> or made to a landlord in the ordinary course of business to secure or support obligations of a Loan Party under a lease of real property;
  - (xii) deposit accounts maintained in the ordinary course of business in compliance with this Agreement;
  - (xiii) investments received in connection with the disposition of assets permitted by Section 9.2.8;
- (xiv) notes payable, or stock or other securities issued by Account Debtors to a Loan Party pursuant to negotiated agreements with respect to settlement of such Account Debtor's Accounts in the ordinary course of business, consistent with past practices;
- (xv) non-cash investments consisting of loans to officers, directors and employees, all of the proceeds of which are used by such Persons to purchase simultaneously Equity Interests issued by Parent, to the extent otherwise permitted under this Agreement and not exceeding \$1,000,000 in the aggregate at any time outstanding;
- (xvi) investments in (A) joint ventures not to exceed \$5,000,000 in the aggregate at any time outstanding, or (B) Subsidiaries that are not Loan Parties not to exceed \$25,000,000 in excess of investments existing as of the Closing Date in the aggregate at any time outstanding; provided that, if as of the date of any proposed investment pursuant to this subclause (xvi), there are outstanding any Loans and/or Letters of Credit, the Payment Conditions shall be satisfied at the time such investment is made, and the Borrower Representative shall have certified to Agent in writing (with supporting calculations) that Borrowers shall have Availability equal to the greater of (x) \$7,500,000 and (y) 25% of the Line Cap for five (5) consecutive Business Days thereafter;

- (xvii) other investments not to exceed \$1,000,000 in the aggregate at any time outstanding,
- (xviii) investments (A) taken in connection with the settlement of accounts or the bankruptcy or restructuring of Account Debtors of the Loan Parties or their Domestic Subsidiaries and (B) deposits, prepayments and other credits to suppliers, in each case with respect to the foregoing clauses (A) and (B) made in the ordinary course of business and consistent with past practice;
  - (xix) Permitted Acquisitions; and
- (xx) other investments not provided for in any other clause of this <u>subsection 9.2.10</u> (including for sake of clarity, investments by Parent to repurchase outstanding Equity Interests) so long as the Payment Conditions are satisfied at the time such investment is made.
- 9.2.11 <u>Tax Consolidation; Accounting Changes</u>. File or consent to the filing of any consolidated income tax return with any Person other than Parent, the Loan Parties and the Subsidiaries of the Loan Parties, or modify the accounting principles in effect as of the Closing Date.
- 9.2.12 <u>Organizational Documents</u>. Agree to, or suffer to occur, any amendment, supplement or addition to its or any of their Domestic Subsidiaries' charter, articles or certificate of incorporation, certificate of formation, limited partnership agreement, bylaws, limited liability agreement, operating agreement or other organizational documents (as the case may be) in any manner which is adverse to the interests of Administrative Agent or Lenders.
  - 9.2.13 Fiscal Year End. Change, or permit any Subsidiary of any Loan Party to change, its fiscal year end.
- 9.2.14 <u>Restrictive Agreements</u>. Become a party to any Restrictive Agreement, except (a) a Restrictive Agreement as in effect on the Closing Date and shown on <u>Schedule 9.2.14</u>; (b) a Restrictive Agreement relating to secured Indebtedness permitted hereunder, if such restrictions apply only to the collateral for such Indebtedness; and (c) customary provisions in leases, Licenses and other contracts restricting assignment thereof.
- 9.2.15 OFAC. (i) Become a Person whose property or interests in property are blocked or subject to blocking pursuant to Section 1 of Executive Order 13224 of September 23, 2001 Blocking Party and Prohibiting Transactions With Persons Who Commit, Threaten to Commit or Support Terrorism (66 Fed. Reg. 49079(2001)), (ii) engage in any dealings or transactions prohibited by Section 2 of such executive order, or be otherwise associated with any such Person in any manner violative of such Section 2, or (iii) become a Person on the list of Specially Designated Nationals and Blocked Persons or subject to the limitations or prohibitions under any other U.S. Department of Treasury's Office of Foreign Assets Control regulation or executive order.

## 9.2.16 Reserved.

9.2.17 <u>Conduct of Business</u>. As to any Loan Party, engage in any business, other than the business of any Loan Party as conducted on the Closing Date and any business reasonably related, ancillary or complementary to the business in which any Loan Party is engaged on the date hereof.

# 9.3 Specific Financial Covenant.

- 9.3.1 <u>Financial Covenant</u>. During the Term, and thereafter for so long as there are any Obligations outstanding (other than indemnity Obligations for which no claim has been made), upon the occurrence of a Covenant Trigger Event (in which case the following covenants shall be immediately tested as of the most recently ended fiscal month for which financial statements were required to be delivered pursuant to <u>subsection 9.1.3(i)</u>, (ii), or (iii) and for so long as a Covenant Trigger Event shall be continuing, the Loan Parties covenant that they shall comply with all of the following financial covenant:
  - (i) <u>Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio</u>. The Loan Parties shall not permit the Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio, calculated on a trailing 12 month basis for any period set forth below, to be less than the ratio set forth below opposite such period:

Period	Ratio
On the last day of each month	1.10 to 1.0

## SECTION 10. CONDITIONS PRECEDENT

- 10.1 <u>Initial Loans</u>. Notwithstanding any other provision of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, and without affecting in any manner the rights of Administrative Agent or any Lender under the other sections of this Agreement, no Lender shall be required to make the Loans, nor shall Issuing Bank be required to issue any Letter of Credit to be made or issued on the Closing Date unless and until each of the following conditions has been and continues to be satisfied or waived by Majority Lenders:
- 10.1.1 <u>Documentation</u>. Administrative Agent shall have received, in form and substance satisfactory to Administrative Agent and its counsel, a duly executed copy of this Agreement and the other Loan Documents, together with such additional documents, instruments, opinions and certificates as Administrative Agent and its counsel shall require in connection therewith from time to time, all in form and substance satisfactory to Administrative Agent and its counsel.
- 10.1.2 <u>Availability</u>. Administrative Agent shall have determined that immediately after Lenders have made the initial Loans and after Administrative Agent has issued or procured the initial Letters of Credit contemplated hereby, and the Loan Parties have paid (or, if accrued, treated as paid), all closing costs incurred in connection with the Closing Date Transactions, and has reserved an amount sufficient to pay all trade payables greater than sixty (60) days past due, Availability shall not be less than \$10,000,000.

- 10.1.3 No Litigation. No action, proceeding, investigation, regulation or legislation shall have been instituted, threatened or proposed before any Governmental Authority to enjoin, restrain or prohibit, or to obtain damages in respect of, or which is related to or arises out of, this Agreement or the consummation of the Closing Date Transactions.
- 10.1.4 <u>Material Adverse Effect</u>. As of the Closing Date, since February 29, 2016, there has not been any material adverse change in the business, assets, financial condition, income, performance or operations of any Loan Party and no event or condition exists which would be reasonably likely to result in any Material Adverse Effect.
- 10.1.5 <u>UCC Filings and Lien Perfection</u>. Administrative Agent shall have received acknowledgments of all filings, notifications or recordations necessary to perfect its Liens in the Collateral, as well as UCC, intellectual property and other Lien searches and other evidence satisfactory to Administrative Agent that such Liens are the only Liens upon the Collateral, except Permitted Liens. Administrative Agent shall have received all possessory collateral required to be delivered to Administrative Agent pursuant to the Loan Documents, duly endorsed in a manner satisfactory to Administrative Agent indicating Administrative Agent's security interest therein.
- 10.1.6 Officer's Certificate. Administrative Agent shall have received a certificate, in form and substance satisfactory to it, from a duly authorized officer of the Loan Parties certifying that (a) the Loan Parties and their respective Subsidiaries, taken as a whole, are now and, after giving effect to the initial Loans to be made and the initial Letters of Credit to be issued hereunder and the consummation of each other Closing Date Transaction, will be, Solvent; (b) no Default or Event of Default exists or would result after giving effect to the Closing Date Transactions; (c) the representations and warranties set forth in Section 8 are true and correct; (d) the Loan Parties have complied with all agreements and conditions to be satisfied by them under the Loan Documents, and (e) the Loan Parties are in proforma compliance with the Fixed Charge Coverage Ratio.
- 10.1.7 <u>Resolutions, Organizational Documents, Incumbency Certificate</u>. Administrative Agent shall have received a certificate of a duly authorized officer of each Loan Party, certifying (1) that attached copies of such Loan Party's Organizational Documents are true and complete, and in full force and effect, without amendment except as shown, (2) that an attached copy of resolutions authorizing execution and delivery of the Loan Documents is true and complete, and that such resolutions are in full force and effect, were duly adopted, have not been amended, modified or revoked, and constitute all resolutions adopted with respect to this credit facility, and (3) to the title, name and signature of each Person authorized to sign the Loan Documents. Administrative Agent may conclusively rely on this certificate until it is otherwise notified by the applicable Loan Party in writing.
- 10.1.8 <u>Legal Opinion</u>. Administrative Agent shall have received a written opinion of Dentons US LLP, counsel to the Loan Parties, each in form and substance satisfactory to Administrative Agent.

- 10.1.9 <u>Good Standing Certificates</u>. Administrative Agent shall have received copies of the charter documents of each Loan Party, certified as appropriate by the Secretary of State or another official of such Loan Party's jurisdiction of organization. Administrative Agent shall have received good standing certificates for each Loan Party, issued by the Secretary of State or other appropriate official of (a) such Loan Party's jurisdiction of organization and (b) each jurisdiction where such Loan Party's conduct of business or ownership of Property necessitates qualification, except where failure to maintain such qualification could not reasonably be expected to result in a Material Adverse Effect.
- 10.1.10 <u>Insurance</u>. Administrative Agent shall have received evidence of the insurance and additional insured, loss payee and other endorsements required hereunder and under the other Loan Documents, and certificates of such insurance policies and/or endorsements naming Administrative Agent, all in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent.
- 10.1.11 <u>Due Diligence and Financial Statements</u>. Administrative Agent shall have completed its business, financial and legal due diligence of Loan Parties, including:
  - (i) Administrative Agent or its Affiliates shall have conducted a field examination of the Loan Parties' assets, liabilities, cash management systems, books and records, and the results of such field examination shall be reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent in all respects;
  - (ii) Administrative Agent shall have received appraisals conducted on the Inventory of the Loan Parties, and the results of such appraisals shall be reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent in all respects.
    - (iii) Administrative Agent shall have received true and complete copies of the Convertible Debt Documents.
- 10.1.12 <u>Payment of Fees</u>. The Loan Parties shall have paid all fees and expenses, including the reasonable and documented fees and expenses of legal counsel, to be paid to Administrative Agent and Lenders on the Closing Date.
- 10.1.13 <u>Borrowing Base Certificate/Projections</u>. Collateral Agent shall have received a Borrowing Base Certificate prepared as of the Closing Date or as of such other date as Collateral Agent may elect, and Administrative Agent shall have received month by month projections for fiscal year 2016 and the first 6 months of fiscal year 2017.
- 10.1.14 Third Party Waivers and Consents. Administrative Agent shall have received, in form and substance reasonably satisfactory to Administrative Agent, all consents, waivers, acknowledgments and other agreements from third persons (including, without limitation, customs brokers) and Governmental Authorities which Administrative Agent may deem necessary in order to permit, protect and perfect its Lien upon the Collateral or to effectuate the provisions or purposes of this Agreement and the other Loan Documents.

- 10.1.15 <u>USA PATRIOT Act</u>. The Lenders shall have received all documentation and other information required by regulatory authorities under applicable "know your customer" and anti-money laundering rules and regulations, including the Patriot Act.
  - 10.1.16 No Default or Event of Default. No Default or Event of Default shall exist.
- 10.2 <u>Conditions Precedent to All Loans and Credit Accommodations</u>. No Lender shall be required to make any Loan, nor shall Issuing Bank be required to issue any Letter of Credit unless and until the following conditions are satisfied:
- 10.2.1 No Default or Event of Default or Event of Default shall exist at the time of, or result from, such funding, issuance or grant; and
- 10.2.2 <u>Representations and Warranties</u>. The representations and warranties of each Loan Party and its Subsidiaries in the Loan Documents shall be true and correct in all material respects (or, as to any representations and warranties which are subject to a materiality or Material Adverse Effect qualifier, true and correct in all respects) on the date of, and upon giving effect to, such funding, issuance or grant (except for representations and warranties that expressly relate to an earlier date or for such changes as provided in <u>Section 8.2</u>).

# SECTION 11. EVENTS OF DEFAULT; RIGHTS AND REMEDIES ON DEFAULT

- 11.1 Events of Default. The occurrence of one or more of the following events shall constitute an "Event of Default":
- 11.1.1 <u>Payment of Obligations</u>. The Loan Parties shall fail to pay any of the Obligations hereunder or under any Note (i) consisting of principal on the due date thereof or (ii) consisting of interest, fees or any other amount, within three (3) days after the due date thereof (in each instance, whether due at stated maturity, promptly following demand, upon acceleration or otherwise).
- 11.1.2 <u>Misrepresentations</u>. Any representation, warranty or other statement made or furnished to Administrative Agent or any Lender by or on behalf of any Loan Party in this Agreement, any of the other Loan Documents or any instrument, certificate or financial statement furnished in compliance with or in reference thereto proves to have been false or misleading in any material respect when made, furnished or reaffirmed pursuant to <u>Section 8.2</u> hereof.

# 11.1.3 Breach of Covenants.

(i) Any Loan Party shall fail or neglect to perform, keep or observe any covenant contained in any of the following <u>Sections</u> or <u>subsections</u>: 6.3 (Lien Perfection; Further Assurances), 7.1.1 (Location of Collateral), 7.2.4 (Maintenance of Blocked Accounts), 7.2.5 (Collection of Accounts; Proceeds of Collateral), 9.1.1 (Visits and Inspections; Lender Meeting), 9.1.4 (Borrowing Base Certificates), 9.1.9 (Deposit and Brokerage Accounts), 9.1.10 (Use of Proceeds), 9.1.13 (Preservation of Existence), 9.2 (Negative Covenants), or 9.3 (Specific Financial Covenants) hereof on the date that the Loan Parties are required to perform, keep or observe such covenant.

- (ii) Any Loan Party shall fail or neglect to perform, keep or observe any covenant contained in this Agreement (other than a covenant which is dealt with specifically elsewhere in Section 11.1 hereof) or any other Loan Document and such failure is not cured to Administrative Agent's satisfaction within a period of (A) three (3) days after the earlier of any Loan Party's knowledge of such breach or notice thereof from the Administrative Agent (which notice will be given at the request of any Lender) if such breach relates to terms or provisions of the following Sections or subsections: 3.8 (Field Exams; Appraisals), 6.2 (Other Collateral), 7.1.2 (Insurance of Collateral), 9.1.2 (Notices), 9.1.3 (Financial Statements), 9.1.7 (Projections), or (B) thirty (30) days after the earlier of any Loan Party's knowledge of such breach or notice thereof from the Administrative Agent (which notice will be given at the request of any Lender) if such breach relates to terms or provisions of any covenant contained in this Agreement (other than a covenant which is dealt with specifically elsewhere in Section 11.1.3(i) or (ii)(A) hereof) or any other Loan Document.
- 11.1.4 Other Defaults. There shall occur any default or event of default on the part of any Loan Party under any agreement, document or instrument to which such Loan Party is a party or by which such Loan Party or any of its Property is bound, evidencing or relating to (a) any Indebtedness (other than the Obligations) with an outstanding principal balance in excess of \$1,000,000, if the payment or maturity of such Indebtedness is or could be accelerated in consequence of such event of default or demand for payment of such Indebtedness is made or could be made in accordance with the terms thereof or (b) the Convertible Debt Documents.
- 11.1.5 <u>Uninsured Losses</u>. Any material loss, theft, damage or destruction of any portion of the tangible Collateral having a fair market value in an amount which is equal to that amount which is 20% of Availability calculated as of the date of such loss, theft, damage or destruction, if not fully covered (subject to such deductibles and self-insurance retentions as Administrative Agent shall have permitted) by insurance.
- 11.1.6 <u>Insolvency and Related Proceedings</u>. An Insolvency Proceeding is commenced by a Loan Party; a Loan Party makes an offer of settlement, extension or composition to its unsecured creditors generally; a trustee is appointed to take possession of any substantial Property of or to operate any of the business of a Loan Party; or an Insolvency Proceeding is commenced against a Loan Party and such Loan Party consents to institution of the proceeding, the petition commencing the proceeding is not timely contested by such Loan Party, the petition is not dismissed within sixty (60) days after filing, or an order for relief is entered in the proceeding.
- 11.1.7 <u>Business Disruption</u>. There shall occur a cessation of a substantial part of the business of any Loan Party which would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; or any Loan Party shall suffer the loss or revocation of any material license or permit now held or hereafter acquired by any Loan Party which loss could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect; or any Loan Party shall be enjoined, restrained or in any way prevented by court, governmental or administrative order from conducting all or any material part of its business affairs which injunction, restraint or other prevention could reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.

- 11.1.8 Change of Control . A Change of Control shall have occurred.
- 11.1.9 <u>ERISA</u>. A Reportable Event shall occur which, in Administrative Agent's determination, constitutes grounds for the termination by the Pension Benefit Guaranty Corporation of any Plan or for the appointment by the appropriate United States district court of a trustee for any Plan, or any Plan shall be terminated or any such trustee shall be requested or appointed, or if any Loan Party is in "default" (as defined in Section 4219(c)(5) of ERISA) with respect to payments to a Multiemployer Plan resulting from such Loan Party's complete or partial withdrawal from such Plan and any such event would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect.
- 11.1.10 <u>Challenge to Agreement</u>. Any Loan Party shall challenge or contest in any action, suit or proceeding the validity or enforceability of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, the legality or enforceability of any of the Obligations or the perfection or priority of any Lien granted to Administrative Agent or this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, Obligations or perfection or priority of any Lien granted to Administrative Agent shall cease to actually be legal and enforceable (other than as a result of any action or inaction by Administrative Agent or any Lender).
- 11.1.11 <u>Repudiation of or Default Under Guaranty Agreement</u>. Any Guarantor shall revoke or attempt to revoke the Guaranty Agreement signed by such Guarantor or shall repudiate such Guarantor's liability thereunder or shall be in default thereunder following the expiration of any cure or grace periods set forth therein.
- 11.1.12 <u>Criminal Forfeiture</u>. Any Loan Party shall be criminally indicted or convicted under any law that could lead to a forfeiture of any Property of any Loan Party.
- 11.1.13 <u>Judgments</u>. Any money judgment, writ of attachment or similar process (collectively, "<u>Judgments</u>") is issued or rendered against any Loan Party, or any of their respective Property (i) in the case of money judgments, in an amount of \$5,000,000 or more for all such judgments, attachments or processes in the aggregate, in each case in excess of any applicable insurance with respect to which the insurer has admitted liability, and (ii) in the case of nonmonetary Judgments, such Judgment or Judgments (in the aggregate) would reasonably be expected to have a Material Adverse Effect, in each case which Judgment is not stayed, released or discharged within forty-five (45) days.
- Acceleration of the Obligations. Upon or at any time after the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, (i) the Revolving Credit Commitments shall, at the option of Administrative Agent or Majority Lenders, be terminated and/or (ii) Administrative Agent or Majority Lenders may declare all or any portion of the Obligations at once due and payable without presentment, demand protest or further notice by Administrative Agent or any Lender, and the Loan Parties shall forthwith pay to Administrative Agent the full amount of such Obligations, provided that, upon the occurrence of an Event of Default specified in subsection 11.1.6 hereof, the Revolving Credit Commitments shall automatically be terminated and all of the Obligations shall become automatically due and payable, in each case without declaration, notice or demand by Administrative Agent or any Lender.

- 11.3 Other Remedies. Upon the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, Administrative Agent shall have and may exercise from time to time the following other rights and remedies:
- 11.3.1 All of the rights and remedies of a secured party under the UCC or under other Applicable Law, and all other legal and equitable rights to which Administrative Agent or Lenders may be entitled, all of which rights and remedies shall be cumulative and shall be in addition to any other rights or remedies contained in this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, and none of which shall be exclusive.
- 11.3.2 The right to take immediate possession of the Collateral, and to (i) require each Loan Party and each of its Subsidiaries to assemble the Collateral, at the Loan Parties' expense, and make it available to Administrative Agent at a place designated by Administrative Agent which is reasonably convenient to both parties, and (ii) enter any premises where any of the Collateral shall be located and to keep and store the Collateral on such premises until sold (and if such premises are owned by any Loan Party or Subsidiary of a Loan Party, the Loan Parties shall not, and shall not permit any of their Subsidiaries to, charge Administrative Agent for such entry and storage).
- 11.3.3 The right to sell or otherwise dispose of all or any Collateral in its then current condition, or after any further manufacturing or processing thereof, at public or private sale or sales, with such notice as may be required by law, in lots or in bulk, for cash or on credit, all as Administrative Agent, in its sole discretion, may deem advisable. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, each Loan Party recognizes that (a) the Administrative Agent may be unable to effect a public sale of all or a part of the Collateral by reason of certain prohibitions contained in the Pharmaceutical Laws, but may be compelled to resort to one or more private sales to a restricted group of purchasers, and in either event, each Loan Party agrees to use commercially reasonable efforts to assist the Administrative Agent in effectuating any such sale, (b) that private sales so made may be at prices and upon other terms less favorable to the seller than if the Collateral were sold at public sales, and (c) that private sales made under the foregoing circumstances shall be deemed to have been made in a commercially reasonable manner. Administrative Agent may, at Administrative Agent's option, disclaim any and all warranties regarding the Collateral in connection with any such sale. The Loan Parties agree that ten (10) days' prior written notice of any public or private sale or other disposition of Collateral shall be reasonable notice thereof, and such sale shall be at such locations as Administrative Agent may designate in such notice. Administrative Agent shall have the right to conduct such sales on any Loan Party's or any of its Subsidiaries' premises, without charge therefor, and such sales may be adjourned from time to time in accordance with Applicable Law. Administrative Agent shall have the right to sell, lease or otherwise dispose of the Collateral, or any part thereof, for cash, credit or any combination thereof, and Administrative Agent, on behalf of Lenders, may purchase all or any part of the Collateral at public or, if permitted by law, private sale and, in lieu of actual payment of such purchase price, may set off the amount of such price against the Obligations. The proceeds realized from the sale of any Collateral shall be applied in accordance with subsection 4.4.2. If any deficiency shall arise, the Loan Parties shall remain jointly and severally liable to Administrative Agent and Lenders therefor.

- 11.3.4 Administrative Agent is hereby granted a license or other right to use, without charge, each Loan Party's and each of its Subsidiaries' labels, patents, copyrights, licenses, rights of use of any name, trade secrets, trade names, trademarks and advertising matter, or any Property of a similar nature, as it pertains to the Collateral, in completing, advertising for sale and selling any Collateral and each Loan Party's and each of its Subsidiaries' rights under all licenses and all franchise agreements shall inure to Administrative Agent's benefit.
- 11.3.5 Administrative Agent may, at its option, require the Loan Parties to deposit with Administrative Agent funds equal to 105% of the LC Amount and, if the Loan Parties fail to promptly make such deposit, Administrative Agent may advance such amount as a Revolving Credit Loan (whether or not an Overadvance is created thereby). Each such Revolving Credit Loan shall be secured by all of the Collateral and shall constitute a Base Rate Revolving Credit Loan. Any such deposit or advance shall be held by Administrative Agent as a reserve to fund future drawings against such Letters of Credit. At such time as all Letters of Credit have been drawn upon or expired, any amounts remaining in such reserve shall be applied against any outstanding Obligations, or, if all Obligations have been indefeasibly paid in full, returned to the Loan Parties.
- Setoff and Sharing of Payments. In addition to any rights now or hereafter granted under Applicable Law and not by way of limitation of any such rights, during the continuance of any Event of Default, each Lender is hereby authorized by the Loan Parties at any time or from time to time, with prior written consent of Administrative Agent and with reasonably prompt subsequent notice to the Loan Parties (any prior or contemporaneous notice to the Loan Parties being hereby expressly waived) to setoff and to appropriate and to apply any and all (i) balances held by such Lender at any of its offices for the account of any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries (regardless of whether such balances are then due to a Loan Party or its Subsidiaries), and (ii) other property at any time held or owing by such Lender to or for the credit or for the account of any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries, against and on account of any of the Obligations. Except with respect to setoff amounts applied to Product Obligations, any Lender exercising a right to setoff shall, to the extent the amount of any such setoff exceeds its Pro Rata Percentage of the amount set off, purchase for cash (and the other Lenders shall sell) interests in each such other Lender's pro rata share of the Obligations as would be necessary to cause such Lender to share such excess with each other Lender in accordance with their respective Pro Rata Percentages. Each Loan Party agrees, to the fullest extent permitted by law, that any Lender may exercise its right to setoff with respect to amounts in excess of its pro rata share of the Obligations and upon doing so shall deliver such excess to Administrative Agent for the benefit of all Lenders in accordance with the Pro Rata Percentages.

Remedies Cumulative; No Waiver. All covenants, conditions, provisions, warranties, guaranties, indemnities, and other undertakings of the Loan Parties contained in this Agreement and the other Loan Documents, or in any document referred to herein or contained in any agreement supplementary hereto or in any schedule or in any Guaranty Agreement given to Administrative Agent or any Lender or contained in any other agreement between any Lender and the Loan Parties or between Administrative Agent and the Loan Parties heretofore, concurrently, or hereafter entered into, shall be deemed cumulative to and not in derogation or substitution of any of the terms, covenants, conditions, or agreements of the Loan Parties herein contained. The failure or delay of Administrative Agent or any Lender to require strict performance by the Loan Parties of any provision of this Agreement or to exercise or enforce any rights, Liens, powers, or remedies hereunder or under any of the aforesaid agreements or other documents or security or Collateral shall not operate as a waiver of such performance, Liens, rights, powers and remedies, but all such requirements, Liens, rights, powers, and remedies shall continue in full force and effect until all Loans and other Obligations owing or to become owing from the Loan Parties to Administrative Agent and each Lender have been fully satisfied. None of the undertakings, agreements, warranties, covenants and representations of the Loan Parties contained in this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents and no Default or Event of Default by the Loan Parties under this Agreement or any other Loan Documents shall be deemed to have been suspended or waived by Lenders, unless such suspension or waiver is by an instrument in writing specifying such suspension or waiver and is signed by a duly authorized representative of Administrative Agent and directed to the Loan Parties.

#### **SECTION 12. AGENTS**

12.1 Authorization and Action. Each Lender hereby appoints and authorizes Administrative Agent and Collateral Agent to take such action on its behalf and to exercise such powers under this Agreement and the other Loan Documents as are delegated to such Agent by the terms hereof and thereof, together with such powers as are reasonably incidental thereto. Each Lender hereby acknowledges that Agents shall not have by reason of this Agreement assumed a fiduciary relationship in respect of any Lender. In performing its functions and duties under this Agreement, each Agent shall act solely as agent of Lenders and shall not assume, or be deemed to have assumed, any obligation toward, or relationship of agency or trust with or for, the Loan Parties. As to any matters not expressly provided for by this Agreement and the other Loan Documents (including without limitation enforcement and collection of the Notes), each Agent may, but shall not be required to, exercise any discretion or take any action, but shall be required to act or to refrain from acting (and shall be fully protected in so acting or refraining from acting) upon the instructions of Majority Lenders (or a greater or lesser number of Lenders as required in this Agreement), whenever such instruction shall be requested by such Agent or required hereunder, or a greater or lesser number of Lenders if so required hereunder, and such instructions shall be binding upon all Lenders; provided that each Agent shall be fully justified in failing or refusing to take any action which exposes such Agent to any liability or which is contrary to this Agreement, the other Loan Documents or Applicable Law, unless such Agent is indemnified to its satisfaction by the other Lenders against any and all liability and expense which it may incur by reason of taking or continuing to take any such action. If any Agent seeks the consent or approval of Majority Lenders (or a greater or lesser number of Lenders as required in this Agreement), with respect to any action hereunder, such Agent shall send notice thereof to each Lender and shall notify each Lender at any time that Majority Lenders (or such greater or lesser number of Lenders) have instructed such Agent to act or refrain from acting pursuant hereto.

- 12.2 Agents' Reliance, Etc. Neither Agent nor any of its respective Related Parties shall be liable for any action taken or omitted to be taken by it or them under or in connection with this Agreement or the other Loan Documents, except for its or their own gross negligence or willful misconduct. Without limitation of the generality of the foregoing, each Agent and its Related Parties: (i) may treat each Lender party hereto as the holder of Obligations until such Agent receives written notice of the assignment or transfer of such Lender's portion of the Obligations signed by such Lender and in form reasonably satisfactory to Agent; (ii) may consult with legal counsel, independent public accountants and other experts selected by it and shall not be liable for any action taken or omitted to be taken in good faith by it in accordance with the advice of such counsel, accountants or experts; (iii) makes no warranties or representations to any Lender and shall not be responsible to any Lender for any recitals, statements, warranties or representations made in or in connection with this Agreement or any other Loan Documents; (iv) shall not have any duty beyond such Agent's customary practices in respect of loans in which such Agent is the only lender, to ascertain or to inquire as to the performance or observance of any of the terms, covenants or conditions of this Agreement or the other Loan Documents on the part of the Loan Parties, to inspect the property (including the books and records) of the Loan Parties, to monitor the financial condition of the Loan Parties or to ascertain the existence or possible existence or continuation of any Default or Event of Default; (v) shall not be responsible to any Lender for the due execution, legality, validity, enforceability, genuineness, sufficiency or value of this Agreement or the other Loan Documents or any other instrument or document furnished pursuant hereto or thereto; (vi) shall not be liable to any Lender for any action taken, or inaction, by such Agent upon the instructions of Majority Lenders (or a greater or lesser number of Lenders as required in this Agreement) pursuant to Section 12.1 hereof or refraining to take any action pending such instructions; (vii) shall not be liable for any apportionment or distributions of payments made by it in good faith pursuant to Section 4 hereof; (viii) shall incur no liability under or in respect of this Agreement or the other Loan Documents by acting upon any notice, consent, certificate, message or other instrument or writing (which may be by telephone, facsimile, telegram, cable, e-mail transmission or telex) believed in good faith by it to be genuine and signed or sent by the proper party or parties; and (ix) may assume that no Event of Default has occurred and is continuing, unless such Agent has actual knowledge of the Event of Default, has received notice from the Loan Parties or the Loan Parties' independent certified public accountants stating the nature of the Event of Default, or has received notice from a Lender stating the nature of the Event of Default and that such Lender considers the Event of Default to have occurred and to be continuing. In the event any apportionment or distribution described in clause (vii) above is determined to have been made in error, the sole recourse of any Person to whom payment was due but not made shall be to recover from the recipients of such payments any payment in excess of the amount to which they are determined to have been entitled.
- 12.3 <u>Citizens and Affiliates</u>. With respect to its commitment hereunder to make Loans, Citizens shall have the same rights and powers under this Agreement and the other Loan Documents as any other Lender and may exercise the same as though it were not an Agent; and the terms "Lender," "Lenders" or "Majority Lenders" shall, unless otherwise expressly indicated, include Citizens in its individual capacity as a Lender. Citizens and its Affiliates may lend money to, and generally engage in any kind of business with, the Loan Parties, and any Person who may do business with or own Equity Interests of any Loan Party, all as if Citizens were not an Agent and without any duty to account therefor to any other Lender.

- 12.4 <u>Lender Credit Decision</u>. Each Lender acknowledges that it has, independently and without reliance upon any Agent or any other Lender and based on the financial statements referred to herein and such other documents and information as it has deemed appropriate, made its own credit analysis and decision to enter into this Agreement. Each Lender also acknowledges that it will, independently and without reliance upon any Agent or any other Lender and based on such documents and information as it shall deem appropriate at the time, continue to make its own credit decisions in taking or not taking action under this Agreement. No Agent shall have any duty or responsibility, either initially or on an ongoing basis, to provide any Lender with any credit or other similar information regarding the Loan Parties.
- Indemnification. Lenders agree to indemnify Agents (to the extent not reimbursed by the Loan Parties), in accordance with their respective Aggregate Percentages, from and against any and all liabilities, obligations, losses, damages, penalties, actions, judgments, suits, costs, expenses or disbursements of any kind or nature whatsoever which may be imposed on, incurred by, or asserted against such Agent in any way relating to or arising out of this Agreement or any other Loan Document or any action taken or omitted by such Agent under this Agreement; provided that no Lender shall be liable for any portion of such liabilities, obligations, losses, damages, penalties, actions, judgments, suits, costs, expenses or disbursements resulting from such Agent's gross negligence or willful misconduct. Without limitation of the foregoing, each Lender agrees to reimburse each Agent promptly following demand for its ratable share, as set forth above, of any out-of-pocket expenses (including attorneys' fees) incurred by such Agent in connection with the preparation, execution, delivery, administration, modification, amendment or enforcement (whether through negotiation, legal proceedings or otherwise) of, or legal advice in respect of rights or responsibilities under, this Agreement and each other Loan Document, to the extent that such Agent is not reimbursed for such expenses by the Loan Parties. If after payment and distribution of any amount by any Agent to Lenders, any Lender or any other Person, including the Loan Parties, any creditor of any Loan Party, a liquidator, administrator or trustee in bankruptcy, recovers from such Agent any amount found to have been wrongfully paid to such Agent or disbursed by such Agent to Lenders, then Lenders, in accordance with their respective Aggregate Percentages, shall reimburse such Agent for all such amounts. The obligations of Lenders under this Section 12.5 shall survive the payment in full of all Obligations and the termination of this Agreement.
- 12.6 <u>Rights and Remedies to Be Exercised by Administrative Agent Only</u>. Each Lender agrees that, except as set forth in <u>Section 11.4</u>, no Lender shall have any right individually (i) to realize upon the security created by this Agreement or any other Loan Document, (ii) to enforce any provision of this Agreement or any other Loan Document, or (iii) to make demand under this Agreement or any other Loan Document.

- 12.7 Agency Provisions Relating to Collateral. Each Lender authorizes and ratifies each Agent's entry into this Agreement and the Security Documents for the benefit of Lenders. Each Lender agrees that any action taken by any Agent with respect to the Collateral in accordance with the provisions of this Agreement or the Security Documents, and the exercise by any Agent of the powers set forth herein or therein, together with such other powers as are reasonably incidental thereto, shall be authorized and binding upon all Lenders. Administrative Agent is hereby authorized on behalf of all Lenders, without the necessity of any notice to or further consent from any Lender to take any action with respect to any Collateral or the Loan Documents which may be necessary to perfect and maintain perfected Administrative Agent's Liens upon the Collateral, for its benefit and the ratable benefit of Lenders. Lenders hereby irrevocably authorize Administrative Agent, at its option and in its discretion, to release any Lien granted to or held by Administrative Agent upon any Collateral (i) upon termination of this Agreement and payment and satisfaction of all Obligations; or (ii) constituting property being sold or disposed of if the Loan Parties certify to Administrative Agent that the sale or disposition is made in compliance with subsection 9.2.8 hereof (and Administrative Agent may rely conclusively on any such certificate, without further inquiry); or (iii) constituting property in which no Loan Party owned any interest at the time the Lien was granted or at any time thereafter; or (iv) in connection with any foreclosure sale or other disposition of Collateral after the occurrence and during the continuation of an Event of Default; or (v) if approved, authorized or ratified in writing by Administrative Agent at the direction of all Lenders. Upon request by Administrative Agent at any time, Lenders will confirm in writing Administrative Agent's authority to release particular types or items of Collateral pursuant hereto. No Agent shall have any obligation whatsoever to any Lender or to any other Person to assure that the Collateral exists or is owned by any Loan Party or is cared for, protected or insured or has been encumbered or that the Liens granted to Administrative Agent herein or pursuant to the Security Documents have been properly or sufficiently or lawfully created, perfected, protected or enforced or are entitled to any particular priority, or to exercise at all or in any particular manner or under any duty of care, disclosure or fidelity, or to continue exercising, any of its rights, authorities and powers granted or available to each Agent in this Section 12.7 or in any of the Loan Documents, it being understood and agreed that in respect of the Collateral, or any act, omission or event related thereto, each Agent may act in any manner it may deem appropriate, in its sole discretion, but consistent with the provisions of this Agreement, including given each Agent's own interest in the Collateral as a Lender and that no Agent shall have any duty or liability whatsoever to any Lender.
- Resignation of Agent; Appointment of Successor. Each Agent may resign as Administrative Agent or Collateral Agent by giving not less than thirty (30) days' prior written notice to Lenders and the Loan Parties. If Administrative Agent shall resign under this Agreement, then, (i) subject to the consent of the Loan Parties (which consent shall not be unreasonably withheld and which consent shall not be required during any period in which a Default or an Event of Default exists), Majority Lenders shall appoint from among Lenders a successor Administrative Agent for Lenders or (ii) if a successor Administrative Agent shall not be so appointed and approved within the thirty (30) day period following Administrative Agent until such time as Majority Lenders appoint a successor agent, subject to the Loan Parties' consent as set forth above. Upon its appointment, such successor agent shall succeed to the rights, powers and duties of Administrative Agent and the term "Administrative Agent" shall mean such successor effective upon its appointment, and the former Administrative Agent's rights, powers and duties as Administrative Agent shall be terminated without any other or further act or deed on the part of such former Administrative Agent or any of the parties to this Agreement. If Collateral Agent shall resign under this Agreement, then Administrative Agent shall assume the rights, powers and duties of Collateral Agent hereunder; provided, that, Administrative Agent may, in its discretion, appoint another Lender as the successor Collateral Agent, in which case such successor Collateral Agent shall insure to the benefit of such former Agent and such former Agent shall not by reason of such resignation be deemed to be released from liability for any actions taken or not taken by it while it was an Agent under this Agreement.

- 12.9 Audit and Examination Reports; Disclaimer by Lenders . By signing this Agreement, each Lender:
- (i) is deemed to have requested that each Agent furnish such Lender, promptly after it becomes available, a copy of each audit or examination report (each a "Report" and collectively, "Reports") prepared by or on behalf of such Agent;
- (ii) expressly agrees and acknowledges that Agents (i) do not make any representation or warranty as to the accuracy of any Report and (ii) shall not be liable for any information contained in any Report;
- (iii) expressly agrees and acknowledges that the Reports are not comprehensive audits or examinations, that any Agent or other party performing any audit or examination will inspect only specific information regarding the Loan Parties and will rely significantly upon the Loan Parties' books and records as well as on representations of the Loan Parties' personnel;
- (iv) agrees to keep all Reports confidential and strictly for its internal use, and not to distribute except to its participants, or use any Report in any other manner, in accordance with the provisions of <u>Section 13.14</u>; and
- (v) without limiting the generality of any other indemnification provision contained in this Agreement, agrees: (a) to hold each Agent and any such other Lender preparing a Report harmless from any action the indemnifying Lender may take or conclusion the indemnifying Lender may reach or draw from any Report in connection with any loans or other credit accommodations that the indemnifying Lender has made or may make to the Loan Parties, or the indemnifying Lender's participation in, or the indemnifying Lender's purchase of, any loan or other obligation of the Loan Parties; and (b) to pay and protect, and indemnify, defend and hold each Agent and any such other Lender preparing a Report harmless from and against, the claims, actions, proceedings, damages, costs, expenses and other amounts (including attorneys' fees and expenses) incurred by such Agent and any such other Lender preparing a Report as the direct or indirect result of any third parties who might obtain all or part of any Report through the indemnifying Lender.
- 12.10 <u>Administrative Agent's Right to Purchase Commitments</u>. Administrative Agent shall have the right, but shall not be obligated, at any time upon written notice to any Lender and with the consent of such Lender, which may be granted or withheld in such Lender's sole discretion, to purchase for Administrative Agent's own account all of such Lender's interests in this Agreement, the other Loan Documents and the Obligations, for the face amount of the outstanding Obligations owed to such Lender, including without limitation all accrued and unpaid interest and fees.

## **SECTION 13. MISCELLANEOUS**

- 13.1 <u>Power of Attorney</u>. Each Loan Party hereby irrevocably designates, makes, constitutes and appoints Administrative Agent (and all Persons designated by Administrative Agent) as such Loan Party's true and lawful attorney (and agent-in-fact) exercisable following the occurrence of an Event of Default and during the continuance thereof, solely with respect to the matters set forth in this <u>Section 13.1</u>, and Administrative Agent, or Administrative Agent's agent, may, without notice to any Loan Party and in any Loan Party's or Administrative Agent's name, but at the cost and expense of the Loan Parties:
- 13.1.1 At such time or times as Administrative Agent or such agent, in its sole discretion, may determine, endorse any Loan Party's name on any checks, notes, acceptances, drafts, money orders or any other evidence of payment or proceeds of the Collateral which come into the possession of Administrative Agent or under Administrative Agent's control.
- 13.1.2 At such time or times upon or after the occurrence and during the continuance of an Event of Default, as Administrative Agent or its agent in its sole discretion may determine: (i) demand payment of the Accounts from the Account Debtors, enforce payment of the Accounts by legal proceedings or otherwise, and generally exercise all of any Loan Party's rights and remedies with respect to the collection of the Accounts; (ii) settle, adjust, compromise. discharge or release any of the Accounts or other Collateral or any legal proceedings brought to collect any of the Accounts or other Collateral; (iii) sell or assign any of the Accounts and other Collateral upon such terms, for such amounts and at such time or times as Administrative Agent deems advisable, and at Administrative Agent's option, with all warranties regarding the Collateral disclaimed; (iv) take control, in any manner, of any item of payment or proceeds relating to any Collateral; (v) prepare, file and sign any Loan Party's name to a proof of claim in bankruptcy or similar document against any Account Debtor or to any notice of lien, assignment or satisfaction of lien or similar document in connection with any of the Collateral; (vi) receive, open and dispose of all mail addressed to any Loan Party and notify postal authorities to change the address for delivery thereof to such address as Administrative Agent may designate; (vii) endorse the name of any Loan Party upon any of the items of payment or proceeds relating to any Collateral and deposit the same to the account of Administrative Agent on account of the Obligations; (viii) endorse the name of any Loan Party upon any chattel paper, document, instrument, invoice, freight bill, bill of lading or similar document or agreement relating to the Accounts, Inventory and any other Collateral; (ix) use any Loan Party's stationery and sign the name of any Loan Party to verifications of the Accounts and notices thereof to Account Debtors; (x) use the information recorded on or contained in any data processing equipment and Computer Hardware and Software relating to the Accounts, Inventory, Equipment and any other Collateral; (xi) make and adjust claims under policies of insurance; and (xii) do all other acts and things necessary, in Administrative Agent's determination, to fulfill any Loan Party's obligations under this Agreement.

The power of attorney granted hereby shall constitute a power coupled with an interest and shall be irrevocable.

Indemnity. Each Loan Party hereby agrees to indemnify each Agent, Issuing Bank and each Lender and their respective Related Parties (each an "Indemnified Person") and hold each Indemnified Person harmless from and against any liability, loss, damage, suit, action, claim, expense or proceeding ever suffered or incurred by any such Indemnified Person (including reasonable outside attorneys' fees and out-of-pocket legal expenses subject to the provisions of Section 3.6) arising out of or relating to this Agreement, the other Loan Documents, the Collateral, the Loan Parties' use of the proceeds of the Loans or the Revolving Credit Commitments, or the Loan Parties' failure to observe, perform or discharge their duties hereunder, except those found by a final, non-appealable judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction to be resulting from (i) the gross negligence, bad faith or willful misconduct of an Indemnified Person, or (ii) a dispute solely among the Indemnified Parties. Without limiting the generality of the foregoing, these indemnities shall extend to any claims asserted against any Indemnified Person by any Person under any Environmental Laws by reason of any Loan Party's or any other Person's failure to comply with laws applicable to solid or hazardous waste materials or other toxic substances. Notwithstanding any contrary provision in this Agreement, the obligation of the Loan Parties under this Section 13.2 shall survive the payment in full of the Obligations and the termination of this Agreement.

#### 13.3 Amendment and Waivers.

- 13.3.1 No amendment or waiver of any provision of this Agreement or any other Loan Document (including without limitation any Note), nor consent to any departure by the Loan Parties therefrom, shall in any event be effective unless the same shall be in writing and signed by Majority Lenders and the Loan Parties, and then such waiver or consent shall be effective only in the specific instance and for the specific purpose for which given; provided that no amendment, waiver or consent shall be effective to:
  - (i) (a) increase any Lender's Revolving Credit Commitment, (b) reduce the principal of, interest on, or fees due in respect to any amount payable hereunder to any Lender; or (c) postpone any date fixed for any payment of principal of, or interest on, any amounts payable hereunder to any Lender, in each case, without the written consent of each Lender directly affected thereby;
  - (ii) (a) amend the number of Lenders that shall be required for Lenders or any of them to take any action hereunder; (b) except as otherwise expressly permitted herein or in any other Loan Document, release or discharge any Person liable for the performance of any obligations of any Loan Party hereunder or under any of the Loan Documents; (c) amend the definition of the term <u>Majority Lenders</u>; (d) amend this <u>Section 13.3</u>; (e) amend <u>subsection 4.4.2</u>; or (f) except as otherwise expressly permitted herein or in any other Loan Document, release any substantial portion of the Collateral, in each case, without the written consent of each Lender;
  - (iii) change any definitions or any other provision in a manner that would alter the nature of the secured position of any Derivative Obligation Provider or its entitlement to a pro rata allocation among Lenders of assets upon termination or acceleration of Obligations, without the written consent of each Lender and Derivative Obligation Provider directly affected thereby; or
  - (iv) affect the rights or duties of any Agent, Issuing Bank or Swingline Lender (as applicable) under this Agreement or any other Loan Document, without the written consent of such Agent, Issuing Bank or Swingline Lender (as applicable).

## 13.3.2 Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this <u>Section 13.3</u>:

- (i) no Defaulting Lender shall have any right to approve or disapprove any amendment, waiver or consent hereunder, except to the extent the consent of such Lender would be required under clause (i) of <u>subsection 13.3.1</u>;
- (ii) technical and conforming modifications to the Loan Documents may be made with the consent of the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent to the extent necessary to integrate any Incremental Revolving Credit Commitments in accordance with Section 2.4; and
- (iii) Administrative Agent and the Loan Parties may amend any Loan Document to correct an obvious, immaterial or administrative error or omission, or to effect administrative changes that are not adverse to any Lender, and such amendment shall become effective without any further consent of any other party to such Loan Document if the same is not objected to in writing by Majority Lenders within five (5) Business Days following receipt of notice thereof; and
- 13.4 <u>Severability</u>. Wherever possible, each provision of this Agreement shall be interpreted in such manner as to be effective and valid under Applicable Law, but if any provision of this Agreement shall be prohibited by or invalid under Applicable Law, such provision shall be ineffective only to the extent of such prohibition or invalidity, without invalidating the remainder of such provision or the remaining provisions of this Agreement.
- Right of Sale; Assignment; Participations. This Agreement, the Other Agreements and the Security Documents shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the successors and assigns of each Loan Party, Administrative Agent and each Lender; provided, however, that, no Loan Party may sell, assign or transfer any interest in this Agreement, any of the other Loan Documents, or any of the Obligations, or any portion thereof, including, without limitation, such Loan Party's rights, title, interests, remedies, powers and duties hereunder or thereunder. The Loan Parties hereby consent to any Lender's participation, sale, assignment, transfer or other disposition, at any time or times hereafter, of this Agreement and any of the other Loan Documents, or of any portion hereof or thereof, including, without limitation, such Lender's rights, title, interests, remedies, powers and duties hereunder or thereunder subject to the terms and conditions set forth in this Section 13.5; provided, that no such participation, sale, assignment, transfer or other disposition shall be made to an Ineligible Institution.
- 13.5.1 <u>Sales; Assignments</u>. Each Lender hereby agrees that, with respect to any sale or assignment permitted hereunder (i) no such sale or assignment shall be for an amount of less than \$5,000,000, (ii) each such sale or assignment shall be made on terms and conditions which are customary in the industry at the time of the transaction, (iii) with respect to each such assignment to a Person that is not a Lender or an Affiliate of a Lender, (a) Administrative Agent, (b) in the case of assignments of Revolving Credit Commitments, Issuing Bank and Swingline Lender, and (c) in the absence of an Event of Default, Borrower Representative shall have consented thereto, such consent not to be unreasonably withheld or delayed, (iv) the assigning Lender shall pay to Administrative Agent a processing and recordation fee of \$3,500; <u>provided</u>, that, Administrative Agent may waive such fee in its discretion, and (v) Administrative Agent, the assigning Lender and the assignee Lender shall each have executed and delivered an Assignment and Acceptance Agreement. After such sale or assignment has been consummated (x) the assignee Lender thereupon shall become a "Lender" for all purposes of this Agreement and (y) the assigning Lender shall have no further liability for funding the portion of Revolving Credit Commitments assumed by such other Lender.

13.5.2 Participations. Any Lender may grant participations in its extensions of credit hereunder to any other Lender or other lending institution (a "Participant"), provided that (i) no such participation shall be for an amount of less than \$5,000,000, (ii) no Participant shall thereby acquire any direct rights under this Agreement, except that each Participant shall be entitled to the benefits of Section 3.11 (subject to the requirements and limitations therein, including the requirements of subsection 3.11.3 (it being understood that the documentation required under subsection 3.11.3 shall be delivered to the originating Lender)), subsection 4.1.9 and Section 4.8 to the same extent as if it were a Lender and had acquired its interest by assignment; provided however that such Participant (a) shall be subject to the provisions of <u>subsection 13.5.6</u> as if it were an assignee and (b) shall not be entitled to receive any greater payment under <u>Section 3.11</u>, subsection 4.1.9 or Section 4.8, with respect to any participation, than its originating Lender would have been entitled to receive, except to the extent such entitlement to receive a greater payment results from a Change in Law that occurs after the Participant acquired the applicable participation, (iii) no Participant shall be granted any right to consent to any amendment, except to the extent any of the same pertain to (a) reducing the aggregate principal amount of, or interest rate on, or fees applicable to, its participation interest or (b) extending the final stated maturity of its participation interest or the stated maturity of any portion of any payment of principal of, or interest or fees applicable to, any of its participation interest; provided that the rights described in this subclause (b) shall not be deemed to include the right to consent to any amendment with respect to or which has the effect of requiring any mandatory prepayment of any portion of any Loan or any amendment or waiver of any Default or Event of Default, (iv) no sale of a participation in extensions of credit shall in any manner relieve the originating Lender of its obligations hereunder. (v) the originating Lender shall remain solely responsible for the performance of such obligations, (vi) the Loan Parties and Administrative Agent shall continue to deal solely and directly with the originating Lender in connection with the originating Lender's rights and obligations under this Agreement and the other Loan Documents, and (vii) all amounts payable by the Loan Parties hereunder shall be determined as if the originating Lender had not sold any such participation. Each Lender, acting for this purpose as an agent of Borrowers, shall maintain at its offices a record of each agreement or instrument effecting any participation and a register (each a "Participation Register") meeting the requirements of 26 C.F.R. §5f.103-1(c) for the recordation in book entry form of the names and addresses of its Participants and their rights with respect to principal amounts (and stated interest) of each Participant's interest in the Loans from time to time. The entries in each Participation Register shall be conclusive absent manifest error.

13.5.3 <u>Certain Agreements of the Loan Parties</u>. The Loan Parties agree that (i) they will use their best efforts to assist and cooperate with each Lender in any manner reasonably requested by such Lender to effect the sale of participation in or assignments of any of the Loan Documents or any portion thereof or interest therein, including, without limitation, assisting in the preparation of appropriate disclosure documents and making members of management available at reasonable times to meet with and answer questions of potential assignees and Participants; and (ii) subject to the provisions of <u>Section 13.14</u> hereof, such Lender may disclose credit information regarding the Loan Parties to any potential Participant or assignee.

- 13.5.4 <u>Certain Pledges</u>. Any Lender may at any time pledge or assign a security interest in all or any portion of its rights under this Agreement (including under its Note, if any) to secure obligations of such Lender, including any pledge or assignment to secure obligations to a Federal Reserve Bank; <u>provided</u> that no such pledge or assignment shall release such Lender from any of its obligations hereunder or substitute any such pledgee or assignee for such Lender as a party hereto.
- 13.5.5 Register. Administrative Agent, acting for this purpose as an agent of Borrowers, shall maintain at one of its offices a copy of each Assignment and Acceptance delivered to it and a register (the "Register") for the recordation in book entry form of the names and addresses of the Lenders, and the commitment of, and principal amount of the Loans owing to, each Lender pursuant to the terms hereof from time to time. The entries in the Register shall be conclusive absent manifest error. The Register shall be available for inspection by Borrowers, at any reasonable time and from time to time upon reasonable prior notice. Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in this Agreement, the Loans are registered obligations for tax purposes and the right, title and interest of the Lenders in and to such Loans shall be transferable only in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. This subsection 13.5.5 shall be construed so that the Loans are at all times maintained in "registered form" within the meaning of Sections 163(f), 871(h)(2) and 881(c)(2) of the Code.
- Replacement of Lenders. If (i) any Lender requests compensation under Section 4.8., or (ii) a Borrower is required to pay any 13.5.6 additional amount to any Lender or any Governmental Authority for the account of any Lender pursuant to Section 3.11, or (iii) any Lender, whose consent is required in connection with any proposed amendment, waiver, or consent hereunder that requires the consent of all Lenders or all affected Lenders and as to which the consent of Majority Lenders is obtained, does not consent to such proposed amendment, waiver, or consent, or (iv) any Lender is a Defaulting Lender, then the Loan Parties may, at their sole expense and effort (including any processing and recordation fee required to be paid in accordance with this Section 13.5), upon notice to such Lender and Administrative Agent, require such Lender to assign and delegate, without recourse (in accordance with and subject to the restrictions contained in this Section 13.5), all of its interests, rights and obligations under this Agreement to an assignee selected by the Loan Parties that shall assume such obligations (which assignee may be another Lender, if a Lender accepts such assignment); provided that (a) the Loan Parties shall have received the prior written consents of Administrative Agent and, in the event of an assignment of Revolving Credit Commitments, Issuing Bank and Swingline Lender, which consents shall not unreasonably be withheld, (b) such Lender shall have received payment of an amount equal to the outstanding principal of its Loans, accrued interest thereon, accrued fees and all other amounts payable to it hereunder from the assignee (to the extent of such outstanding principal, accrued interest and fees) or the Loan Parties (in the case of all other amounts), (c) in the case of any such assignment resulting pursuant to clause (i) or (ii) above, such assignment will result in a material reduction in such compensation or payments, (d) in the case of any such assignment resulting pursuant to clause (iii) above, all such non-consenting Lenders shall be replaced and, at the time of such replacement, each such new Lender consents to the proposed amendment, waiver, or consent and (e) the assignor under an assignment pursuant to this subsection 13.5.6 need not execute an Assignment and Acceptance Agreement. A Lender shall not be required to make any such assignment and delegation if, prior thereto, as a result of a waiver by such Lender or otherwise, the circumstances entitling the Loan Parties to require such assignment and delegation cease to apply.

- Cumulative Effect; Conflict of Terms. The provisions of the Other Agreements and the Security Documents are hereby made cumulative with 13.6 the provisions of this Agreement. Except as otherwise provided in any of the other Loan Documents by specific reference to the applicable provision of this Agreement, if any provision contained in this Agreement is in direct conflict with, or inconsistent with, any provision in any of the other Loan Documents, the provision contained in this Agreement shall govern and control.
- Execution in Counterparts. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts and by different parties hereto in separate 137 counterparts, each of which when so executed and delivered shall be deemed to be an original and all of which counterparts taken together shall constitute but one and the same instrument. Any executed counterpart of this Agreement delivered by fax or as a PDF file contained in an e-mail transmission to the other parties hereto shall constitute an original counterpart of this Agreement.

#### 13.8 Notices and Communications.

13.8.1 Notices. Except as otherwise provided herein, all notices, requests and demands to or upon a party hereto, to be effective, shall be in writing, and shall be sent by certified or registered mail, return receipt requested, by personal delivery against receipt, by overnight courier or by facsimile and, unless otherwise expressly provided herein, shall be deemed to have been validly served, given, delivered or received immediately when delivered against receipt, three (3) Business Days after deposit in the mail, postage prepaid, one (1) Business Day after deposit with an overnight courier or, in the case of facsimile notice, when sent with respect to machine confirmed, addressed as follows:

(A) If to Administrative Agent: Citizens Business Capital, a division

> of Citizens Asset Finance, Inc. 600 Washington Boulevard Stamford, Connecticut 06901 Attention: Mr. Kenneth Wales

Phone: [Tel. number] Facsimile: [Fax number]

With a copy to, which copy shall not constitute

notice:

Riemer & Braunstein LLP

Three Center Plaza Boston, Massachusetts 02108

Attention: Kevin M. Murtagh, Esquire

Phone: [Tel. number] Facsimile: [Fax number] (B) If to the Loan Parties: ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc.

210 Main Street West Baudette, Minnesota 56623 Attention: Stephen Carey, CFO

Phone: [Tel. number]
Facsimile: [Fax number]

With a copy to, which copy shall not constitute

notice:

Dentons US LLP

1221 Avenue of the Americas New York, New York 10020-1089 Attention: Jane A. Meyer, Esquire

Phone: [Tel. number]
Facsimile: [Fax number]

(C) If to any Lender, at its address indicated on the administrative detail forms delivered to Administrative Agent,

or to such other address as each party may designate for itself by notice given in accordance with this <u>Section 13.8</u>; <u>provided</u>, <u>however</u>, that any notice, request or demand to or upon Administrative Agent or a Lender pursuant to <u>subsection 4.1.1</u>, 4.1.5 or <u>5.2.2</u> hereof shall not be effective until received by Administrative Agent or such Lender.

13.8.2 The Platform. Each Loan Party hereby acknowledges that Administrative Agent will make available to the Lenders and Issuing Bank materials and/or information provided by or on behalf of the Loan Parties hereunder (collectively, "Borrower Materials") by posting Borrower Materials on SyndTrak, IntraLinks or another similar electronic system (the "Platform"). THE PLATFORM IS PROVIDED "AS IS" AND "AS AVAILABLE." ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT AND ITS RELATED PARTIES DO NOT WARRANT THE ACCURACY OR COMPLETENESS OF BORROWER MATERIALS OR THE ADEQUACY OF THE PLATFORM, AND EXPRESSLY DISCLAIM LIABILITY FOR ERRORS IN OR OMISSIONS FROM BORROWER MATERIALS. NO WARRANTY OF ANY KIND, EXPRESS, IMPLIED OR STATUTORY, INCLUDING ANY WARRANTY OF MERCHANTABILITY, FITNESS FOR A PARTICULAR PURPOSE, NON-INFRINGEMENT OF THIRD PARTY RIGHTS OR FREEDOM FROM VIRUSES OR OTHER CODE DEFECTS, IS MADE BY ANY AGENT IN CONNECTION WITH BORROWER MATERIALS OR THE PLATFORM. In no event shall any Agent or any of its Related Parties have any liability to any Loan Party, any Lender, any Issuing Bank or any other Person for losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses of any kind (whether in tort, contract or otherwise) arising out of a Loan Party's or Agent's transmission of Borrower Materials through the internet, except to the extent that such losses, claims, damages, liabilities or expenses are determined by a court of competent jurisdiction by a final and nonappealable judgment to have resulted from the gross negligence or willful misconduct of such Agent or any of its Related Parties; provided, however, that in no event shall any Agent or any of its Related Parties have any liability to any Loan Party, any Lender, any Issuing Bank or any other Person for indirect, special, incidental, consequential or punitive damages (as opposed to direct or actual damages).

- 13.9 <u>Consent</u>. Whenever Administrative Agent's, Collateral Agent's, Majority Lenders' or all Lenders' consent is required to be obtained under this Agreement, any of the Other Agreements or any of the Security Documents as a condition to any action, inaction, condition or event, except as otherwise specifically provided herein, Administrative Agent, Collateral Agent, Majority Lenders, or all Lenders, as applicable, shall be authorized to give or withhold such consent in its or their sole and absolute discretion and to condition its or their consent upon the giving of additional Collateral security for the Obligations, the payment of money or any other matter.
- 13.10 <u>Credit Inquiries</u>. The Loan Parties hereby authorize and permit Administrative Agent and each Lender to respond to usual and customary credit inquiries from third parties concerning any Loan Party or any of its Subsidiaries.
  - 13.11 <u>Time of Essence</u>. Time is of the essence of this Agreement, the Other Agreements and the Security Documents.
- 13.12 <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement and the other Loan Documents, together with all other instruments, agreements and certificates executed by the parties in connection therewith or with reference thereto, embody the entire understanding and agreement between the parties hereto and thereto with respect to the subject matter hereof and thereof and supersede all prior agreements, understandings and inducements, whether express or implied, oral or written.
- 13.13 <u>Interpretation</u>. No provision of this Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents shall be construed against or interpreted to the disadvantage of any party hereto by any Governmental Authority by reason of such party having or being deemed to have structured or dictated such provision.
- 13.14 <u>Confidentiality</u>. Each Agent and each Lender shall hold all nonpublic information obtained pursuant to the requirements of this Agreement in accordance with such Agent's and such Lender's customary procedures for handling confidential information of this nature and in accordance with safe and sound banking practices and in any event may make disclosure reasonably required by a prospective participant or assignee in connection with the contemplated participation or assignment or as required or requested by any Governmental Authority or representative thereof or pursuant to legal process and shall require any such participant or assignee to agree to comply with this <u>Section 13.14</u>.

#### 13.15 GOVERNING LAW; CONSENT TO JURISDICTION, FORUM AND SERVICE OF PROCESS.

13.15.1 <u>GOVERNING LAW.</u> THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE GOVERNED BY AND CONSTRUED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK WITHOUT GIVING EFFECT TO ANY APPLICABLE LAW THAT WOULD CAUSE THE APPLICATION OF THE LAW OF ANY OTHER JURISDICTION.

CONSENT TO JURISDICTION, FORUM AND SERVICE OF PROCESS. AS PART OF THE CONSIDERATION FOR NEW 13.15.2 VALUE RECEIVED, AND REGARDLESS OF ANY PRESENT OR FUTURE DOMICILE OR PRINCIPAL PLACE OF BUSINESS OF ANY LOAN PARTY, ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT OR ANY LENDER, EACH LOAN PARTY HEREBY CONSENTS AND AGREES THAT THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW YORK COUNTY, STATE OF NEW YORK OR, AT ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT'S OPTION, THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK SHALL HAVE EXCLUSIVE JURISDICTION TO HEAR AND DETERMINE ANY CLAIMS OR DISPUTES BETWEEN THE LOAN PARTIES ON THE ONE HAND AND ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT OR ANY LENDER ON THE OTHER HAND PERTAINING TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT OR TO ANY MATTER ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO THIS AGREEMENT OR ANY OTHER LOAN DOCUMENT. EACH LOAN PARTY EXPRESSLY SUBMITS AND CONSENTS IN ADVANCE TO SUCH JURISDICTION IN ANY ACTION OR SUIT COMMENCED IN ANY SUCH COURT, AND EACH LOAN PARTY HEREBY WAIVES ANY OBJECTION WHICH ANY LOAN PARTY MAY HAVE BASED UPON LACK OF PERSONAL JURISDICTION, IMPROPER VENUE OR FORUM NON CONVENIENS AND HEREBY CONSENTS TO THE GRANTING OF SUCH LEGAL OR EQUITABLE RELIEF AS IS DEEMED APPROPRIATE BY SUCH COURT. EACH LOAN PARTY HEREBY WAIVES PERSONAL SERVICE OF THE SUMMONS, COMPLAINT AND OTHER PROCESS ISSUED IN ANY SUCH ACTION OR SUIT AND AGREES THAT SERVICE OF SUCH SUMMONS, COMPLAINT AND OTHER PROCESS MAY BE MADE BY REGISTERED OR CERTIFIED MAIL ADDRESSED TO THE LOAN PARTIES AT THE ADDRESS SET FORTH IN THIS AGREEMENT AND THAT SERVICE SO MADE SHALL BE DEEMED COMPLETED UPON THE EARLIER OF ACTUAL RECEIPT THEREOF BY A LOAN PARTY OR THREE (3) DAYS AFTER DEPOSIT IN THE U.S. MAILS, PROPER POSTAGE PREPAID. NOTHING IN THIS AGREEMENT SHALL BE DEEMED OR OPERATE TO AFFECT THE RIGHT OF ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT TO SERVE LEGAL PROCESS IN ANY OTHER MANNER PERMITTED BY LAW, OR TO PRECLUDE THE ENFORCEMENT BY ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT OF ANY JUDGMENT OR ORDER OBTAINED IN SUCH FORUM OR THE TAKING OF ANY ACTION UNDER THIS AGREEMENT TO ENFORCE SAME IN ANY OTHER APPROPRIATE FORUM OR JURISDICTION.

WAIVERS BY THE LOAN PARTIES. EACH LOAN PARTY WAIVES (i) THE RIGHT TO TRIAL BY JURY (WHICH ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT AND EACH LENDER HEREBY ALSO WAIVES) IN ANY ACTION, SUIT, PROCEEDING OR COUNTERCLAIM OF ANY KIND ARISING OUT OF OR RELATED TO ANY OF THE LOAN DOCUMENTS, THE OBLIGATIONS OR THE COLLATERAL; (ii) PRESENTMENT, DEMAND AND PROTEST AND NOTICE OF PRESENTMENT, PROTEST, DEFAULT, NON PAYMENT, MATURITY, RELEASE, COMPROMISE, SETTLEMENT, EXTENSION OR RENEWAL OF ANY OR ALL COMMERCIAL PAPER, ACCOUNTS, CONTRACT RIGHTS, DOCUMENTS, INSTRUMENTS, CHATTEL PAPER AND GUARANTIES AT ANY TIME HELD BY ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT OR ANY LENDER ON WHICH THE LOAN PARTIES MAY IN ANY WAY BE LIABLE AND HEREBY RATIFIES AND CONFIRMS WHATEVER ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT OR ANY LENDER MAY DO IN THIS REGARD; (iii) NOTICE PRIOR TO ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT'S TAKING POSSESSION OR CONTROL OF THE COLLATERAL OR ANY BOND OR SECURITY WHICH MIGHT BE REQUIRED BY ANY COURT PRIOR TO ALLOWING ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT TO EXERCISE ANY OF ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT'S REMEDIES; (iv) THE BENEFIT OF ALL VALUATION, APPRAISEMENT AND EXEMPTION LAWS; (v) NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE HEREOF; AND (vi) EXCEPT AS PROHIBITED BY APPLICABLE LAW, ANY RIGHT TO CLAIM OR RECOVER ANY SPECIAL, EXEMPLARY, PUNITIVE OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES OR ANY DAMAGES OTHER THAN, OR IN ADDITION TO, ACTUAL DAMAGES. EACH LOAN PARTY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THE FOREGOING WAIVERS ARE A MATERIAL INDUCEMENT TO ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT'S AND EACH LENDER'S ENTERING INTO THIS AGREEMENT AND THAT ADMINISTRATIVE AGENT AND EACH LENDER IS RELYING UPON THE FOREGOING WAIVERS IN ITS FUTURE DEALINGS WITH THE LOAN PARTIES. EACH LOAN PARTY WARRANTS AND REPRESENTS THAT IT HAS REVIEWED THE FOREGOING WAIVERS WITH ITS LEGAL COUNSEL AND HAS KNOWINGLY AND VOLUNTARILY WAIVED ITS JURY TRIAL RIGHTS FOLLOWING CONSULTATION WITH LEGAL COUNSEL. IN THE EVENT OF LITIGATION, THIS AGREEMENT MAY BE FILED AS A WRITTEN CONSENT TO A TRIAL BY THE COURT.

- 13.17 <u>Advertisement</u>. The Loan Parties hereby authorize Administrative Agent to publish the name and logo of any Loan Party and the amount and transaction details of the credit facility provided hereunder in any "tombstone" or comparable advertisement or other marketing materials which Administrative Agent elects to publish. Upon request of the Administrative Agent, the Loan Parties shall execute and deliver a release form in the form of <u>Exhibit 13.17</u> hereto.
- 13.18 <u>Patriot Act Notice</u>. Administrative Agent and Lenders hereby notify the Loan Parties that pursuant to the requirements of the Patriot Act, Administrative Agent and Lenders are required to obtain, verify and record information that identifies each Loan Party, including its legal name, address, tax ID number and other information that will allow Administrative Agent and Lenders to identify it in accordance with the Patriot Act. Administrative Agent and Lenders will also require information regarding each personal guarantor, if any, and may require information regarding any Loan Party's management and owners, such as legal name, address, social security number and date of birth.

#### SECTION 14. CROSS-GUARANTY BY BORROWERS.

Cross-Guaranty. Each Borrower hereby agrees that such Borrower is jointly and severally liable for, and hereby absolutely and unconditionally guarantees to Administrative Agent and Lenders and their respective successors and assigns, the full and prompt payment (whether at stated maturity, by acceleration or otherwise) and performance of, all Obligations owed or hereafter owing to Administrative Agent and Lenders by each other Borrower. Each Borrower agrees that its guaranty obligation hereunder is a continuing guaranty of payment and performance and not of collection, that its obligations under this Section 14 shall not be discharged until payment and performance, in full, of the Obligations has occurred, and that its obligations under this Section 14 shall be absolute and unconditional, irrespective of, and unaffected by, (i) the genuineness, validity, regularity, enforceability or any future amendment of, or change in, this Agreement, any other Loan Document or any other agreement, document or instrument to which any Borrower is or may become a party; (ii) the absence of any action to enforce this Agreement (including this Section 14) or any other Loan Document or the waiver or consent by Administrative Agent and Lenders with respect to any of the provisions thereof; (iii) the existence, value or condition of, or failure to perfect its Lien against, any security for the Obligations or any action, or the absence of any action, by Administrative Agent and Lenders in respect thereof (including the release of any such security); (iv) the insolvency of any Loan Party; or (v) any other action or circumstances that might otherwise constitute a legal or equitable discharge or defense of a surety or guarantor. Each Borrower shall be regarded, and shall be in the same position, as principal debtor with respect to the Obligations guaranteed hereunder.

- Maivers by Borrowers. Each Borrower expressly waives all rights it may have now or in the future under any statute, or at common law, or at law or in equity, or otherwise, to compel Administrative Agent or Lenders to marshal assets or to proceed in respect of the Obligations guaranteed hereunder against any other Loan Party, any other party or against any security for the payment and performance of the Obligations before proceeding against, or as a condition to proceeding against, such Borrower. It is agreed among each Borrower, Administrative Agent and Lenders that the foregoing waivers are of the essence of the transaction contemplated by this Agreement and the other Loan Documents and that, but for the provisions of this Section 14 and such waivers, Administrative Agent and Lenders would decline to enter into this Agreement.
- 14.3 <u>Benefit of Guaranty</u>. Each Borrower agrees that the provisions of this <u>Section 14</u> are for the benefit of Administrative Agent and Lenders and their respective successors, transferees, endorsees and assigns, and nothing herein contained shall impair, as between any other Borrower and Administrative Agent or Lenders, the obligations of such other Borrower under the Loan Documents.
- <u>Waiver of Subrogation, Etc.</u> Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement or in any other Loan Document, and except as set forth in <u>Section 14.7</u>, each Borrower hereby expressly and irrevocably waives any and all rights at law or in equity to subrogation, reimbursement, exoneration, contribution, indemnification or set off and any and all defenses available to a surety, guarantor or accommodation co-obligor. Each Borrower acknowledges and agrees that this waiver is intended to benefit Administrative Agent and Lenders and shall not limit or otherwise affect such Borrower's liability hereunder or the enforceability of this <u>Section 14</u>, and that Administrative Agent, Lenders and their respective successors and assigns are intended third party beneficiaries of the waivers and agreements set forth in this <u>Section 14.4</u>.

- 14.5 Election of Remedies. If Administrative Agent or any Lender may, under Applicable Law, proceed to realize its benefits under any of the Loan Documents giving Administrative Agent or such Lender a Lien upon any Collateral, whether owned by any Borrower or by any other Person, either by judicial foreclosure or by non-judicial sale or enforcement, Administrative Agent or any Lender may, at its sole option, determine which of its remedies or rights it may pursue without affecting any of its rights and remedies under this Section 14. If, in the exercise of any of its rights and remedies, Administrative Agent or any Lender shall forfeit any of its rights or remedies, including its right to enter a deficiency judgment against any Borrower or any other Person, whether because of any Applicable Laws pertaining to "election of remedies" or the like, each Borrower hereby consents to such action by Administrative Agent or such Lender and waives any claim based upon such action, even if such action by Administrative Agent or such Lender shall result in a full or partial loss of any rights of subrogation that each Borrower might otherwise have had but for such action by Administrative Agent or such Lender. Any election of remedies that results in the denial or impairment of the right of Administrative Agent or any Lender to seek a deficiency judgment against any Borrower shall not impair any other Borrower's obligation to pay the full amount of the Obligations. In the event Administrative Agent or any Lender shall bid at any foreclosure or trustee's sale or at any private sale permitted by law or the Loan Documents, Administrative Agent or such Lender may bid all or less than the amount of the Obligations and the amount of such bid need not be paid by Administrative Agent or such Lender but shall be credited against the Obligations. The amount of the successful bid at any such sale, whether Administrative Agent, Lender or any other party is the successful bidder, shall be conclusively deemed to be the fair market value of the Collateral and the difference between such bid amount and the remaining balance of the Obligations shall be conclusively deemed to be the amount of the Obligations guaranteed under this Section 14, notwithstanding that any present or future law or court decision or ruling may have the effect of reducing the amount of any deficiency claim to which Administrative Agent or any Lender might otherwise be entitled but for such bidding at any such sale.
- Limitation. Notwithstanding any provision herein contained to the contrary, each Borrower's liability under this Section 14 (which liability is in any event in addition to amounts for which such Borrower is primarily liable under any other provision of this Agreement) shall be limited to an amount not to exceed as of any date of determination the greater of: (i) the net amount of all Loans advanced to any other Borrower under this Agreement and then re-loaned or otherwise transferred to, or for the benefit of, such Borrower; and (ii) the amount that could be claimed by Administrative Agent and Lenders from such Borrower under this Section 14 without rendering such claim voidable or avoidable under Section 548 of Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code or under any applicable state Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act, Uniform Fraudulent Conveyance Act or similar statute or common law after taking into account, among other things, such Borrower's right of contribution and indemnification from each other Borrower under Section 14.7.

#### 14.7 Contribution with Respect to Guaranty Obligations.

14.7.1 To the extent that any Borrower shall make a payment under this Section 14 of all or any of the Obligations (other than Loans made to that Borrower for which it is primarily liable) (a "Guarantor Payment") that, taking into account all other Guarantor Payments then previously or concurrently made by any other Borrower, exceeds the amount that such Borrower would otherwise have paid if each Borrower had paid the aggregate Obligations satisfied by such Guarantor Payment in the same proportion that such Borrower's "Allocable Amount" (as defined below) (as determined immediately prior to such Guarantor Payment) bore to the aggregate Allocable Amounts of each Borrower as determined immediately prior to the making of such Guarantor Payment, then, following indefeasible payment in full in cash of the Obligations and termination of the Revolving Credit Commitments, such Borrower shall be entitled to receive contribution and indemnification payments from, and be reimbursed by, each other Borrower for the amount of such excess, pro rata based upon their respective Allocable Amounts in effect immediately prior to such Guarantor Payment.

14.7.2 As of any date of determination, the "Allocable Amount" of any Borrower shall be equal to the maximum amount of the claim that could then be recovered from such Borrower under this Section 14 without rendering such claim voidable or avoidable under Section 548 of Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code or under any applicable state Uniform Fraudulent Transfer Act, Uniform Fraudulent Conveyance Act or similar statute or common law.

- 14.7.3 This Section 14.7 is intended only to define the relative rights of Borrowers and nothing set forth in this Section 14.7 is intended to or shall impair the obligations of Borrowers, jointly and severally, to pay any amounts as and when the same shall become due and payable in accordance with the terms of this Agreement, including Section 14.1. Nothing contained in this Section 14.7 shall limit the liability of any Borrower to pay the Loans made directly or indirectly to that Borrower and accrued interest, Fees and expenses with respect thereto for which such Borrower shall be primarily liable.
- 14.7.4 The parties hereto acknowledge that the rights of contribution and indemnification hereunder shall constitute assets of Borrowers to which such contribution and indemnification is owing.
- 14.7.5 The rights of the indemnifying Borrowers against other Loan Parties under this <u>Section 14.7</u> shall be exercisable upon the full and indefeasible payment of the Obligations and the termination of the Revolving Credit Commitments.
- 14.8 <u>Liability Cumulative</u>. The liability of Borrowers under this <u>Section 14</u> is in addition to and shall be cumulative with all liabilities of each Borrower to Administrative Agent and Lenders under this Agreement and the other Loan Documents to which such Borrower is a party or in respect of any Obligations or obligation of the other Borrowers, without any limitation as to amount, unless the instrument or agreement evidencing or creating such other liability specifically provides to the contrary.
- Keepwell. Each Qualified ECP Guarantor hereby jointly and severally absolutely, unconditionally and irrevocably undertakes to provide such funds or other support as may be needed from time to time by each other Loan Party to honor all of its obligations hereunder or under the Security Documents in respect of Swap Obligations; provided, that each Qualified ECP Guarantor shall only be liable under this Section 14.9 for the maximum amount of such liability that can be hereby incurred without rendering its obligations under this Section 14.9, or otherwise hereunder or under the Security Documents, voidable under applicable requirements of law relating to fraudulent conveyance or fraudulent transfer, and not for any greater amount. The obligations of each Qualified ECP Guarantor under this Section 14.9 shall remain in full force and effect until the guarantees in respect of Swap Obligations have been discharged, or otherwise released or terminated in accordance with the terms of this Agreement. Each Qualified ECP Guarantor intends that this Section 14.9 constitute, and this Section 14.9 shall be deemed to constitute, a "keepwell, support, or other agreement" for the benefit of each other Lender for all purposes of Section 1a(18)(A)(v)(II) of the Commodity Exchange Act.

(Signature Page Follows)

### (Signature Page to Loan and Security Agreement)

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been duly executed on the day and year specified at the beginning of this Agreement.

### **BORROWERS:**

Title:

### ANI PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.

By: /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Name: Arthur S. Przybyl

President and Chief Executive Officer

### ANIP ACQUISITION COMPANY

By: /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Name: Arthur S. Przybyl

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

## **GUARANTORS:**

### ANIP PARTNER, LLC

By: /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Name: Arthur S. Przybyl

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

### AP EUROPEAN HOLDINGS, LLC

By: /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Name: Arthur S. Przybyl

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

# ANIP CO-OP, LLC

By: /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Name: Arthur S. Przybyl

Title: President and Chief Executive Officer

# CITIZENS BUSINESS CAPITAL, a division of Citizens Asset Finance, Inc.,

as Administrative Agent, Collateral Agent and as a Lender

By: /s/ Kenneth Wales

Name: Kenneth Wales
Title: Vice President

# CITIZENS BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, as Issuing Bank

By: /s/ Kenneth Wales

Name: Kenneth Wales
Title: Vice President

# CERTIFICATION OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

#### I, Arthur S. Przybyl, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a–15(e) and 15d–15(f) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a–15(f) and 15d–15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 4, 2016 /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Arthur S. Przybyl President and Chief Executive Officer (principal executive officer)

# CERTIFICATION OF CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER PURSUANT TO SECTION 302 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

#### I, Stephen P. Carey, certify that:

- 1. I have reviewed this Quarterly Report on Form 10-Q of ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc.;
- 2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;
- 3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;
- 4. The registrant's other certifying officer and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a–15(e) and 15d–15(f) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a–15(f) and 15d–15(f)) for the registrant and have:
  - (a) Designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;
  - (b) Designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;
  - (c) Evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and
  - (d) Disclosed in this report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter (the registrant's fourth fiscal quarter in the case of an annual report) that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and
- 5. The registrant's other certifying officer and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):
  - (a) All significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and
  - (b) Any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 4, 2016 /s/ Stephen P. Carey

Stephen P. Carey Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (principal financial officer)

# CERTIFICATION PURSUANT TO 18 U.S.C. SECTION 1350, AS ADOPTED PURSUANT TO SECTION 906 OF THE SARBANES-OXLEY ACT OF 2002

In connection with the quarterly report on Form 10-Q of ANI Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (the "Company") for the quarterly period ended June 30, 2016 (the "Report") as filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on the date hereof, the undersigned Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of the Company hereby certify that, to such officer's knowledge:

- (1) the Report fully complies with the requirements of Section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934; and
- (2) the information contained in the Report fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company.

This certification is provided solely pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as adopted pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002.

Dated: August 4, 2016 /s/ Arthur S. Przybyl

Arthur S. Przybyl President and Chief Executive Officer

(principal executive officer)

Dated: August 4, 2016 /s/ Stephen P. Carey

Stephen P. Carey Vice President and Chief Financial Officer (principal financial officer)

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906 has been provided to the Company and will be retained by the Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.