

REDACTION DETERMINATION

The Bylaws governing the Independent Review Process (IRP) allow for the IRP Panel to agree that certain information can be held as confidential. (Bylaws, Art. IV, Section 3.20.) ICANN has evaluated the Final Declaration issued by the IRP Panel in the matter of *Merck KGaA v. ICANN* for confidentiality and has determined that the Final Declaration contains no confidential information that warrants withholding from public disclosure.