DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Patent and Trademark Office
[Docket No. PTO–P–2022–0009]
Grant of Interim Extension of the Term of U.S. Patent No. 8,858,612; Reducer®
AGENCY: United States Patent and Trademark Office, Department of Commerce.
ACTION: Notice of interim patent term extension.

SUMMARY: The United States Patent and Trademark Office has issued an order granting a one-year interim extension of the term of U.S. Patent No. 8,858,612.

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Section 156 of Title 35, United States Code, generally provides that the term of a patent may be extended for a period of up to five years if the patent claims a product, or a method of making or using a product, that has been subject to certain defined regulatory review, and that the patent may be extended for interim periods of up to one year if the regulatory review is anticipated to extend beyond the expiration date of the patent.

On February 22, 2022, Neovasc Medical Ltd., the patent owner of record, timely filed an application under 35 U.S.C. 156(d)(5) for a third interim extension of the term of U.S. Patent No. 8,858,612. The patent claims methods of using a catheter delivered implantable device known by the trademark Reducer®. The application for patent term extension indicates that a Premarket Approval Application (PMA) P100035 was submitted to the Food and Drug Administration (FDA) on December 31, 2019.

Review of the patent term extension application indicates that, except for permission to market or use the product commercially, the subject patent would be eligible for an extension of the patent term under 35 U.S.C. 156(d)(5) is appropriate.

An interim extension under 35 U.S.C. 156(d)(5) of the term of U.S. Patent No. 8,858,612 is granted for a period of one year from the extended expiration date of the ’612 patent.

Robert Bahr,
Deputy Commissioner for Patents, United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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BUREAU OF CONSUMER FINANCIAL PROTECTION
Agency Information Collection Activities: Comment Request
[Docket No. CFPB–2022–0017]
AGENCY: Bureau of Consumer Financial Protection.
ACTION: Notice and request for comment.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau (CFPB or Bureau) requests the extension of the Office of Management and Budget’s (OMB’s) approval of the existing information collection titled “Electronic Fund Transfer Act (Regulation E)” approved under OMB Control Number 3170–0014.

DATES: Written comments are encouraged and must be received on or before April 8, 2022 to be assured of consideration.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. In general, all comments received will become public records, including any personal information provided. Sensitive personal information, such as account numbers or Social Security numbers, should not be included.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Documentation prepared in support of this information collection request is available at www.regulations.gov. Requests for additional information