

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.,
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC., and
SAMSUNG TELECOMMUNICATIONS AMERICA, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

ARENDI S.A.R.L.,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2014-01144
Patent 7,496,854 B2

Before HOWARD B. BLANKENSHIP, SALLY C. MEDLEY, and
TREVOR M. JEFFERSON, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

BLANKENSHIP, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Setting Expedited Date for Patent Owner Preliminary Response
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

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On June 11, 2014, an *inter partes* review was instituted in *Apple Inc., Google Inc., and Motorola Mobility LLC v. Arendi S.A.R.L.*, Case IPR2014-00207 (PTAB June 11, 2014). Within a month of that decision, the Petitioner in the instant proceeding filed a petition, along with a motion for joinder. Papers 1 and 3. Petitioner moves for institution of an *inter partes* review and to be joined as a party to the *inter partes* review in IPR2014-00207. Papers 1 and 3. Patent Owner filed an authorized Opposition to the motion for joinder. Paper 7. Petitioner filed an authorized Reply to the Opposition. Paper 8.

A review of the record indicates that the Petition (Paper 1) challenges the same claims over the same references and on the same statutory grounds as instituted in the trial in IPR2014-00207. The instant Petition relies on a new declaration by a declarant different from that relied upon in the Petition in IPR2014-00207. The new declaration appears similar to the declaration submitted in the other proceeding.

Times set by rules are default and may be modified by order of the Board, taking into account applicable statutory pendency goals. 37 C.F.R. § 42.5(c)(1). In view of the circumstances of this case, an expedited date for the patent owner preliminary response is not unduly burdensome and will assist in administering this proceeding in a just, speedy and efficient manner. 37 C.F.R. § 42.1(b).

Upon consideration of the record,

It is

ORDERED that Patent Owner may file a patent owner preliminary response not later than September 25, 2014.

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