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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

INTELLECTUAL VENTURES MANAGEMENT, LLC Petitioner

v.

XILINX, INC. Patent Owner

Cases IPR2012-00018 (Patent 7,566,960) IPR2012-00019 (Patent 8,062,968) ¹

Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, KARL D. EASTHOM, and JUSTIN T. ARBES, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

MEDLEY, Administrative Patent Judge.

ORDER
Conduct of the Proceeding
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

On October 16, 2013, the Board granted Petitioner's request for a

¹ This order addresses an issue that is identical in the two cases. Therefore, we exercise discretion to issue one order to be filed in both cases. The parties, however, are not authorized to use this style heading in subsequent papers.



Cases IPR2012-00018 and IPR2012-00019 Patents 7,566,960 and 8,062,968

hearing in the above noted proceedings pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70. *See, e.g.*, Paper 33 in IPR2012-00018. On October 18, 2013, a conference call was held with counsel for the respective parties and Judges Easthom and Arbes. Patent Owner requested the conference call to inform the Board that it preferred to rely on its briefs in the two proceedings rather than appear for the scheduled hearing (but was not conceding any issues).

Subsequent to the conference call, and on the same day, Petitioner informed Board personnel that it no longer requests a hearing in either of the two proceedings and preferred to rely on its briefs (but was not conceding any issues). Based on the representations made by the parties, it is the view of the Board that a hearing is not necessary for a decision in either of the two proceedings.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the hearing scheduled to commence at 9:00 AM Eastern Time, on November 7, 2013 for IPR2012-00018 and IPR2012-00019 is *vacated*.



Cases IPR2012-00018 and IPR2012-00019 Patents 7,566,960 and 8,062,968

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