

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MOTOROLA MOBILITY LLC
Petitioner,

v.

ARNOUSE DIGITAL DEVICES CORPORATION
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2013-00010
Patent 7,516,484

Before MICHAEL P. TIERNEY, *Administrative Patent Judges.*

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ORDER
Trial Hearing
37C.F.R. §42.70

A conference call was held to discuss whether the Board should grant Petitioner's request for final hearing. Patent Owner opposed the request. Specifically, Patent Owner represented that a hearing would place an undue financial burden on the Patent Owner, which is a small business. Patent Owner further represented that this particular case has been sufficiently briefed such that no hearing would be necessary for the Board to decide the merits of the case.

The Board stated that 35 U.S.C. § 315(a)(10) required the Office promulgate rules providing either party with the right to an oral hearing as part of the proceeding. The Board agreed with Patent Owner, however, that this particular case has been briefed sufficiently such that no prejudice would arise should a hearing not be held. The Board requested that Petitioner consider whether such a hearing would be necessary and if one were to be conducted, the Board indicated that the hearing would be conducted telephonically to reduce the financial burden on Patent Owner.

Petitioner subsequently contacted the Board and withdrew its request for an oral hearing.

It is:

Ordered that no oral hearing will be held in the proceeding and that the case will be decided on the briefs in due course.

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