

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

BROAD OCEAN TECHNOLOGIES, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

REGAL BELOIT AMERICA, INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-00803
Patent 6,318,358 B1

Before MITCHELL G. WEATHERLY, TIMOTHY J. GOODSON, and
SCOTT C. MOORE, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

WEATHERLY, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

JUDGMENT

Termination of the Proceeding
35 U.S.C. § 317(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.72

The parties have requested that this trial be terminated pursuant to a settlement. On March 12, 2018, we authorized the parties via e-mail to file a joint request to terminate this proceeding and to file the settlement agreement as business confidential information under 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c). The parties filed their joint motion later the same day. Paper 20. With their

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joint motion to terminate, the parties also filed a joint request to keep their written settlement agreement confidential along with a copy of that settlement agreement. Paper 21 (filed concurrently with Ex. 2016).

We instituted trial in this proceeding on August 23, 2017. Paper 12. The parties indicate that they have agreed to resolve all disputes between them related to the challenged patent. Paper 20, at 1. Under these circumstances, we determine that it is appropriate to enter judgment and terminate the trial without rendering a final written decision. 37 C.F.R. § 42.72.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the Joint Motion to Terminate Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317 and 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.72 and 42.74 is *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that the Joint Request to File a Settlement Agreement as Business Confidential Information Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c) is *granted*; and

FURTHER ORDERED that the Settlement Agreement (Ex. 2016) shall be treated as business confidential information and kept separate from the public record.

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