

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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UNIFIED PATENTS INC.,  
Petitioner,

v.

AUTOLOXER LLC,  
Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2017-01271  
Patent 7,084,735 B2

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Before BRIAN J. McNAMARA and SCOTT B. HOWARD,  
*Administrative Patent Judges.*

HOWARD, *Administrative Patent Judge.*

ORDER AUTHORIZING FILING OF MOTION TO TERMINATE  
Conduct of the Proceeding  
*37 C.F.R. § 42.5*

In e-mail correspondence on December 1, 2017, the parties advised the Board that a settlement agreement had been reached in the current *inter partes* review proceeding concerning U.S. Patent No. 7,084,735 (hereinafter “the subject patent”). The parties may agree to settle any issue in a proceeding pursuant to a written agreement, a copy of which shall be filed with the Board before termination of the trial. 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(a), (b). Any agreement or understanding between the patent owner and a petitioner, including any collateral agreements referred to in such agreement or understanding made in connection with, or in contemplation of the termination shall be in writing and a true copy of such agreement or understanding shall be filed in the Office before the termination of such proceeding as between the parties. 35 U.S.C. § 317(b). Any such agreement should be filed as a separate exhibit.

The parties are authorized to file a Joint Motion To Terminate this proceeding. The Joint Motion To Terminate must update the Board concerning the status of any litigation or proceeding, including, but not limited to proceedings in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, involving the subject patent, and advise the Board whether any litigation or proceeding involving the subject patent is contemplated in the foreseeable future. The Joint Motion To Terminate also must include a copy of any agreement and include a statement certifying that there are no collateral agreements or understandings made in connection with, or in contemplation of, the termination of the proceeding.

We further authorize the parties to file a Joint Request to File the Settlement Agreement as Business Confidential Information, with the Joint Motion to Terminate. *See* 35 U.S.C. § 317(b); 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c).

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Accordingly, it is:

**ORDERED** that the parties are authorized to file a Joint Motion To Terminate the proceeding and a Joint Request That The Settlement Agreement Be Treated As Business Confidential Information.

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