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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD., Petitioner,

v.

HUAWEI TECHNOLOGIES CO., LTD., Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-01471 (Patent 8,412,197 B2)

Case IPR2017-01473 (Patent 8,885,583 B2)

Case IPR2017-01474 (Patent 8,639,246 B2)

Case IPR2017-01475 (Patent 8,996,003 B2)¹

Before TREVOR M. JEFFERSON, MICHELLE N. WORMMEESTER, and JOHN F. HORVATH, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

HORVATH, Administrative Patent Judge.

REVISED SCHEDULING ORDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.5(a)

¹ This Order applies to each of the listed cases. We exercise our discretion to issue one Order to be docketed in each case. The parties, however, are not authorized to use this caption for any subsequent papers.



A. INTRODUCTION

On May 8, 2018, we modified our institution decision to include review of all challenged claims on all grounds raised in the Petition in view of the Supreme Court's decision in *SAS Institute, Inc. v. Iancu*, 138 S. Ct. 1348 (2018) and the Office's guidance² in view of the *SAS* decision. *See* Paper 25.³ We also ordered the parties to meet and confer to determine whether they desired additional briefing on the previously non-instituted claims and grounds, and whether any changes to the schedule would be needed to accommodate such briefing. On May 10, 2018, Patent Owner requested additional briefing and a conference call with the panel to discuss corresponding changes to the schedule.

On May 17, 2018, Judges Jefferson, Wormmeester, and Horvath participated in a conference call with the parties. Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. ("Petitioner") was represented by Marissa Ducca, and Huawei Technologies Co., Ltd. ("Patent Owner") was represented by Jeffrey P. Kushan and Samuel Dillon. A transcript of the call has been filed by Patent Owner. *See* Ex. 2014 ("Tr."). Prior to the call, the parties jointly emailed the panel to indicate they had reached agreement on a request for additional briefing and a briefing schedule. *See* Ex. 3001. Per the agreement, the parties jointly requested that Patent Owner be granted four weeks to file a

² See Guidance on the Impact of SAS on AIA Trial Proceedings (April 26, 2018) (available at https://www.uspto.gov/patents-application-process/patent-trial-and-appeal-board/trials/guidance-impact-sas-aia-trial). ³ Citations are to the record in IPR2017-01471, unless otherwise noted.



5,000-word supplemental response to the newly instituted grounds together with a supplemental expert report, and Petitioner be granted a 19,000-word reply responsive to Patent Owner's response and supplemental response due five weeks after Petitioner's currently scheduled response. *Id.* The parties also jointly requested that all pending due dates, including the hearing date, for all pending cases between the parties (IPR2017-01471, IPR2017-01472, IPR2017-01473, IPR2017-01474, IPR2017-01475, IPR2017-01483, and IPR2017-01487) be extended by five weeks regardless of whether additional briefing is required in the cases. *Id.*

As indicated in the transcript of the call, the panel was unable to confirm its ability to reschedule all seven cases for hearing over a several day window in mid-September that would accommodate the parties' request to minimize their overseas travel. *See* Tr. 10:19–11:9. Therefore, the panel asked the parties to meet and confer to discuss whether they would prefer to leave the currently scheduled mid-August hearing dates in place, or to move the hearing dates to mid-September and risk the possibility that the cases may have to be heard in separate hearings over an extended period of time. *Id.* at 18:21–21:20.

On May 23, 2018, the parties again jointly emailed the panel, indicating that after further conferring they still wished to shift the oral hearing dates in all seven cases by five weeks, and would agree to any combination of hearing dates within a 12-day window spanning the period between September 25, 2018 and October 12, 2018. *See* Ex. 3002. The parties also requested that the hearings for IPR2017-01471, IPR2017-01474,



and IPR2017-01475, which involve related patents, be held on the same day. *Id*.

B: REVISED DUE DATES

The panel has considered the parties' request, and hereby reschedules the hearing date for IPR2017-01471, IPR2017-01473, IPR2017-01474, and IPR2017-01475 to September 27, 2018. The following revised due dates apply to each of these cases:

Patent owner's supplemental response to the petition, limited to 5000 words responsive to the previously non-instituted claims and grounds

Patent owner's supplemental motion to amend the patent, limited to the previously non-instituted claims

DUE DATE 2 August 6, 2018

Petitioner's reply to patent owner's response and supplemental response to petition, limited to 19,000 words⁵

Petitioner's opposition to motion to amend

⁵ Petitioner's reply is extended to 19,000 words for IPR2017-01471 and IPR2017-01473 only. The replies for IPR2017-01474 and IPR2017-01475 are limited to 14,000 words.



⁴ This due date applies to IPR2017-01471 and IPR2017-01473 only, no supplemental response or supplemental motion to amend is authorized for IPR2017-01474 and IPR2017-01475.

DUE DATE 4 September 4, 2018
Motion for observation regarding cross-examination of reply witness
Motion to exclude evidence
Request for oral argument
DUE DATE 5
DUE DATE 6 September 18, 2018 Reply to opposition to motion to exclude
DUE DATE 7 September 27, 2018 Oral argument (if requested)



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