# UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

#### UNIFIED PATENTS INC., Petitioner,

v.

KALDREN, LLC, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-02195 Patent 6,820,807 B1

Before MICHAEL R. ZECHER, DAVID C. McKONE, and SCOTT E. BAIN, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

BAIN, Administrative Patent Judge.

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DECISION Termination of the Proceeding 35 U.S.C. § 42.72 and 42.74

# I. DISCUSSION

The parties to this proceeding, Unified Patents Inc. ("Petitioner") and Kaldren, LLC ("Patent Owner"), have filed a "Joint Motion to Terminate *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent 6,820,807 Under 37 C.F.R. § 42.72" ("Joint Motion to Terminate"). Paper 9. The parties also have filed a written copy of their settlement agreement (Ex. 1039) and a "Joint Request to Keep Confidential and Separate Under 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.72(c)" the settlement agreement, as business confidential information (Paper 10).

In the Joint Motion to Terminate, the parties represent that their confidential settlement agreement "fully resolves this matter." Paper 9, 1. The parties further represent that the only pending litigation involving U.S. Patent No. 6,820,807 ("the '807 patent") is *Kaldren LLC v. Kik US, Inc.*, No. 1-17-c-00752 (D. Del.), and in that case the parties have "filed a motion to stay pending filing of a motion to dismiss pursuant to a settlement agreement." Paper 9, 3. The parties observe that, although the Board instituted *inter partes* review in this proceeding (Paper 7), the Board has not yet "decided the merits of the proceeding" and there are no other pending [United States Patent and Trademark Office] proceedings regarding the '807 patent. Paper 9, 3.

Under these circumstances, we determine that it is appropriate to terminate this proceeding without rendering any further decision. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.72.

# II. ORDER

In consideration of the foregoing, it is hereby:

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ORDERED that the Joint Request to Keep Confidential and Separate Under 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.72(c) (Paper 10) is *granted;* and

FURTHER ORDERED the Joint Motion to Terminate (Paper 9) is *granted*, and this proceeding is hereby terminated.

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