UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SONOS, INC.,

Petitioner,

v.

GOOGLE LLC,

Patent Owner.

U.S. Patent No. 10,229,586 Case No. IPR2021-00964

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1001	U.S. Patent No. 10,229,586 to Kates
1002	File History of U.S. Patent No. 10,229,586 to Kates
1003	Declaration of Dr. Stephen B. Wicker
1004	U.S. Publication No. 2006/0120433 A1 to Baker et al.
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1013	Excerpt from the Authoritative Dictionary of IEEE Standards Terms, Seventh Edition (2000)
1014	Redline comparison of the specifications of U.S. Publication No. 2006/0120433 A1 to Baker et al. and U.S. Provisional App. No. 60/518,327.
1015	U.S. Patent No. 4,585,906 to Matthews et al.
1016	U.S. Patent No. 6,493,824 to Novoa et al.



1017	U.S. Patent No. 6,496,858 to Frailong et al.
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1019	IEEE 802.11 Specification (1999 Edition)
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1021	Akyildiz et. al., "Wireless Mesh Networks: A Survey," Computer Networks (2004)
1022	Beckman et al., "Use of mobile mesh networks for inter-vehicular communication," 2003 IEEE 58th Vehicular Technology Conference (VTC 2003-Fall)
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1027	Transcript from the April 20, 2022 Deposition of Dr. Vijay K. Madisetti
1028	Reply Declaration of Dr. Stephen B. Wicker



Petitioner Sonos, Inc. submits this reply to Patent Owner Google LLC's response (Paper 11, "Response")

Patent Owner's response repeatedly and egregiously ignores what the prior art of record teaches. Rather than considering what the art says, and what the Petition argued, it focuses only on select, isolated passages in an effort to save the facially unpatentable claims of the '586 patent.

For instance, Patent Owner argues that Baker does not teach "determining" to relay a received packet based on a comparison between an address in the packet and a stored address. In Patent Owner's view, Baker's network nodes supposedly "always" forward received packets. Baker's nodes do not always forward packets. The nodes only forwards packets if there is a match between the packet's address and that stored in the node's routing table. If there is no match, the packet is not forwarded. This is the claimed "determining." And, Patent Owner simply ignores this functionality.

Likewise, Patent Owner's attempts to distinguish Marman ignore what the reference actually says. According to Patent Owner, Marman would not be understood to employ the claimed "communication packet." Patent Owner characterizes Marman as teaching only the transmission of "disparate," unrelated pieces of information and not a single packet that includes all the parts required. But, in arriving at this conclusion, Patent Owner ignores both Marman's disclosure,



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