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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PNC BANK N.A., Petitioner,

v.

UNITED SERVICES AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION, Patent Owner.

IPR2021-01381 (Patent 10,013,681 B1) IPR2021-01399 (Patent 10,013,605 B1) IPR2022-00050 (Patent 10,402,638 B1)

Before DERRICK BRENT,<sup>1</sup> Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, SCOTT R. BOALICK, Chief Administrative Patent Judge, and JACQUELINE WRIGHT BONILLA, Deputy Chief Administrative Patent Judge.

PER CURIAM.

<sup>1</sup> Kathi Vidal, Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, took no part in this decision. The Director, pursuant to Standard Operating Procedure 2 (SOP 2), has delegated her authority to Derrick Brent, Deputy Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Deputy Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office. *See* Director's Memorandum, Procedures for Recusal to Avoid Conflicts of Interest and Delegations of Authority (Apr. 20, 2022) (Recusal Procedure Memo), *available at* https://go.usa.gov/xJjch; SOP 2, 4 (available at https://go.usa.gov/xP7yz).



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## **ORDER**

The Office received rehearing requests and requests for Precedential Opinion Panel (POP) review of an issue raised in these cases. *See* Paper 22; Ex. 3002.<sup>2</sup> The requests were referred to the POP panel referenced above.

Upon consideration of the requests, it is:

It is ORDERED that the requests for POP review are denied; and FURTHER ORDERED that the original panels maintain authority over all matters, including considering the submitted rehearing requests.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Citations are to the record in IPR2021-01381, which is representative.



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