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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

FEDERAL RESERVE BANKS¹ Petitioners

V.

LEON STAMBLER
Patent Owner

Case IPR2013-00341 Case IPR2013-00344 Case IPR2013-00406 Case IPR2013-00409

Before THOMAS L. GIANNETTI, BRYAN F. MOORE, and TRENTON A. WARD, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

GIANNETTI, Administrative Patent Judge.

ORDER Conduct of Proceeding 37 C.F.R. § 42.5

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¹Federal Reserve Bank of Atlanta, Federal Reserve Bank of Boston, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, Federal Reserve Bank of Kansas City, Federal Reserve Bank of Minneapolis, Federal Reserve Bank of New York, Federal Reserve Bank of Philadelphia, Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond, Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco, and Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis.

The Board has received an email communication from the parties indicating that they are engaged in settlement discussions. In view of the foregoing, the Board authorizes filling of a Joint Motion to Terminate the Proceeding. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.74. The motion must be filed by Monday, December 9, 2013. The following information is provided for the guidance of the parties:

This Joint Motion must (1) include an explanation as to why termination is appropriate; (2) identify all codefendants in any related district court litigation in which infringement or invalidity of the claims of Patents No. 5,793,302 or 5,936,541 have been alleged; and (3) specifically discuss the current status of each such related litigation with respect to each party to that litigation.

In addition, the Joint Motion to Terminate must be accompanied by a true copy of any agreement or understanding among the parties (including any collateral agreements referred to in such agreement or understanding) made in connection with, or in contemplation of, the termination of the proceedings, in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(b). These documents should be filed as separate papers. A redacted version of a document is not a true copy.

Under 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c), the parties may file a request to treat such documents as business confidential. The parties are herein directed to FAQ G2 on the Board's website page at http://www.uspto.gov/ip/boards/bpai/prps.jsp for further information.

Accordingly, it is:

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ORDERED that the parties are authorized to file a Joint Motion to Terminate the Proceeding under 37 C.F.R. § 42.74;

FURTHER ORDERED that the Joint Motion is due by December 9, 2013; FURTHER ORDERED that the Joint Motion shall meet all the requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(b), including those discussed above, regarding filing of settlement documents.

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