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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

IGB AUTOMOTIVE LTD. and
I.G. BAUERHIN GmbH

Petitioners,

v.

W.E.T. AUTOMOTIVE SYSTEMS AG

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2014-00666
U.S. Patent 7,229,129

**PATENT OWNER GENTHERM GMBH
MANDATORY NOTICE INFORMATION**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a), Patent Owner Gentherm GmbH submits herewith the following required mandatory notice information.

I. Real Party in interest Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(1)

Gentherm GmbH, a German corporation, is the Patent Owner and real party-in-interest. Gentherm GmbH owns all right, title, and interest in the involved patent, U.S. Patent No. 7,229,129 (“the ’129 Patent”). W.E.T. Automotive Systems AG, which initially owned the ’129 Patent, merged with Gentherm Europe GmbH as of April 25, 2014. Also, as of the same date, Gentherm Europe GmbH was renamed Gentherm GmbH. Gentherm GmbH will record a corporate name change with the PTO as soon as possible.

II. Related Matters Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2)

The ’129 Patent is involved in Federal district court litigation between a Gentherm GmbH affiliate company and IGB Automotive Ltd. in the litigation *W.E.T. Automotive Systems Ltd. v. IGB Automotive Ltd.*, Case No. 2:13-CV-11536-AJT-PJK, in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan.

There are also several concurrently filed petitions for inter parties review of other patents involved in the same district court litigation:

U.S. Patent No.	IPR Case No.
7,637,573	2014-00667
7,775,602	2014-00663
6,840,576	2014-00668
8,360,517	2014-00664

U.S. Patent No.	IPR Case No.
7,735,932	2014-00661

Finally, the following is a list of the other patents in the same family as the '129 Patent: U.S. Patent No. 7,040,710.

III. Lead and Back-Up Counsel Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3)

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of PATENT OWNER GENTHERM GMBH MANDATORY NOTICE INFORMATION is being served on May 9, 2014, via email pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e) per agreement of the parties, to counsel for IGB Automotive Ltd. and I.G. BAUERHIN GmbH, at the addresses below:

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