UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TOLEDO & CO., INC. Petitioner

v.

MASTER LOCK COMPANY LLC Patent Owner

Case IPR2014-01542 Patent 7,516,843 B2

JOINT MOTION TO TERMINATE *INTER PARTES* REVIEW AND SUBMISSION OF COPY OF SETTLEMENT

Patent Owner and Petitioner jointly request termination by operation of settlement for *Inter Partes* Review Case No. IPR2014-01542.

Patent Owner and Petitioner respectfully submit that termination is appropriate because they have reached an agreement resolving the dispute involving the patent at issue in the above-captioned *Inter Partes* Review and because the Institution Decision has not yet issued. Further, Petitioner represents that it will no longer participate even if the Board does not terminate this review. That means Petitioner will file no further papers. It will also not be conducting any further cross examination of Patent Owner's witnesses (if any) and will not be participating in any oral argument.

The status of the related litigation is as follows:

Master Lock Company LLC v. Toledo & Co., Inc., Civ. Action No. 3:13-cv-01658 (D. P.R.), involving the patent at issue in this *Inter Partes* Review, has been terminated based upon the settlement agreement.

Filed under separate cover herewith is a true copy of the written confidential Settlement Agreement resolving the dispute in the above-captioned *Inter Partes* Review and the related litigation (the "Settlement Agreement"). *See* Exhibit 2001.

Patent Owner and Petitioner are concurrently filing a Joint Request that the Settlement Agreement attached hereto as Exhibit 2001 shall be treated as business confidential information, shall be kept separate from the file of the involved patent,

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and shall be made available only to Federal Government agencies on written request, or to any person on a showing of good cause pursuant to 35 U.S.C. \S 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. \S 42.74(c).

The parties jointly request termination of IPR2014-01542.

Respectfully submitted by:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.6 (e)(4)

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of this JOINT MOTION TO

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SETTLEMENT has been served via electronic mail upon the following:

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