UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

VOLKSWAGEN GROUP OF AMERICA, INC., Petitioner

V.

EMERACHEM HOLDINGS, LLC, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2014-01554 Patent 6,037,307

PETITIONER'S FIRST UPDATED MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §42.8(a)(3)

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. ("Petitioner") hereby provides, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §42.8(a)(3), the following update to its mandatory notices. Specifically, the real party-in-interest and related matters sections are updated. Because the filing of this Updated Mandatory Notice complies with the 21-day requirement set forth in 37 C.F.R. §42.8(a)(3), prior authorization by the Board is not required. See Valeo, Inc. v. Magna Electronics, Inc., IPR2014-01203 (Paper No. 7, Nov. 13, 2014) at p. 3.

I. <u>Real Party-In-Interest (37 C.F.R. §42.8(b)(1))</u>

Volkswagen Group of America, Inc. ("VWGoA" or "Petitioner") and Volkswagen AG are the real parties in interest.

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

U.S. Patent No. 6,037,307 ("the '307 patent," Ex. 1001) is currently the subject of the following litigation: *EmeraChem Holdings, LLC v. Volkswagen Group of America, Inc., Volkswagen AG, and Volkswagen Group of America Chattanooga Operations, LLC*, No. 14-cv-132-PLR-HBG (E.D. Tenn), which was filed on March 31, 2014. Co-defendant Volkswagen Group of America Chattanooga Operations, LLC is a subsidiary of VWGoA. Volkswagen AG, a German company, is the parent of VWGoA.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§42.6(e) and 42.105(b), the undersigned hereby certifies that on January 23, 2015 a complete copy of the foregoing **PETITIONER'S FIRST UPDATED MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R.** §42.8(a)(3)) was electronically served in its entirety on the Patent Owner of record at mbradford@luedeka.com and koosrasser@gmail.com.

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