

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ARKEMA FRANCE,
Petitioner,

v.

HONEYWELL INTERNATIONAL INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2015-00915
IPR2015-00916
IPR2015-00917¹
Patent 8,710,282 B2

Before JO-ANNE M. KOKOSKI, JON B. TORNQUIST, and
ROBERT A. POLLOCK, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

KOKOSKI, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

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

¹ This Order addresses identical issues in each of three related cases. We exercise our discretion to issue one Order to be entered in each case. The parties are not authorized to use this style heading in their papers.

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At the request of Petitioner, a telephone conference was held on April 12, 2016, among respective counsel for Petitioner and Patent Owner, and Judges Kokoski, Tornquist, and Pollock. A court reporter was on the line, and a copy of the transcript will be filed in each proceeding in due course. The matters discussed during the call will be reflected in the transcript, and need not be repeated herein. The purpose of the call was to address Petitioner's request for authorization to file a motion to compel Patent Owner to produce an unredacted copy of the September 2009 "whitepaper to brief Honeywell top executives regarding 1234yf" referenced in the Morris Declaration (Ex. 2036 ¶ 9).

Upon consideration of the parties' arguments (reflected in the reporter's transcript), we determined that briefing on a motion to compel is not warranted under the circumstances. As will be reflected in the transcript of the call, Patent Owner represented that the redacted copy of the whitepaper provided to Petitioner reveals the portions of the document related to the manufacturing process for 1234yf. We performed an *in camera* review of an unredacted copy of the whitepaper, and accepted Patent Owner's representation that all the relevant information has been provided.

ORDER

In consideration of the foregoing, it is:

ORDERED that Petitioner's request for authorization to file a motion to compel production of an unredacted copy of Patent Owner's September 2009 whitepaper is DENIED.

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