

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SMART SOLUTIONS TECHNOLOGIES, S.L.

Petitioner

v.

KONINKLIJKE PHILIPS ELECTRONICS N.V.

Patent Owner

Case IPR 2016-00416

U.S. Patent No. 7,522,951

JOINT REQUEST TO FILE SETTLEMENT
AGREEMENT AS BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL
INFORMATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 317

Patent Owner Koninklijke Philips Electronics N.V., Inc. (“Philips”) and Petitioner Smart Solutions Technologies, S.L. (“Smart Solutions”) have filed a Joint Stipulation to Terminate in light of a “Patent License Agreement” between the parties that resolves the underlying IPR2016-00416 proceeding currently before the Board (“Settlement Agreement”).

The Board authorized the parties to file the Joint Stipulation to Terminate by e-mail of June 3, 2016. In the same e-mail, the Board authorized the parties’ submission of a joint request to treat the Settlement Agreement as business confidential information in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c).

In the Joint Stipulation to Terminate, the parties submitted a true copy of the Settlement Agreement as Exhibit 1016. By its terms, the Settlement Agreement contains confidential business information of the parties. As a result, the parties jointly request to file the Settlement Agreement as business confidential information pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b). The parties request that the Settlement Agreement be kept separate from the file of the involved patent and be made available only to Federal Government agencies on written request, or to any other person only upon a showing of good cause.

For the foregoing reasons, the parties jointly and respectfully request that the Board hold the Settlement Agreement confidential pursuant to 37 C.F.R.

§ 42.74(c). Should the Board desire any further input in connection with considering this request, the parties would be pleased to address any questions in a conference call that may be arranged at the Board's convenience for that purpose.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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