IPR2016-00747 U.S. Patent No. 6,732,147

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ACTIVISION BLIZZARD, INC., ELECTRONIC ARTS INC., TAKE-TWO INTERACTIVE SOFTWARE, INC., 2K SPORTS, INC., and ROCKSTAR GAMES, INC.,

Petitioners

v.

ACCELERATION BAY, LLC, Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2016-00747 Patent No. 6,732,147

Before ANDREW KELLOGG, Trial Paralegal

PETITIONERS' SUPPLEMENTAL MANDATORY NOTICE INFORMATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.8

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8, the undersigned, on behalf of and acting in a representative capacity for Petitioners, Activision Blizzard, Inc., Electronic Arts Inc., Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc., 2K Sports, Inc., and Rockstar Games, Inc. ("Petitioners"), hereby submits this Supplemental Mandatory Notice, which provides information regarding related matters under rule 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2).

I. Related Matters Under Rule § 42.8(b)(2)

A. <u>2015 Delaware Actions (now dismissed).</u>

In the following three actions against Petitioners, Acceleration Bay asserted the same six patents ("Asserted Patents"),¹ including the patent identified in the above-captioned proceeding: Acceleration Bay LLC v. Activision Blizzard, Inc., Case No. 1:15-cv-00228-RGA (D. Del., filed Mar. 11, 2015); Acceleration Bay LLC v. Electronic Arts Inc., Case No. 1:15-cv-00282-RGA (D. Del., filed Mar. 30, 2015); and Acceleration Bay LLC v. Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. et al., Case No. 1:15-cv-00311-RGA (D. Del., filed Apr. 13, 2015).

On June 20, 2016, the District of Delaware dismissed the above-listed actions without prejudice. *Acceleration Bay LLC v. Activision Blizzard, Inc. et al.*, Civ. Action Nos. 1:15-cv-00228-RGA (Dkt. No. 153), 1:15-cv-00282-RGA (Dkt. No. 147), 1:15-cv-00311-RGA (Dkt. No. 149) (D. Del. June 20, 2016).

B. <u>2016 California Actions (pending).</u>

On June 16, 2016, Petitioners filed the following actions in the Northern District of California for declaratory judgment of non-infringement of the six Asserted Patents¹, including the patent identified in the above-captioned proceeding: *Activision Blizzard, Inc. v. Acceleration Bay LLC*, Case No. 3:16-cv-

¹ Those patents are: U.S. Patent Nos. 6,701,344; 6,714,966; 6,732,147; 6,829,634; 6,910,069; and 6,920,497.

03375 (N.D Cal., filed June 16, 2016); *Electronic Arts Inc. v. Acceleration Bay LLC*, Case No.3:16-cv-03378 (N.D. Cal., filed June 16, 2016); and *Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. et al. v. Acceleration Bay LLC*, Case No. 4:16-cv-03377 (N.D. Cal., filed June 16, 2016).

C. <u>2016 Delaware Actions (pending).</u>

On June 17, 2016, Acceleration Bay filed the following actions against Petitioners in the District of Delaware asserting infringement of the six Asserted Patents, including the patent identified in the above-captioned proceeding: *Acceleration Bay LLC v. Activision Blizzard, Inc.*, Case No. 1:16-cv-00453 (D. Del., filed June 17, 2016); *Acceleration Bay LLC v. Electronic Arts Inc.*, Case No. 1:16-cv-00454 (D. Del., filed June 17, 2016); and *Acceleration Bay LLC v. Take-Two Interactive Software, Inc. et al.*, Case No. 1:16-cv-00455 (D. Del., filed June 17, 2016).

D. <u>Petitions for Inter Partes Review.</u>

Petitioners have filed petitions for *inter partes* review challenging all of the six Asserted Patents. The Board has instituted review of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,714,966 in IPR2015-01951 and -01953; and a petition challenging an- other claim of this patent is currently pending in IPR2016-00932. The Board has also instituted review of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,701,344 in IPR2015-01970 and -01972; and a petition challenging another claim of this

patent is currently pending in IPR2016-00931. The Board has also instituted review of certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,829,634 in IPR2015-01964 and 01996. A petition challenging additional claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,823,634 (IPR2016-00727) as well as petitions challenging certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,920,497(IPR2016-00724), U.S. Patent No. 6,910,069 (IPR2016-00726), and U.S. Patent No. 6,732,147 (IPR2016-00747) are currently pending.

A third party, Bungie, Inc., has also filed the following petitions, which are still pending, challenging certain claims of three of the six Asserted Patents: U.S. Patent No. 6,701,344 (IPR2016-00933, IPR2016-00934); U.S. Patent No. 6,714,966 (IPR2016-00935, IPR2016-00936); and U.S. Patent No. 6,829,634 (IPR2016-00963, IPR2016-00964). Dated: June 23, 2016

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that a copy of the foregoing **PETITIONER'S**

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C.F.R. § 42.8 was served on June 23, 2016 in its entirety by causing the

aforementioned document to be electronically mailed, pursuant to the parties'

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