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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ILLUMINA, INC., Petitioner,

v.

THE TRUSTEES OF COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK Patent Owner.

> Case IPR2018-00322 Patent 9,708,358

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PATENT OWNER'S MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.8

MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2), the mandatory notices identified in 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b) are provided below.

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

The Trustees of Columbia University in the City of New York ("Columbia") is the real party-in-interest for Patent Owner.

B. <u>Related Matters (37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2))</u>

Illumina, Inc. ("Illumina") has filed petitions for IPR of U.S. Patents Nos. 9,718,852, 9,719,139, and 9,725,480 ("the '852, '139, and '480 patents") owned by Columbia. The '852, '139, '358, and '480 patents were asserted against Illumina in *Trustees of Columbia Univ. v. Illumina, Inc.*, C.A. No. 17-cv-973-GMS (D. Del.).

Columbia previously asserted related U.S. Patents Nos. 7,790,869, 7,713,698, and 8,088,575 ("the '869, '698, and '575 patents") against Illumina in *Trustees of Columbia Univ. v. Illumina, Inc.*, C.A. No. 12-cv-376 (D. Del.). The '869, '698, and '575 patents were the subject of IPR2012-00007, IPR2012-00006, and IPR2013-00011, respectively. The Board held all challenged claims from the '869, '698, and '575 patents were unpatentable in those IPRs.

The Federal Circuit affirmed the Board's unpatentability determinations from IPR2012-00007, IPR2012-00006, and IPR2013-00011 in *Trustees of Columbia Univ. v. Illumina, Inc.*, 620 Fed. Appx. 916 (Fed. Cir. 2015).

Illumina raised counterclaims alleging infringement of U.S. Patents Nos. 7,057,026, 8,158,346, and 7,566,537 ("the '026, '346, and '537 patents") in *Trustees of Columbia Univ.*, C.A. No. 12-cv-376. Illumina's '026 and '346 patents were the subject of IPR2013-00128 and IPR2013-00266, respectively. The Board held all claims at issue in those IPRs unpatentable.

The Federal Circuit affirmed the Board's unpatentability determinations from IPR2013-00128 and IPR2013-00266 in *Illumina Cambridge Ltd. v. Intelligent Bio-Systems, Inc.*, 638 Fed. Appx. 999 (Fed. Cir. 2016).

Illumina's '537 patent was the subject of IPR2013-00517. The Board held all claims at issue in that IPR were not unpatentable.

The Federal Circuit affirmed the Board's determinations from IPR2013-00517 in *Intelligent Bio-Systems, Inc. v. Illumina Cambridge Ltd.*, 821 F.3d 1359 (Fed. Cir. 2016).

Illumina's '537 patent is currently the subject of two follow-on petitions filed on October 5, 2017 by Complete Genomics, Inc. in IPR2017-02172 and IPR2017-02174. Illumina's preliminary responses are due on January 23, 2018 in these two IPRs.

C. Lead and Back-up Counsel (37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3))

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D. Service Information (37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(4))

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing PATENT

OWNER'S MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.8 is

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