## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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ENERCORP SAND SOLUTIONS INC. Petitioner,

v.

SPECIALIZED DESANDERS INC.,
Patent Owner

Case IPR2018-01748 Patent No. 8,945,256

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PARTIES' JOINT REQUEST TO TREAT SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AS BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL AND TO KEEP SEPARATE

Pat. No. 8,945,256

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c), and the Board's

October 14, 2019 e-mail correspondence authorizing this request, Enercorp Sand

Solutions Inc. ("Petitioner") and Specialized Desanders Inc. ("Patent Owner")

(collectively, "the Parties") jointly request that true copies of the written settlement

agreement filed as Ex. 1015 be treated as business confidential information and be

kept separate from the files of U.S. Patents No. 8,945,256 and 9,861,921. These

exhibits are being submitted in the PTAB E2E system as "Parties and Board Only."

The Parties jointly request that this settlement agreement be made available only to

(i) Federal Government agencies on written request or (ii) to any person only on

showing of good cause, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c). In

the event that a third party submits a written request to the Board for a copy of the

settlement agreement along with a purported showing of good cause, due to the

highly sensitive nature of the agreement, the Parties would like to be notified of such

request and be given the opportunity to respond thereto.

Dated: October 16, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 16th day of October 2019, a copy of this Joint Request was served via e-mail to Patent Owner's counsel at the addresses below as authorized by Patent Owner pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.6(e) and 42.8(b)(4):

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