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### BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD., Petitioner,

v.

PROMOS TECHNOLOGIES, INC., Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2019-00779 Patent 6,163,492

### JOINT MOTION TO TERMINATE INTER PARTES REVIEW

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Pursuant to the Board's authorization by email dated June 12, 2020, Petitioner Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. and Patent Owner ProMOS Technologies, Inc. jointly request termination of *inter partes* review IPR2019-00779 pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.72.

Petitioner and Patent Owner have reached an agreement resolving the dispute in the above-captioned *inter partes* review and the Board has not yet decided the merits of the proceeding. Termination is thus proper. "There are strong public policy reasons to favor settlement between the parties to a proceeding. . . . The Board expects that a proceeding will terminate after the filing of a settlement agreement, unless the Board has already decided the merits of the proceeding." PTAB Consolidated Trial Practice Guide at 86 (November 2019).

As required under 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(b), filed herewith is a true copy of the Settlement and Patent License Agreement resolving the dispute in the above-captioned *inter partes* review and the related litigation. *See* Exhibit 2005. The parties also state that there are no other agreements, oral or written, between the parties made in connection with, or in contemplation of, the termination of this proceeding. Also attached is a copy of the Stipulation and Order of Dismissal of the related litigation in the United States District Court for the District of Delaware pursuant to the written Settlement and Patent License Agreement. *See* Exhibit 2006.

# **Conclusion**

The parties jointly request termination of IPR2019-00779.

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I hereby certify that on June 16, 2020, a true and correct copy of the foregoing *Joint Motion to Terminate Inter Partes Review* was served via email to the Petitioner by serving the correspondence email addresses of record as follows:

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