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# UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

GOOGLE LLC, LG ELECTRONICS INC., and LG ELECTRONICS U.S.A., INC., Petitioner,

v.

BOCCONE, LLC, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2020-00849 (Patent 10,027,727 B1) Case IPR2020-00850 (Patent 10,027,726 B1) Case IPR2020-00851 (Patent 10,019,136 B1)<sup>1</sup>

Before KEVIN F. TURNER, JEFFREY S. SMITH, and DAVID C. MCKONE, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

TURNER, Administrative Patent Judge.

JUDGMENT Granting Request for Adverse Judgment After Institution of Trial 37 C.F.R. § 42.73(b)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> This Order applies to each of the listed cases. We exercise our discretion to issue one Order to be docketed in each case. The parties, however, are not authorized to use this caption for any subsequent papers.

# IPR2020-00849; IPR2020-00850; IPR2020-00851 Patents 7,764,231 B1; 10,027,726 B1; 10,019,136 B1

Google LLC, LG Electronics Inc., and LG Electronics U.S.A., Inc. (collectively, "Petitioner") filed Petitions (Paper 2, each proceeding) to institute an *inter partes* review of claims 1–30 of each of the three listed U.S. Patents, namely Nos. 10,027,727 B1; 10,027,726 B1; and 10,019,136 B1 ("the subject patents"). We instituted an *inter partes* review of claims 1– 30 of each of the subject patents. *See* Paper 9, each proceeding.

On February 12, 2021, Boccone, LLC ("Patent Owner") notified the Board that it had filed statutory disclaimers under 37 C.F.R. § 1.321(a) of all claims at issue in these *inter partes* reviews, such that "Patent Owner has no claim remaining in the trials." *See* Ex. 3001. Copies of the disclaimers, as well as electronic acknowledgement receipts of their filings, may be found in Exhibit 3002.

A party may request adverse judgment against itself at any time. 37 C.F.R. § 42.73(b). Here, Patent Owner requests adverse judgment because no claims remain in the trial after Patent Owner's disclaimer of all the claims at issue in these proceedings. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.73(b)(2). We *grant* Patent Owner's requests and enter judgment against Patent Owner under 37 C.F.R. § 42.73(b) in all three proceedings.

#### ORDER

Accordingly, it is:

ORDERED that Patent Owner's request for adverse judgment is *granted*, and judgment is entered against Patent Owner under 37 C.F.R. § 42.73(b) with respect to claims 1–30 of each of U.S. Patents Nos. 10,027,727 B1; 10,027,726 B1; and 10,019,136 B1.

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