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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

VOLKSWAGEN GROUP OF AMERICA, INC., MERCEDES-BENZ USA, LLC, and FORD MOTOR COMPANY,¹ Petitioner,

v.

NEO WIRELESS, LLC, Patent Owner.

IPR2022-01539 Patent 10,965,512 B2

Before KALYAN K. DESHPANDE, Acting Deputy Chief Administrative Patent Judge.

PANEL CHANGE ORDER Conduct of the Proceedings 37 C.F.R. § 42.5

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¹ Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC filed a motion for joinder and a petition in IPR2023-00079, and Ford Motor Company filed its own motion for joinder and petition in IPR2023-00764. Both motions were granted, and, therefore, Mercedes-Benz USA, LLC and Ford Motor Company have been joined as petitioners in this proceeding.

The parties are notified that the panel has changed in the above-referenced proceeding. *See* PTAB Standard Operating Procedure 1, Rev. 15. Due to recusal, Administrative Patent Judge Jo-Anne M. Kokoski replaces Administrative Patent Judge Charles J. Boudreau on the panel.

Thus, Administrative Patent Judges Hyun J. Jung, Jo-Anne M. Kokoski, and Matthew S. Meyers now constitute the panel for consideration of all matters in this proceeding. *See* PTAB Standard Operating Procedure 1, Rev. 15. All prior decisions and orders remain in effect. The parties may contact the Board at Trials@uspto.gov if they have questions.

It is

ORDERED.

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