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Counsel,

From the Board –

The requested extensions are granted.

Regards,

Esther Goldschlager
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Dear Honorable Board,

The parties in IPR2023-00324, -00325, -00375, and -00376 jointly and respectfully request that the Board extend its April 27, 2023 deadline for filing a motion to terminate the proceedings and extend the Patent Owner Preliminary Response deadlines until May 12, 2023. The parties have fully executed a settlement and patent owner has moved to dismiss the district court case. The parties will jointly move to dismiss these IPRs as soon as the district court has granted the motion to dismiss the district court case.

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Counsel,

From the Board –

The parties are authorized to file a joint motion in each case to terminate the proceedings. Any agreement between the parties made in connection with the termination of the proceeding must be in writing and a true copy must be filed with the Board. 35 U.S.C. § 327(b); 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(b). The parties are also authorized to file a joint request to treat the settlement agreement as business confidential. 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c). To the extent the parties have not yet finalized their settlement agreement, they should do so before the motions are filed. We expect the parties to file their joint motions no later than April 27, 2023, which is the current due date of Patent Owner's preliminary responses.

Regards,

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IPR2023-00324, -00325, -00375, and -00376

Dear Honorable Board,

We represent Patent Owner Greenthread, LLC in IPR2023-00324, -00325, -00375, and -00376. We write to inform the Board that Patent Owner and Petitioner Sony Group Corporation are in the process of executing a release agreement, resolving their dispute as to the patents at issue in those IPRs. Accordingly, the parties request authorization to file a motion to terminate these IPR proceedings and, in addition, the parties will request to keep separate the confidential release agreement to be filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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