

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CROWDSTRIKE, INC.,

Petitioner,

v.

TAASERA LICENSING LLC,

Patent Owner.

Patent No. 7,673,137

Filing Date: January 3, 2003

Issue Date: March 2, 2010

Inventors: Thomas James Satterlee and William Frank Hackenberger
Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR THE MANAGED SECURITY
CONTROL OF PROCESSES ON A COMPUTER SYSTEM

**JOINT REQUEST TO TREAT AGREEMENT AS
BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

Case No. IPR2024-00027

LIST OF EXHIBITS

Exhibit No.	Description
2001	Confidential Settlement Agreement
2002	Confidential Release

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(a), 37 C.F.R. § 42.74, and the Board’s email of December 20, 2023, Petitioner CrowdStrike, Inc. (“CrowdStrike” or “Petitioner”) and Patent Owner Taasera Licensing LLC (“Taasera” or “Patent Owner”) (collectively, the “Parties”) have reached a resolution and jointly move to terminate the above-captioned proceeding. As permitted by statute, CrowdStrike and Taasera request that the Board treat as business confidential information, the true copy of the executed agreement resolving the Parties’ disputes and agreeing to terminate this proceeding and the Parties’ related district court proceeding (Exhibit 2001), and the related release agreement between the Parties (Exhibit 2002), as referenced in the Parties’ Joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding (pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317 and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74), filed concurrently herewith.

35 U.S.C. § 317(b) provides that:

At the request of a party to the proceeding, the agreement or understanding shall be treated as business confidential information, shall be kept separate from the file of the involved patents, and shall be made available only to Federal Government agencies on written request, or to any person on a showing of good cause.

Likewise, 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c) provides that:

A party to a settlement may request that the settlement be treated as business confidential information and be kept separate from the files of an involved patent or application. The request must be filed with the

settlement. If a timely request is filed, the settlement shall only be available:

- (1) To a Government agency on written request to the Board; or*
- (2) To any other person upon written request to the Board to make the settlement agreement available, along with the fee specified in § 42.15(d) and on a showing of good cause.*

The present request, which is being filed contemporaneously with the Agreement, is timely and in accordance with the foregoing authority. The agreement and release describe the confidential terms resolving the Parties' dispute, which constitute confidential information under the Board's rules. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.54. The Parties hereby certify that, to the best of their knowledge, the documents sought to be protected have not been made publicly available. Both Parties also respectfully request that the Board inform us if anyone seeks production of Exhibits 2001 or 2002 and afford the Parties an opportunity to address whether such request is supported by good cause.

Dated: December 21, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 42.6(e)(4), the undersigned certifies that on December 21, 2023, a complete and entire copy of this Joint Request to Treat Agreement as Business Confidential Information was served by email, to Petitioner's counsel of record as follows:

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