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**SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.**

**SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.**

**Petitioner,**

**v.**

**WARD PARTICIPATIONS B.V.**

**Patent Owner.**

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**Case PGR2022-00007**

**U.S. Patent No. 10,992,480**

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**MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2) OF  
PATENT OWNER WARD PARTICIPATIONS B.V.**

Patent Owner, WARD PARTICIPATIONS B.V., hereby files the following Updated Mandatory Notices. This update principally addresses the status of disputes (including 3<sup>rd</sup> party disputes) in other fora.

**I. 37 C.F.R. §42.8(b)(2) – Related Matters**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 42.8(b)(2), Patent Owner identifies the following judicial or administrative proceedings which would affect or be affected by a decision in this proceeding:

Case Heading	Number	Petitioner	Patent Owner	Status
IPR2022-0113	10,992,480	Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. and Samsung Electronics America, Inc.	Ward Participations B.V.	Pending
IPR2022-0114	11,063,766	Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. and Samsung Electronics America, Inc.	Ward Participations B.V.	Pending

This *Inter Partes* Review is related to the following co-pending litigation:

Case Heading	Number	Court	Filed	Status
Ward Participations B.V. v. Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. and Samsung Electronics America, Inc.	6-21-cv-00806	WDTX	August 4, 2021	Motion to Stay granted 06/01/2022 pending outcome of IPR proceeding
Ward Participations B.V. v. American Express Company	6-21-cv-01190	WDTX	November 16, 2021	Dismissed, 05/02/2022
Ward Participations B.V. v. Bank of America Corporation	6-21-cv-01191	WDTX	November 16, 2021	Motion to Stay granted 06/22/2022 pending outcome of IPR proceeding

Case Heading	Number	Court	Filed	Status
Ward Participations B.V. v. JP Morgan Chase Bank, National Association	6-21-cv-01193	WDTX	November 17, 2021	Motion to Stay granted 05/23/2022 pending outcome of IPR proceeding
Ward Participations B.V. v. Citigroup, Inc.	6-21-cv-01194	WDTX	November 17, 2021	Motion to Stay granted 05/23/2022 pending outcome of IPR proceeding
Ward Participations B.V. v. Wells Fargo & Company and Wells Fargo Bank, N.A.	6-21-cv-01195	WDTX	November 17, 2021	Motion to Stay granted 05/24/2022 pending outcome of IPR proceeding

Corresponding European Patent Application No. 04748654.3 was filed on June 14, 2004 claiming priority to International Application No. PCT/NL2003/000436 was filed on June 13, 2003 which issued as European Patent No. 1634140 on January 16, 2019. A European Opposition Proceeding was filed against the subject patent on October 16, 2019, by Samsung Electronics Benelux B.V. An Appeal following Opposition was filed on September 24, 2021, under Appeal No. T1741/21 which remains pending today.

European Patent No. 3229099 is a divisional of European Patent Application No. 04748654.3 filed June 14, 2004, and also claims priority to International Application No. PCT/NL2003/000436 filed on June 13, 2003, which issued as European Patent No. 3229099 on August 29, 2018. A European Opposition Proceeding was filed against the subject patent on May 29, 2019, by Samsung Electronics Benelux B.V. An Appeal following Opposition was filed on July 29, 2021, under European Appeal No. T1807/21 which remains pending today.

## II. 37 C.F.R. §42.8(b)(4) – Service Information

Patent Owner may be served through its counsel identified below. Patent Owner consent to electronic service pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 42(b)(4)(i).

Respectfully submitted

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. 42.6(e) and 37 C.F.R. 42.105 on November 30, 2022, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via email to the Petitioner as follows:

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