

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CRS ADVANCED TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Petitioner

v.

Patent of FRONTLINE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Patent Owner

Case CBM2012-00005

Patent 6,675,151

PATENT OWNER FRONTLINE TECHNOLOGIES, INC.'S
NOTICE OF APPEAL

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a), that Patent Owner Frontline Technologies, Inc. ("Frontline") hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision entered on January 21, 2014 (Paper 66), and from all underlying orders, decisions, rulings and opinions, including without limitation the Decision on Institution of Covered Business Method Review entered on January 23, 2013 (Paper 17) and the Order on Rehearing entered on February 19, 2013 (Paper 34).

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), Patent Owner Frontline further indicates that the issues on appeal include, but are not limited to, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's application and use of the broadest reasonable interpretation standard, claim construction, determination of unpatentability of claims 3, 6, 7, 16, 24, and 33 of Frontline's U.S. Patent No. 6,675,151 ("151 patent") under 35 U.S.C. § 101, determination that the '151 patent is a covered business method patent and is not a technological

invention, determination that CRS had standing to institute this proceeding, determination that 35 U.S.C. § 101 is a permissible basis for review, and any finding or determination supporting or related to those issues, as well as all other issues decided adversely to Patent Owner Frontline in any orders, decisions, rulings and opinions. Patent Owner Frontline also hereby appeals the United States Patent and Trademark Office exceeding its statutory authority through rulemaking, including without limitation by adopting Rule 37 C.F.R. 42.304(b)(2) and Rules of Practice, 77 Fed. Reg. 48,680, 48,684 (Aug. 14, 2012), expanding the ground for review to include 35 U.S.C. § 101, contrary to statutory requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 282(b)(2)-(3).

Simultaneous with submission of this original Notice of Appeal to the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, this Notice of Appeal is being filed with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board. In addition, three copies of this Notice of Appeal, along with the required docketing fees, are being filed with the Clerk's Office for the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that, in addition to being filed electronically through the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's PRPS System, the original version of the foregoing, PATENT OWNER FRONTLINE' S NOTICE OF APPEAL, was filed by hand on this 24th day of March, 2014, with the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, at the following address:

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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing, PATENT OWNER FRONTLINE'S NOTICE OF APPEAL, are being served, in accordance with the parties' electronic service agreement, by electronic mail on this 24th day of March, 2014, on the following counsel for the Petitioner:

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