

CBM2014-00108  
Patent 8,061,598

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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APPLE INC.,  
Petitioner

v.

SMARTFLASH LLC,  
Patent Owner

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Case CBM2014-00108<sup>1</sup>  
Patent 8,061,598

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Before the Honorable JENNIFER S. BISK, RAMA G. ELLURU, JEREMY M. PLENZLER, and MATTHEW R. CLEMENTS, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

**PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING**

Further to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), requiring a separate paper requesting oral hearing and specifying issues to be argued, Petitioner submits this Request for Oral Hearing on the instituted grounds of unpatentability for claim 26 (all of the instituted claims) of U.S. Patent No. 8,061,598 under 35 U.S.C. § 103 and associated issues. The Board has already scheduled the Oral Hearing for June 9, 2015 (Paper 15, p. 7).

Dated: May 19, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> Case CBM2014-00109 has been consolidated with the instant proceeding.

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