

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

GOOGLE INC. and APPLE INC.,
Petitioners,

v.

CONTENTGUARD HOLDINGS, INC.
Patent Owner

Case CBM 2015-00040¹

U.S. Patent 7,774,280

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Title: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MANAGING TRANSFER OF
RIGHTS USING SHARED STATE VARIABLES

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PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

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¹ Case CBM2015-00160 has been joined with this proceeding.

Pursuant to the Board's Scheduling Order entered June 24, 2015 (Paper 10), Patent Owner respectfully requests oral argument. Oral argument is currently scheduled for February 24, 2016. Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70, Patent Owner specifies, without intent to waive consideration of any issue not requested, the following issues to be argued:

1. Each ground of unpatentability that the Board instituted covered business method review on as to the challenged issued claims (Paper No. 9), the corresponding arguments raised in the Petition (Paper No. 1) and the Reply (Paper No. 21), and all arguments raised in Patent Owner's Response (Paper No. 15); and

2. Patent Owner's Contingent Motion to Amend and all arguments raised therein (Paper Nos. 16 and 25) and Petitioners' opposition to such Motion (Paper No. 22).

Patent Owner requests that the Board allow the parties one hour per side to address the issues.

Patent Owner requests the ability to use audiovisual equipment to display demonstrative exhibits, including the use of a projector and screen for PowerPoint display.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §42.6(e), the undersigned hereby certifies that a true copy of the foregoing PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT is being served on counsel for petitioners.

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