## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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COMPASS BANK, AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY, AMERICAN EXPRESS TRAVEL RELATED SERVICES COMPANY, INC., DISCOVER FINANCIAL SERVICES, DISCOVER BANK, DISCOVER PRODUCTS INC., AND STATE FARM MUTUAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE COMPANY

**Petitioners** 

v.

MAXIM INTEGRATED PRODUCTS, INC.,
Patent Owner

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Case CBM2015-00101 Patent 6,105,013

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DECLARATION OF NATHAN LOWENSTEIN IN SUPPORT OF PATENT OWNER MAXIM INTEGRATED PRODUCTS, INC.'S MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION OF NATHAN LOWENSTEIN UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)



- I, Nathan Lowenstein, declare as follows:
- 1. I am an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of California.
- 2. I am a member in good standing in all jurisdictions where I have been admitted to practice.
- 3. I have never been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body.
- 4. I have never had an application denied for admission to practice before any court or administrative body.
- 5. I have never had any sanctions or contempt citations imposed upon me by any court or administrative body.
- 6. I have read and will comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice

  Guide and the Board's Rules of Practice for Trials set forth in part 42

  of 37 C.F.R.
- 7. I agree to be subject to the U.S.P.T.O. Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et seq.* and disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a).
- 8. I plan to submit a declaration and application, concurrent with this application, to appear *pro hac vice* in the related matters CBM2015-00098 and CBM2015-00102.



- 9. I have applied to appear *pro hac vice* in two other proceedings before the U.S.P.T.O. in the last three years: IPR2015-00095 and IPR2015-00097. Those proceedings are not related to the proceeding that is the subject of this declaration.
- I am a partner at the law firm of Lowenstein & Weatherwax LLP.
   Formerly, I was an attorney at the law firm of Irell & Manella LLP.
- 11. I have practiced law in California for the past ten years, and the majority of my practice has consisted of patent litigation and other patent related matters. Representative patent litigations where I have been actively involved as patent litigation counsel include *Tessera*, *Inc. v. Micron Technology, Inc. et al.*, 2:05-cv-00094-JDL (E.D. Tex.); *St. Jude Medical, Inc., et al. v. Access Closure, Inc.*, 4:08-cv-04101 (W.D. Ark.); *Microprocessor Enhancement Corp. v. Texas Instruments Inc.*, 8:08-cv-01123 (C.D. Cal.); and *Quantum World Corp. v. Atmel Corp. et al.*, 2:07-cv-00024 (E.D. Tex.).
- 12. I have an established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in this proceeding. I have reviewed the Patent at issue, U.S. Patent No. 6,105,013, as well as two other related patents for which Petitioners have filed a Petition for *Covered Business Method* Review (U.S. Patent Nos. 5,940,510 and 6,237,095). I have also reviewed the

Maxim Integrated Products, Inc., Exhibit 2009 Compass Bank et al. v. Maxim, CBM2015-00101



Petitions and the relevant art in the three proceedings. In addition, I participated in drafting of the Patent Owner Preliminary Responses in all three proceedings and, am therefore, intimately familiar with the factual and legal issues in this matter.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code.

Nathan Lowenstein

Lowenstein & Weatherwax LLP

Date: October 13, 2015

