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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC.,

Petitioner,

v.

UNIVERSAL SECURE REGISTRY, LLC,

Patent Owner.

Case CBM2018-00024

U.S. Patent No. 8,577,813

PETITIONER'S NOTICE OF APPEAL



Case No. CBM2018-00024; Docket No. 1033300-00306US1 Petitioner's Notice of Appeal

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office c/o Office of the General Counsel P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22314-5793

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §§ 141-44 and 319, and 37 C.F.R. § 90.2-90.3, notice is hereby given that Petitioner Apple Inc. appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the "Termination Vacating Institution and Dismissing Proceeding" entered November 19, 2019 (Paper 47) in CBM2018-00024 (Exhibit A), and all prior and interlocutory rulings related thereto or subsumed therein.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), Petitioner further indicates that the issues on appeal include, but are not limited to, whether the Patent Trial and Appeal Board erred in determining that Petitioner had not established that the '813 patent is eligible for CBM review, in terminating the CBM proceeding without deciding the patent merits, and any finding or determination supporting or related to those issues, as well as all other issues decided adversely to Petitioner in any orders, decisions, rulings, and opinions.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 90.3, this Notice of Appeal is timely, having been duly filed within 63 days after the date of the November 19, 2019 decision, which—regardless of its caption—is or should be treated as a Final Written Decision.



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A copy of this Notice of Appeal is being filed simultaneously with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board, the Clerk's Office for the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, and the Director of the Patent and Trademark Office.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: January 17, 2020

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 90.2(a)(1) and 104.2(a), I hereby certify that, in addition to being filed electronically through the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's End to End (PTAB E2E), a true and correct original version of the foregoing Petitioner's Notice of Appeal is being filed by Express Mail (Express Mail Label 406057021) on this 17th day of January, 2020 with the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, at the following address:

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(2) and Federal Circuit Rule 15(a)(1), and Rule 52(a),(e), I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petitioner's Notice of Appeal is being filed in the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit using the Court's CM/ECF filing system on this 17th day of January, 2020, and the filing fee is being paid electronically using pay.gov.

I hereby certify that on January 17, 2020 I caused a true and correct copy of the Petitioner's Notice of Appeal to be served via e-mail on the following attorneys of record:



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