UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MICROSOFT CORPORATION Petitioner

v.

PROXYCONN, INC. Patent Owner

Case IPR2012-00026 Case IPR2013-00109 Patent 6,757,717 B1

PETITIONER MICROSOFT CORPORATION'S NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office c/o Office of the General Counsel Madison Building East, 10B20 600 Dulany Street Alexandria, VA 22314-5793

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a), that Petitioner Microsoft Corporation ("Microsoft") hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision entered on February 19, 2014 (Paper 73) (the "Final Written Decision").

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), Microsoft further indicates that the issue on appeal is the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's decision that Microsoft did not establish by a preponderance of the evidence that claim 24 is unpatentable and the findings supporting that ruling including, without limitation, its interpretation of the claim language (in claim 22) "searching for data with the same digital digest in said network cache memory."

Simultaneous with this submission, a copy of 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.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that, in addition to being filed electronically through the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's Patent Review Processing System (PRPS), the original version of the foregoing, Petitioner Microsoft Corporation's Notice of Appeal, was filed by Express Mail [Express Mail Label EV 628683310 US] on this 22nd day of April, 2014, with the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, at the following address:

> Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office c/o Office of the General Counsel United States Patent and Trademark Office P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

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I hereby certify that three (3) true and correct copies of the foregoing, Petitioner Microsoft Corporation's Notice of Appeal, were served by hand on this 22nd day of April, 2014, with the Clerk's Office of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, at the following address:

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The undersigned certifies that a true and correct copy of Petitioner Microsoft Corporation's Notice of Appeal was served via Federal Express on this 22nd day of April, 2014 on the following attorneys of record for the Patent Owner Proxyconn, Inc.

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