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APPARATUS FOR GATE-
LEVEL SIMULATION OF
SYNTHESIZED
REGISTER TRANSFER
LEVEL DESIGNS WITH
SOURCE-LEVEL
DEBUGGING

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**NOTICE OF STIPULATION TO SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT AND
PATENT OWNER'S UPDATE TO ITS MANDATORY NOTICES UNDER
37 C.F.R. § 42.8**

As permitted by the Scheduling Order entered in this trial on February 22, 2013, and following the conference call conducted with the Board on May 3, 2013, Petitioner and Patent Owner have stipulated to adjusted DUE DATES 1 – 3 as follows:

DUE DATE 1 June 21, 2013
DUE DATE 2 September 6, 2013
DUE DATE 3 September 26, 2013.

In the aforementioned conference call, scheduling issues were discussed in view of the lawsuit filed by the Patent Owner on April 29, 2013 against the Acting Under Secretary of Commerce and Director of the USPTO, Teresa Stanek Rea, under the Administrative Procedures Act (APA), Civil Action No. 1:13CV518 (E.D. Va.). As discussed in the conference call, this action seeks review of the Board's determination that 35 U.S.C. § 315(b) did not bar institution of this *inter partes* review. Formal notice is hereby given of this judicial matter "that would affect, or be affected by, a decision in the proceeding." 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies service on the Petitioner, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e) and agreement of counsel, by electronic (e-mail) delivery of a true copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF STIPULATION TO SCHEDULE ADJUSTMENT AND PATENT OWNER'S UPDATE TO ITS MANDATORY NOTICES UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.8 to counsel of record for Petitioner as follows:

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