

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MICROSOFT CORPORATION
Petitioner

v.

PROXYCONN, INC.
Patent Owner

Case IPR2013-00109 (TLG)
Patent 6,757,717 B1

THOMAS L. GIANNETTI, *Administrative Patent Judge.*

ORDER

On January 18, 2013, a telephone conference with Administrative Patent Judges Thomas L. Giannetti and Scott R. Boalick was held to discuss the status of the proceeding. Appearing for the Petitioner was John D. Vandenberg, Esq., and for the Respondent, Matthew J. Cutler, Esq.

Respondent's counsel advised the Administrative Patent Judges that pursuant to a stipulation Respondent did not oppose Petitioner's motion for joinder, should a trial be instituted, and in fact would encourage the joinder of this proceeding with Case IPR2012-00026, involving the same patent and the same parties.

Respondent's counsel further advised the Administrative Patent Judges that Respondent intends to waive the right to file a patent owner's preliminary response to the petition.

The Administrative Patent Judges expressed appreciation for the cooperation the parties have shown in these proceedings.

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