

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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GAME SHOW NETWORK, LLC and WORLDWINNER.COM, INC.  
Petitioners

v.

JOHN H. STEPHENSON  
Patent Owner

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Case IPR2013-00289  
Patent 6,174,237

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Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, KEVIN F. TURNER, and  
BENJAMIN D. M. WOOD, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

MEDLEY, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER  
Conduct of the Proceeding  
*37 C.F.R. § 42.5*

On February 14, 2014, a conference call was held between counsel for the  
respective parties and Judges Medley, Turner, and Wood.

On February 10, 2014, Patent Owner filed an *ex parte* reexamination,

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control no. 90/013,148, seeking reexamination of the involved '237 patent. The purpose of the conference call was for Petitioner to seek authorization to file a motion to terminate, or alternatively stay, the *ex parte* reexamination proceeding currently pending before the Office.

Upon consideration, the Board authorizes Petitioner to file a motion to terminate, or alternatively stay, the *ex parte* reexamination proceeding.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that Petitioner is authorized to file a motion to terminate, or to alternatively stay, the *ex parte* reexamination proceeding currently pending before the Office;

FURTHER ORDERED that the motion is due February 21, 2014; and

FURTHER ORDERED that no opposition is authorized at this time.

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