UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MEDTRONIC, INC., MEDTRONIC VASCULAR, INC., AND MEDTRONIC COREVALVE, LLC, Petitioner,

v.

TROY R. NORRED, M.D., Patent Owner.

Cases IPR2014-00110 and IPR2014-00111<sup>1</sup> Patent 6,482,228 B1

Before SHERIDAN K. SNEDDEN, BARRY L. GROSSMAN, and MITCHELL G. WEATHERLY, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

WEATHERLY, Administrative Patent Judge.

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

A conference call was conducted on July 25, 2014, during which counsel for Petitioner and Patent Owner appeared before Judges Weatherly and Grossman. On July 17, 2014, Patent Owner filed a Motion to Amend in IPR2014-00110 ('110 Paper 16) and a Motion to Amend filed in IPR2014-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> We use this caption in this paper to indicate that this Order is to be entered in both trials. Nevertheless, the parties are not authorized to use this caption.

00111 ('111 Paper 16). Both of these motions were 30 pages long, which far exceeds the 15-page limit set forth in 37 C.F.R. 42.24(a)(1)(v).

Patent Owner now seeks permission to file substitute Motions to Amend that comply with the 15-page limit for such motions. Patent Owner represented that it served and Petitioner confirmed that it received copies of proposed substitute motions to amend on July 22. Petitioner does not object to the filing of those proposed substitute motions to amend. Furthermore, both parties agree that the originally filed motions to amend should be expunged.

## ORDER

For the reasons given, it is:

ORDERED that the Motion to Amend in IPR2014-00110 ('110 Paper 16) and the Motion to Amend filed in IPR2014-00111 ('111 Paper 16) shall be expunged from the record in each proceeding.

FURTHER ORDERED that, on or before August 1, 2014, the Patent Owner is authorized to file as substitute motions to amend the proposed substitute motions to amend that it served on Petitioner on July 22, 2014. Cases IPR2014-00110 and IPR2014-00111 Patent 6,482,228 B1

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