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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

NISSAN NORTH AMERICA, INC., FORD MOTOR COMPANY, AMERICAN HONDA MOTOR CO., INC., JAGUAR LAND ROVER NORTH AMERICA LLC, SUBARU OF AMERICA INC., TOYOTA MOTOR NORTH AMERICA, INC., AND VOLVO CARS OF NORTH AMERICA LLC, Petitioner

V.

CRUISE CONTROL TECHNOLOGIES LLC, Patent Owner

CASE IPR: 2014-00291 Patent 6,324,463

JOINT MOTION TO TERMINATE THE *INTER PARTES* REVIEW WITH RESPECT TO NISSAN NORTH AMERICA, INC.

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Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.72, Patent Owner and Nissan North America, Inc. ("Nissan") jointly request termination of *Inter Partes* Review Case No. IPR2014-00291 with respect to Nissan.

Patent Owner and Nissan respectfully submit that termination is appropriate because they have reached an agreement resolving the dispute involving the patent at issue in the above-captioned *Inter Partes* Review, it is prior to full briefing on the issues raised in the above-captioned *Inter Partes* Review, and the Board has not issued a final written decision. Further, Nissan represents that it will no longer participate even if the Board does not terminate its participation in the above-captioned *Inter Partes* Review. That means Nissan will file no further papers. It also will not be conducting any further cross examination of Patent Owner's witnesses and will not be participating in any oral argument.

As required under 35 U.S.C. §317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.72(b), filed herewith is a true copy of the written Confidential Settlement Agreement resolving the dispute in the above-captioned *Inter Partes* Review and the related litigation. *See* Confidential Exhibit 1011.

Also attached as Exhibit A to the written Settlement Agreement is a copy of the Stipulated Motion for Dismissal With Prejudice of the action in the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Michigan. Exhibit 1012, which is being filed concurrently with this Joint Motion, includes the executed Stipulated Motion for Dismissal With Prejudice and the resulting Order.

Patent Owner and Nissan are concurrently filing a Joint Request that the Settlement Agreement, Confidential Exhibit 1011, shall be treated as business confidential information, shall be kept separate from the file of the involved patents, and shall be made available only to Federal Government agencies on written request, or to any person on a showing of good cause pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. §42.74(c).

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the JOINT MOTION TO TERMINATE THE INTER PARTES REVIEW WITH RESPECT TO NISSAN NORTH AMERICA, INC. was served on the counsel of record for the Patent Owner by filing this document through the Patent Review Processing System as well as by delivering a copy via electronic mail on December 23, 2014, upon the following:

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