

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

GOOGLE INC., SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.,
and SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.,
Petitioner,

v.

MICROGRAFX, LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2014-00532 (Patent 5,959,633)
Case IPR2014-00533 (Patent 6,057,854)
Case IPR2014-00534 (Patent 6,552,732 B1)¹

Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, RICHARD E. RICE, and
BARBARA A. PARVIS, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

MEDLEY, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Conduct of the Proceeding
37 C.F.R. § 42.5(c)(1)

¹ We exercise our discretion to issue one Order to be filed in each case. The parties are not authorized to use this style heading for any subsequent papers.

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On March 25, 2015, a conference call was held involving counsel for the respective parties and Judges Medley, Rice, and Parvis. Patent Owner initiated the call to seek authorization to file a surreply in each of the proceedings. In particular, Patent Owner seeks leave to respond to arguments made in Petitioner's Reply (Paper 25 at 1)² that Patent Owner is not related to original patentee.

Based on the discussion, the parties proposed allowing Patent Owner an opportunity to respond to Petitioner's allegations during any hearing held. Provided a hearing is requested and granted, Patent Owner briefly may respond during the hearing to arguments made in Petitioner's Reply that Patent Owner is not related to original patentee. Patent Owner, however, is not permitted to present evidence not already of record in the files of these proceedings in support of the response.

It is

ORDERED that Patent Owner is not authorized to file a surreply; and
FURTHER ORDERED that provided a hearing is requested and granted, Patent Owner is authorized to briefly respond during the hearing to arguments made in Petitioner's Reply that Patent Owner is not related to original patentee; however, Patent Owner is not permitted to present evidence not already of record in the files of these proceedings in support of the response.

² Citations are to IPR2014-00532.

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