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COMPONENTS, INC., TOSHIBA AMERICA INC., TOSHIBA
AMERICA INFORMATION SYSTEMS, INC.,
TOSHIBA CORPORATION, and
THE GILLETTE COMPANY,
Petitioner,

v.

ZOND, LLC, Patent Owner

Patent 7,604,716 B2

IPR Case Nos. IPR2014-00807, 00808, 01099, 01100

SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF UWE KORTSHAGEN PH.D. ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER



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Dependent claims 4 and 5: Wang Discloses Application of a Constant Power and a Constant Voltage
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Dependent claims 7 and 21: Wang Discloses Application of Power for a Duration that is Sufficient to Generate a Quasi-static Electric Field
Dependent Claims 16, 17, and 30: Wang in light of Kudryavtsev Discloses the Selection of at Least One of a Rise Time and Magnitude of the Pulse or Electric Field to Increase the Density/Ionization Rate of the Plasma
Dependent Claims 28 and 29: Wang in light of Kudryavtsev Discloses the Selection of a Cathode-Anode Gap to Increase the Ionization Rate
Dependent Claims 22-24: A person of Ordinary Skill in the Art Would be Motivated to Combine Wang, Kudryavtsev, and Mozgrin to Achieve the Claimed System Characteristics
Dependent Claims 12, 19, and 20: Wang in view of Lantsman discloses gas lines that supply feed gas to strongly-ionized plasma that transports the plasma via rapid volume exchange and allows additional power absorption by the strongly-ionized plasma72



- I, Uwe Kortshagen, declare as follows:
 - 1. My name is Uwe Kortshagen.
- 2. My background is detailed in my declarations submitted with the original Petition for *Inter Partes* Review in Case Nos. IPR2014-00807, 00808, 01099, and 01100.
- 3. I have reviewed the following publications in preparing this declaration:
 - U.S. Patent No. 7,604,716 (the "'716 Patent" (Ex. 1001, 1101, 1201, 1301))
 - D.V. Mozgrin, et al, <u>High-Current Low-Pressure Quasi-Stationary</u>
 <u>Discharge in a Magnetic Field: Experimental Research</u>, Plasma Physics
 Reports, Vol. 21, No. 5, pp. 400-409, 1995 ("Mozgrin" (Ex. 1003, 1103, 1203, 1303)).
 - A. A. Kudryavtsev *et al*, <u>Ionization relaxation in a plasma produced by a pulsed inert-gas discharge</u>, Sov. Phys. Tech. Phys. 28(1), pp. 30-35, January 1983 ("Kudryavtsev" (Ex. 1205, 1305)).
 - U.S. Pat. No. 6,413,382 ("Wang" (Ex. 1004,1104, 1204, 1304)), including
 U.S. Pat. No. 6,306,265 ("Fu" (Ex. 1010, 1319)) and U.S. Pat. No.
 6,398,929 ("Chiang" (Ex. 2008)) both of which Wang incorporates by
 reference.
 - U.S. Pat. No. 6,190,512 ("Lantsman" (Ex. 1105, 1306)).



- 4. Also, I have reviewed papers in the *Inter Partes* Review Case Nos. IPR2014-00807, 00808, 01099, and 01100 including the Petitions and my accompanying Declarations. As discussed below, I agree with my conclusions as stated in those Declarations. Further, I have reviewed the Board's Institution Decisions, Patent Owner's Responses, the accompanying Declaration of Larry D. Hartsough, Ph.D. ("Hartsough Decl.," Ex. 2004), and various transcripts from the depositions of Larry D. Hartsough, Ph.D. in a variety of *Inter Partes* review proceedings challenging this and other Zond patents.
- 5. I have read and understood each of the above material and any other publication cited in this declaration. As I stated previously, the disclosure of each of these publications provides sufficient information for someone to make and use the plasma generation and sputtering processes that are described in the above publications.
- 6. I have considered certain issues from the perspective of a person of ordinary skill in the art as described below at the time the '716 Patent application was filed. In my opinion, a person of ordinary skill in the art for the '716 Patent would have found the '716 Patent invalid.
- 7. I have been retained by Petitioner as an expert in the field of plasma technology. I am working as an independent consultant in this matter on behalf of Petitioner and am being compensated at my normal consulting rate of \$450/hour



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