

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

HTC CORPORATION, HTC AMERICA, INC.,
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS LTD., and
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

E-WATCH, INC. and E-WATCH CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

IPR2014-00987 (Patent 7,365,871 B2)¹
IPR2014-00989 (Patent 7,643,168 B2)^{2,3}

Before JAMESON LEE, GREGG I. ANDERSON, and
MATTHEW R. CLEMENTS, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

CLEMENTS, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Trial Hearing
35 U.S.C. § 326(a)(10)

¹ Case IPR2015-00541 has been joined with this proceeding.

² Case IPR2015-00543 has been joined with this proceeding.

³ This order addresses an issue that is identical in both cases. Therefore, we exercise discretion to issue one order to be filed in each of the two cases. The parties, however, are not authorized to use this style heading.

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The Scheduling Orders for these cases set the date for oral hearing on June 30, 2015, if a hearing is requested by the parties and granted by the Board. Paper 7.⁴ Patent Owner requested a hearing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) (Paper 23), but later withdrew that request (Paper 26). Petitioner submits that a hearing is not necessary, but requests participation in a hearing if we grant Patent Owner's request. Paper 25.

Order

It is

ORDERED that there will be no oral argument, and Due Date 7 in the Scheduling Order (Paper 7) no longer applies.

⁴ Citations are to IPR2014-00987 unless otherwise noted.

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