Case 8:12-cv-00329-AG-JPR Document 502-2 Filed 03/24/15 Page 1 of 13 Page ID #:24918 Peter H. Kang, SBN 158101 1 pkang@sidley.com SIDLEY AUSTIN LLP 2 1001 Page Mill Road, Building 1 Palo Alto, California 94304 3 Tel: (650) 565-7000 4 Fax: (650) 565-7100 ADDITIONAL COUNSEL LISTED 5 ON SIGNATURE PAGE 6 Attorneys for Defendant UNIVERSAL REMOTE CONTROL, INC. 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 9 SOUTHERN DIVISION 10 11 UNIVERSAL ELECTRONICS, INC., Case No. 8:12-CV-00329 AG (JPRx) 12 Plaintiff and Counterclaim-Assigned to: Hon. Andrew J. Guilford Defendant, 13 DECLARATION OF PETER H. KANG IN SUPPORT OF 14 v. DEFENDANT UNIVERSAL UNIVERSAL REMOTE CONTROL, REMOTE CONTROL, INC.'S 15 INC., SUPPLEMENTAL SUBMISSION **RE: AWARD OF ATTORNEYS'** 16 **FEES** Defendant and Counterclaimant. 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28



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- 1. I am a partner at Sidley Austin LLP ("Sidley"), one of the law firms representing Defendant Universal Remote Control, Inc. ("URC") in the above-captioned matter. I submit this declaration in support of URC's Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Sanctions against Plaintiff Universal Electronics Inc. ("UEI") and its counsel of record. The statements made in this declaration are based on my own personal knowledge or records regularly maintained in the ordinary course of Sidley's business, and if sworn as a witness I could testify competently thereto.
- 2. Sidley was founded in 1866 in Chicago and established a strong and highly regarded practice representing corporate America in litigation, regulatory, corporate, and general banking areas. Sidley has over 100 lawyers actively involved in patent litigation. Our Intellectual Property practice and, in particular, our Patent Litigation practice have been consistently ranked among the top in the country. For example, Chambers USA recognized the firm with the 2014 national "Team of the Year" designation in the Intellectual Property category. Sidley's patent trial lawyers have successfully represented many of the largest high technology clients to verdict in some of the most hotly contested patent cases in federal courts nationwide.
  - 3. Sidley was retained to represent URC in this matter in November 2013.
- 4. I was lead trial counsel for URC in this matter and responsible for overseeing the Sidley team of attorneys and employees representing URC in this matter.
- 5. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a table that provides a breakdown of the total legal fees and expenses charged to URC in this matter during specific time periods by Sidley and the other law firms representing URC in this matter, Ostrolenk Faber LLP ("Ostrolenk"), Christie, Parker & Hale LLP ("CPH"), and Tucker Ellis LLP ("Tucker"). The information in this table was derived, for Sidley, from the invoices attached hereto as Exhibits 2 to 16; for Ostrolenk, the invoices attached to the Miro

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Declaration as Exhibits 1 to 36; and, for CPH and Tucker, the invoices attached to the Brookey Declaration as Exhibits 1 to 2.

6. Exhibit 1 reflects two different methodologies used to apportion fees and expenses that were "attributable to the '426 and '067 Patents, and the motion for reconsideration regarding the '367 Patent," as the Court required: (1) an "issue"-based approach in which a percentage of the fees and expenses is derived based on, for certain specified time periods, the percentage of litigation issues associated with the '426 and '067 patents and the motion for reconsideration regarding the '367 patent; and (2) a "patent"-based approach in which a percentage of the fees and expenses is derived based on, for the same time periods, the percentage of patents that were the subject of the litigation that were the '426 and '067 patents (and, for the time period regarding the motion for reconsideration, the '367 patent). This is illustrated in the chart below:

Time Period		Patents and Issues	Patent %	Issue %
Complaint to Markman Order	'367:	Non-infringement (claim	2/4	16/25
		coverage), invalidity (prior art),	or	or
(3/2/12 to 2/1/13)	,0.67	laches (3)	50%	64%
	7067:	Non-infringement (claim coverage), invalidity (prior art),		
		laches/estoppel, unclean hands,		
		patent misuse, marking,		
		damages (7)		
	'426:	Non-infringement (claim		
		coverage), invalidity (prior art), invalidity (inventorship), license,		
		laches/estoppel/res judicata,		
		unclean hands, patent misuse,		
		marking, damages (9)		
	'906:	Non-infringement (claim		
		coverage), non-infringement		
		(non-use), invalidity (prior art),		
		unclean hands, patent misuse,		
		damages (6)		

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l	Time Period		Patents and Issues	Patent %	Issue %
	Motion for Reconsideration (Segregated Out) (2/1/13 to 5/14/13)	'367:	No separate apportionment necessary	100%	100%
	Markman Order to Summary Judgment Order (Excluding Motion for Reconsideration) (2/1/13 to 3/24/14)	'067: '426: '906:	Non-infringement (claim coverage), invalidity (prior art), laches/estoppel, unclean hands, patent misuse, marking, damages (7)  Non-infringement (claim coverage), invalidity (prior art), invalidity (inventorship), license, laches/estoppel/res judicata, unclean hands, patent misuse, marking, damages (9)  Non-infringement (claim coverage), non-infringement (non-use), invalidity (prior art), unclean hands, patent misuse, damages (6)	2/3 or 66%	16/22 or 73%
	Summary Judgment Order to Jury Verdict (3/24/14 to 5/21/14)	'426: '906:	invalidity (inventorship), laches/estoppel/res judicata, unclean hands, patent misuse (4) Non-infringement (claim coverage), non-infringement (non-use), invalidity (prior art), unclean hands, patent misuse, damages (6)	1/2 or 50%	4/10 or 40%
	Post-Trial Briefing on Equitable Issues, Motion for	'426:	No separate apportionment necessary for briefing on equitable issues	100%	100%



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	Time Period	Patents and Issues	Patent %	Issue %
	Attorneys' Fees,			
l	Bill of Costs	Apportionment not otherwise		
	(5/21/14 to	applicable. <sup>1</sup>		
	Present)			
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- 7. The total amount of fees and expenses for each period were calculated based on the law firms' invoices. These totals exclude certain fees and expenses that have been redacted from the attached invoices based on their subject matter and that are not presently being claimed. The calculation of total fees and expenses from Tucker Ellis takes into account a 20% discount. The 20% discount does not appear on the Tucker Ellis invoices but does appear on the Ostrolenk Faber invoices that bill URC for Tucker Ellis' services as "Charges of Associate counsel" under Disbursements.
- 8. Where a period began/ended in the middle of a month, expenses were generally split on a daily pro rata basis. There are two exceptions to the pro rata approach—expenses were individually shifted into their corresponding periods for the Motion for Reconsideration and for trial.
- 9. The amount of fees and expenses for the Motion for Reconsideration were derived from time entries and expenses devoted exclusively to the motion for reconsideration. The expenses for these periods are expenses for travel associated with the hearing for the Motion for Reconsideration that appear on Ostrolenk Invoices 00004231-00000-145 RCF and 00004231-00000-150 RCF. The 2/1/13 - 3/24/14 period numbers were reached by summing all fees and expenses for that period, and



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As set forth herein, URC seeks to be compensated for its attorneys' fees and expenses incurred in connection with its Motion for Attorneys' Fees and its Bill of Costs. The work performed on these matters was not patent-specific and has not been apportioned.

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