

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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ZTE CORPORATION and ZTE (USA) INC.  
Petitioner

v.

CONTENTGUARD HOLDINGS INC.  
Patent Owner

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Case IPR2013-00133  
Patent 7,523,072

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LEE, *Administrative Patent Judge.*

ORDER  
Trial Hearing  
*35 U.S.C. § 316(a)(10)*

A telephone conference was held on February 25, 2014. The participants were respective counsel for the parties and Judge Lee. The subject matter of discussion was the overlap between claim construction issues and certain prior art in this proceeding and in IPR2013-00137, IPR2013-00138, and IPR2013-00139.

At the suggestion of the Board, the parties agreed to conduct the final hearing in all four proceedings as a single consolidated hearing, even though four

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separate sessions have been scheduled, one for each proceeding, such that any representation made by counsel at the consolidated hearing is applicable to and useable in all proceedings which have underlying basis for the representation. However, any representation unique to each proceeding may be presented only during a session corresponding to that representation.

As is currently scheduled, the session scheduled for 10:00 AM on February 26, 2014, corresponds to IPR2013-00133; the session scheduled for 2:00 PM on February 26, 2014, corresponds to IPR2013-00139; the session scheduled for 10:00 AM on February 27, 2014, corresponds to IPR2013-00138; and the session scheduled for 2:00 PM on February 27, 2014, corresponds to IPR2013-00137.

It is

ORDERED that a consolidated final oral hearing will be conducted for IPR2013-00133, IPR2013-00137, IPR2013-00138, and IPR2013-00139, as outlined above.

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