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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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LG ELECTRONICS, INC., LG ELECTRONICS U.S.A., INC., and LG ELECTRONICS MOBILECOMM U.S.A, INC. Petitioners,

**V** .

CYPRESS SEMICONDUCTOR CORP.,
Patent Owner

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Case IPR2014-01343 Patent 8,519,973 B1

Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, PATRICK M. BOUCHER, and KEVIN W. CHERRY, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

JOINT MOTION TO TERMINATE PROCEEDINGS PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. § 317



Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(a) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.72, Petitioners LG Electronics, Inc., LG Electronics U.S.A., Inc., and LG Electronics Mobilecomm U.S.A, Inc. ("LG") and Patent Owner Cypress Semiconductor Corp. ("Cypress"), jointly request termination of *Inter Partes Review* Case No. IPR2014-01343, which is directed to U.S. Patent No. 8,519,973 B1 ("the '973 Patent").

LG's petition for this *inter partes review* was filed on August 20, 2014. The Office instituted review on February 9, 2015. Cypress' Response was filed on May 12, 2015. No decision on the merits has yet issued. The parties have reached agreement to terminate this *inter partes review*. A copy of the agreement is attached as Exhibit 2021, and a joint motion to file the agreement as business confidential information is being filed concurrently herewith.

Termination is proper under 35 U.S.C. § 317(a) because the parties are jointly requesting termination and the Office has not yet issued a decision on the merits in this matter. Accordingly, the parties are entitled to terminate this proceeding under Section 317(a) upon their joint request.

The '973 Patent is the subject of the following pending litigation: *Cypress Semiconductor Corp. v. LG Electronics, Inc.*, Case No. 4:13-cv-04034 (N.D. Cal. Aug. 29, 2013). The Parties filed a F.R.C.P. Rule 41 Stipulation to Dismiss the litigation, and the Court issued an order on July 28, 2015 dismissing Cypress's claims with prejudice and LG's counterclaims without prejudice. The '973 Patent



was previously the subject of *Cypress Semiconductor Corp. v. BlackBerry Ltd.*, Case No. 5:13-cv-04183 (N.D. Cal. Sept. 10, 2013), which was dismissed without prejudice on September 25, 2014.

The parties jointly request termination of IPR2014-01373.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 42.6(e)(4) and 42.105(b), the undersigned certifies that on July 31, 2015, a complete and entire copy of this JOINT MOTION TO TERMINATE PROCEEDINGS PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. § 317 was provided via email to the Petitioner by serving the correspondence email address of record as follows:

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