UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

RF CONTROLS, LLC, Petitioner

V.

A-1 PACKAGING SOLUTIONS, INC.,
Patent Owner

Patent 8,690,057 Issue Date: April 8, 2014

Title: RADIO FREQUENCY IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM FOR TRACKING AND MANAGING MATERIALS IN A MANUFACTURING PROCESS

Cases: IPR2014-01536 IPR2015-00119

PATENT OWNER NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT



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On March 30, 2015, the Board issued an order (Paper 11) setting November 16, 2015, as Due Date 4, the date by which the parties may request an oral argument. Pursuant to that order, Patent Owner previously filed a request for an oral argument on November 16, 2015.

In the email correspondence of December 1, 2015, the Board requested that Petitioner indicate whether it plans to attend the oral hearing. The parties discussed the matter over the phone on December 2, 2015, and agreed that an oral argument would likely be unnecessary. This conversation was also summarized in Petitioner's email correspondence to the Board on December 3, 2015.

In light of this, the Board has requested Patent Owner to file a notice of withdrawal of its request for an oral hearing for consolidated cases IPR2014-01536 and IPR2015-00119. Patent Owner respectfully submits this notice to withdraw the previous request for an oral argument, thereby complying with the Board's request.

The Patent Trial and Appeal Board is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with consolidated Inter Partes Review Nos. 2014-01536 and IPR2015-00119 of U.S. Patent No. 8,690,057 to Deposit Account No. 13-2855, under Order No. 31440/10014.



Respectfully submitted,

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6 and agreement of the parties, I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing PATENT OWNER NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT, was served on the date indicated below, by electronic mail upon the following:

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