

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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SHARP CORPORATION, SHARP ELECTRONICS CORPORATION, and  
SHARP ELECTRONICS MANUFACTURING  
COMPANY OF AMERICA,  
Petitioner,

v.

SURPASS TECH INNOVATION LLC,  
Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2015-00021  
Patent 7,202,843 B2

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Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, BRYAN F. MOORE, and  
BETH Z. SHAW, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

MEDLEY, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

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

Both parties request a hearing in this case pursuant to 37 C.F.R.  
§ 42.70. The requests are *granted*.

Each party will have thirty (30) minutes total time to present

arguments for the case. Petitioner will proceed first to present its case with respect to the challenged claims and grounds for which the Board instituted trial for all cases. Thereafter, Patent Owner will respond to Petitioner's presentation for all cases. Petitioner may reserve rebuttal time to respond to Patent Owner's presentation with respect to all cases.

The hearing will commence at 10:00 AM Eastern Time, on December 1, 2015, and it will be open to the public for in-person attendance, on the ninth floor of Madison Building East, 600 Dulany Street, Alexandria, Virginia. In-person attendance will be accommodated on a first-come first-served basis. The Board will provide a court reporter for the hearing and the reporter's transcript will constitute the official record of the hearing.

Under 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(b), demonstrative exhibits must be served five business days prior to the hearing. They shall be filed at the Board two business days prior to the hearing, and the parties must initiate a conference call with the Board by two business days prior to the hearing to resolve any dispute over the propriety of each party's demonstrative exhibits. Any dispute over the propriety of demonstrative exhibits that is not timely presented two business days prior to the hearing will be considered waived. The parties are directed to *CBS Interactive Inc. v. Helferich Patent Licensing, LLC*, IPR2013-00033, Paper 118 (October 23, 2013), regarding the appropriate content of demonstrative exhibits.

Questions regarding specific audio-visual equipment should be directed to the Board at (571) 272-9797. Requests for audio-visual equipment are to be made 5 days in advance of the hearing date. The request is to be sent to [Trials@uspto.gov](mailto:Trials@uspto.gov). If the request is not received timely, the equipment may not be available on the day of the hearing.

The parties are reminded that the presenter must identify clearly and specifically each demonstrative exhibit (e.g., by slide or screen number) referenced during the hearing to ensure the clarity and accuracy of the reporter's transcript.

The Board expects lead counsel for each party to be present at the hearing, although any backup counsel may make the actual presentation, in whole or in part. If any lead counsel will not be in attendance at the hearing, the Board should be notified via a joint telephone conference call no later than two days prior to the hearing to discuss the matter.

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