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v.

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**DECLARATION OF MARK N. HORENSTEIN, PH.D., P.E.**

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## I. Introduction & Qualifications

I, Mark N. Horenstein, declare as follows:

1. I understand that Microsoft Corporation (“Microsoft”) and Microsoft Mobile Inc. (“Microsoft Mobile”) are petitioning the Patent Office for an *inter partes* review of claims 1-4, 14, 16, 17, 19, 22-24, 26, 27, and 38-40 of U.S. Patent No. 8,288,952 (“’952 patent”). I have been retained by the Petitioners, Microsoft and Microsoft Mobile, to offer technical opinions relating to the ’952 patent and certain prior-art references relating to its subject matter. I understand that an *inter partes* (“between the parties”) review begins with a petition for review made by third parties like Microsoft and Microsoft Mobile and responded to by the owner of the patent.

2. I am a Professor of Electrical Engineering in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering at Boston University, where I have been a faculty member since 1979. I also have held various other positions at Boston University, including the Associate Dean for Graduate Programs and Research for the College of Engineering (1999-2007), Associate Chair for Undergraduate Programs for the ECE Department (1990 – 1998 and 2012 – present), as well as appointments at the rank of Associate Professor (1985-2000) and Assistant Professor (1979-1985).

3. I have a Ph.D. in Electrical Engineering from the Massachusetts

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