IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PRONG, INC. Petitioner

Inter Partes Review

v.

Case No. IPR2015-01317 U.S. Patent No. 8,712,486

YEOSHUA SORIAS
Patent Owner

AFFIDAVIT OF Redacted

Redacted , being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- I am the Owner of Redacted , an established distributor and reseller of mobile electronic devices and accessories, which I have owned since Redacted . Redacted primary place of business is located at Redacted , Redacted .
- 2. I am submitting this affidavit at the request of Yeoshua Sorias and Zilicon Accessories, LLC ("Zilicon") for use in a pending *Inter Partes* Review which I understand to involve Mr. Sorias' patent, U.S. Patent No. 8,712,486 (the "486 Patent"). I am not a party to the *Inter Partes* Review. I am familiar with the facts and events detailed herein, and I make these statements from my personal knowledge.
- 3. Redacted has entered into an agreement (the "Agreement") to be the exclusive distributor in Mexico, Panama, Peru, Ecuador, Brazil, and countries located within the European Union (the "Redacted Territory") for Zilicon's "Squirl" brand cellular phone battery-charging cases that incorporate the innovative technology described in the '486 Patent. My understanding is that Zilicon has exclusive manufacturing and distribution rights under the '486 Patent. The Agreement was executed on March 10, 2016.
- 4. Redacted rights under the Agreement are subject to performance quotas, including a commitment by Redacted to issue to Zilicon a bona fide purchase order (with corresponding payments) for no less than 10,000 units of the product within 90 days of execution of the Agreement. Redacted imilarly committed in the Agreement to purchase no fewer than 100,000 units of the product from Zilicon on an annual basis.



- 5. Redacted interest in the Squirl charger-case stems from the unique technology embodied in the Squirl charger-case—namely, the integration of a charger and A/C prongs that fold flat against a relatively thin cell-phone case that can remain securely connected to the phone while the phone is being operated (the "Squirl Features")—that serve to distinguish this product from other cellular phone battery cases that still require a separate charger to be used.
- 6. The presence of the Squirl Features in a battery case, and the expectation that because of these features the Squirl charger-case will be a successful product in the global mobile device accessories market, is the primary reason that Redacted decided to partner with Zilicon to gain exclusive territorial distribution rights for the Squirl charger-case and also the primary reason that Redacted has committed to purchase within 90 days 10,000 units, and 100,000 units annually, for sale in the Redacted Territory.

I attest under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true to the best of my knowledge, information, or belief.

Redacted

Sworn to before me this __//th day of March, 2016

Notary Public

Michael Schwartz
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