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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC., Petitioner

v.

TACTILE FEEDBACK TECHNOLOGY, LLC, Patent Owner

Case No.: IPR2016-00206 Patent 7,973,773

TACTILE FEEDBACK TECHNOLOGY LLC'S NOTICE OF RELATED MATTERS PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2)



Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2), Patent Owner, Tactile Feedback Technology, LLC, hereby makes the following Notice of Related Matters.

I. 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2) – Related Matters

U.S. Patent 7,973,773 ("the '773 patent") is being asserted against Samsung Electronics America, Inc. ("Samsung") in an on-going infringement lawsuit brought by Tactile Feedback Technology, LLC ("TFT") in *Tactile Feedback Technologies, LLC v. Samsung Electronics America, Inc.*, Eastern District of Texas, Marshall Division, Civil Action No. 2:14-cv-00940. Samsung is pursuing a Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of the '773 patent.

The '773 patent has also been asserted against ZTE (USA) Inc. ("ZTE") by TFT in *Tactile Feedback Technologies, LLC v. ZTE (USA) Inc.*, Eastern District of Texas, Marshall Division, Civil Action No. 2:14-CV-00943, which was consolidated into the litigation with Samsung. Proceedings with ZTE have been stayed based on an executed settlement agreement. TFT anticipates formal dismissal of the litigation with ZTE by January 31, 2016.

Three additional related Petitions for *Inter Partes* Review have been filed by Samsung in connection with U.S. Patent 8,013,843 ("the '843 patent"), U.S. Patent 8,068,100 ("the '100 patent") and U.S. Patent 8,072,440 ("the '440 patent"). All



four patents share the same specification. The '843 patent, the '440 patent and the '100 patent claim priority to the '773 patent.

II. Fees

The Patent Trial and Appeal Board is hereby authorized to charge any fees owed by Tactile Feedback Technology, LLC and associated with the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 7,973,773, IPR2016-00206, to Deposit Account 23-0457.

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