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ARISTA NETWORKS, INC. Petitioner

V.

CISCO SYSTEMS, INC. Patent Owner

Case IPR2016-00309 Patent 7,224,668

CISCO SYSTEMS, INC.'S MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §42.8(a)(2)

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Patent Owner, Cisco Systems, Inc., hereby files its Mandatory Notices

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2). This notice is being timely filed within 21 days of service of the petition.

I. REAL PARTY-IN-INTEREST

The patent owner and real party-in-interest is Cisco Systems, Inc.

II. RELATED MATTERS

Patent Owner notes the following proceedings that may affect or be affected by a decision in this proceeding:

Cisco Systems, Inc. v. Arista Networks, Inc., No. 4:14-cv-05343-JSW (N.D.

Cal.), filed December 5, 2014

Cisco Systems, Inc. v. Arista Networks, Inc., Network Devices, Related Software and Components Thereof (II), ITC Inv. No. 337-TA-945, filed December 19, 2014

Arista Networks, Inc. v. Cisco Systems, Inc., IPR2015-00974 (P.T.A.B.),

filed April 1, 2015 (institution denied October 6, 2015)

Arista Networks, Inc. v. Cisco Systems, Inc., IPR2015-01710 (P.T.A.B.), filed August 11, 2015

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

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POWER OF ATTORNEY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §42.10(b) were served

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