UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

BAKER HUGHES INCORPORATED and BAKER HUGHES OILFIELD OPERATIONS, INC., Petitioners

V.

PACKERS PLUS ENERGY SERVICES INC.,
Patent Owner

Case IPR2016-00596 Patent 7,134,505 B2

EXCLUSIVE LICENSEE RAPID COMPLETIONS LLC'S MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §42.8(a)(2)

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2), the undersigned, on behalf of the exclusive licensee Rapid Completions LLC, hereby submits the following mandatory notices in connection with the above-captioned Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of U.S. Patent No. 7,134,505 ("the '505 patent"). This notice is being timely filed within 21 days of service of the petition.

I. REAL PARTY-IN-INTEREST

Rapid Completions LLC is the exclusive licensee of all substantial interests in the '505 patent. Rapid Completions has sole control of all proceedings before the USPTO related to the '505 patent, including this *inter partes* review. Rapid Completions LLC is a subsidiary of Acacia Research Group LLC, which in turn is a subsidiary of Acacia Research Corporation, a publicly traded company.

Packers Plus Energy Services Inc. is the owner of the '505 patent.

II. RELATED MATTERS

The following proceeding may affect or be affected by a decision in this proceeding:

Rapid Completions LLC v. Baker Hughes Incorporated et al., Civil Action No. 6:15-cv-724 (E.D. Tex. 2015).



III. LEAD AND BACK-UP COUNSEL

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing EXCLUSIVE LICENSEE RAPID COMPLETIONS LLC'S MANDATORY NOTICES and accompanying Power of Attorney were served electronically via e-mail on March 4, 2016, in their entirety on the following counsel of record for Petitioner:

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