

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

H&S MANUFACTURING COMPANY, INC.

Petitioner,

v.

OXBO INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2016-00950
Patent 8,166,739

**JOINT REQUEST TO TREAT SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT
DOCUMENTS AS BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION**

This Request, made jointly by Patent Owner and Petitioner, is submitted concurrently with a Joint Motion to Terminate this *inter partes* review due to settlement between the parties. In accordance with Paper 50, the Petitioner and Patent Owner certify that the attached Term Sheet and Settlement Agreement (EX2023 and EX2024, respectively) represent true copies of all current agreements and understandings between the parties that are made in connection with, or in contemplation of, the joint request for termination of this proceeding.

By way of this Request, the Parties jointly request that the Term Sheet and Settlement Agreement each be treated as confidential business information and be kept separate from the file of the involved patent, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c). EX2023 and EX2024 are both being submitted concurrently herewith, marked as “Confidential” and having “availability” in the E2E system of “Parties and Board Only.” The Parties further jointly request that this Term Sheet (EX2023) and Settlement Agreement (EX2024) be made available only to Federal Government agencies on written request or to any person only on a showing of good cause pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c).

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that this “JOINT MOTION TO TREAT SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT DOCUMENTS AS BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION” for the above-captioned matter was served in its entirety on August 10, 2017, upon the following parties via e-mail:

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