

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re application of:

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Examiner: Joni Hsu

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For: **DIVIDING WORK AMONG
MULTIPLE GRAPHICS
PIPELINES USING A SUPER-
TILING TECHNIQUE**

APPEAL BRIEF PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 41.37

Dear Sir:

Appellants submit this brief further to the Pre-Appeal Brief Request for Review filed July 22, 2010, and the Notice of Panel Decision from Pre-Appeal Brief Review dated July 30, 2010 in the above-identified application. Appellants petition for a four month extension of time.

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I. REAL PARTY IN INTEREST

ATI Technologies ULC is the real party in interest in this appeal by virtue of an executed assignment from the named inventors of their entire interest to ATI International, SRL and an executed name change. The assignment evincing such ownership interest was recorded on June 12, 2003, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 014176, Frame 0613. The Name Change was recorded on December 30, 2010, in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel 025573, Frame 0443.

II. RELATED APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

To Appellants' knowledge, there are no related Appeals or Interferences filed, pending, or decided.

III. STATUS OF CLAIMS

Claims 1-7, 10-22, 24 and 25 are pending. Claims 1-7, 10-22, 24 and 25 stand rejected. The originally filed Application contained claims 1-24. Claims 25 and 26 were added during prosecution of the present application. Claims 8, 9, 23 and 26 were canceled during prosecution of the present application. Claims 1, 10, 12, 13, 20, 24 and 25 were amended during prosecution of the present application. Claims 1-7, 10-22, 24 and 25 are being appealed. Of the pending appealed claims, 1, 20, 24 and 25 are independent.

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