## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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# BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ANCESTRY.COM DNA, LLC Petitioner

v.

DNA GENOTEK, INC.
Patent Owner

Patent No. 8,221,381 B2

Inter Partes Review No. IPR2016-01152

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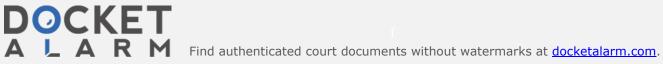
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