

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY,  
Petitioner

v.

UNITED TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION  
Patent Owner

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Case IPR2016-01289  
Patent 7,060,360

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**PATENT OWNER'S NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R § 90.2(a) and 35 U.S.C. § 142, Patent Owner, United Technologies Corporation, (hereinafter “Patent Owner”), respectfully provides Notice that it hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision entered on December 19, 2017 (Paper 25) and from all other underlying orders, decisions, rulings and opinions relating to U.S. Patent No. 7,060,360 (“the ’360 patent”) , set forth in *Inter Partes* Review IPR2016-01289, including, without limitation, those within the Decision on Institution of *Inter Partes* Review, entered December 27, 2016 (Paper 7).

For the limited purpose of providing the Director with the information requested in 37 C.F.R § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), issues on Patent Owner’s appeal may include the Board’s construction of “bond layer”; the Board’s interpretation of that construction; the Board’s application of that construction to the prior art; the Board’s interpretation of the prior art; the Board’s determination that claims 1-14 of the ’360 patent are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C § 103; any finding supporting that determination; the Board’s failure to consider evidence of record properly; the Board’s legal errors in undertaking its § 103 analysis; the Board’s findings that conflict with the evidence of record or are not supported by substantial evidence; as well as all other issues decided adversely to Patent Owner in any orders, decisions, rulings and opinions.

Contemporaneously with this submission, a copy of the Notice of Appeal is being filed electronically with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board. In addition, a copy of this Notice of Appeal, along with the required docketing fees, are being electronically filed with the Clerk's Office for the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

In accordance with 37 CFR § 90.2(a)(1) and § 104.2, I hereby certify that on February 20, 2018, in addition to being filed electronically through the Board's E2E System, the original version of the foregoing, Patent Owner's Notice of Appeal was filed by hand on the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, at the following address:

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I hereby certify that on February 20, 2018, a true and correct copy of the foregoing, Patent Owner's Notice of Appeal, along with a copy of the Final Written Decision, was filed electronically with the Clerk's Office of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, at the following address:

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Pursuant to 37 CFR § 42.6(e)(1), the undersigned certifies that on February 20, 2018, a complete and entire copy of this Patent Owner's Notice of Appeal was provided via email, to the Petitioner by serving the email correspondence addresses of record as follows:

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