

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ZTE (USA) Inc.,
Petitioner,

v.

Evolved Wireless LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2016-01349
Patent 8,218,481 B2

REPLY IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR JOINDER
AND/OR CONSOLIDATION WITH CASE NO. IPR2016-00981

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Petitioner's joinder/consolidation motion (Paper 8) is now unopposed. Specifically, after filing its opposition (Paper 9), Patent Owner represented that if the Board institutes an IPR in this proceeding then Patent Owner would not oppose joinder/consolidation with the instituted proceeding in IPR2016-00981. (Paper 10 at 2-3; 12/29/16 C. McMahon E-Mail to Board.) Today the Board instituted an IPR in the present proceeding (Paper 11). Therefore, the Board should join or consolidate the present proceeding with IPR2016-00981.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I sent a copy of the foregoing REPLY IN SUPPORT OF PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR JOINDER AND/OR CONSOLIDATION WITH CASE NO. IPR2016-00981 on January 12, 2017 by electronic mail to the attorneys of record for the Patent Owner at the following e-mail addresses:

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