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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

LIMESTONE MEMORY SYSTEMS LLC,
Patent Owner.

IPR2016-01561
U.S. Patent No. 6,233,181

JOINT REQUEST TO FILE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AS BUSINESS
CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. § 317(b)
AND 37 C.F.R. § 42.47(c)

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Concurrently with the filing of this Request, the Petitioner and Patent Owner are filing a Joint Motion to Terminate this *inter partes* review due to settlement of the dispute regarding U.S. Patent No. 6,233,181 between the parties. A true copy of the parties' written settlement agreement is being filed concurrently as Exhibit 1021. The parties request that the settlement agreement be sealed to the public and accessible by the "Parties and Board Only." The settlement agreement contains business confidential information, and the parties hereby request that the settlement agreement be kept as a separate paper from the file of the involved patent to be made available only under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.6, that a true and correct copy of JOINT REQUEST TO FILE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AS BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION PURSUANT TO 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) AND 37 C.F.R. § 42.47(c) has been served on the Patent Owner's attorneys of record via email, on October 18, 2017 at the following addresses:

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