UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC., SNAP INC., FACEBOOK, INC., and WHATSAPP, INC., Petitioner

v.

UNILOC USA, INC. and UNILOC LUXEMBOURG S.A., Patent Owner

Case IPR2017-00221<sup>1</sup> Patent 7,535,890

## PETITIONER APPLE INC.'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

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<sup>1</sup> Snap Inc., who filed a petition in IPR2017-01612, as well as Facebook, Inc. and WhatsApp. Inc., who filed a petition in IPR2017-01636, have been joined as

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70 and the Board's May 25, 2017 Scheduling Order (Paper 10), Petitioner Apple Inc. respectfully requests oral argument, which is currently scheduled for February 8, 2018. The Board has also scheduled oral arguments for two additional *inter partes* review proceedings between the same parties on the same day: IPR2017-00222 (U.S. Patent No. 8,243,723) and IPR2017-00225 (U.S. Pat. No. 8,995,433). There are no overlapping issues, arguments, or claim scope between the three proceedings. So, Petitioner Apple Inc. requests the oral argument be held separately for each proceeding.

Petitioner Apple Inc. respectfully requests that the Board schedule an oral argument in this proceeding as follows:

 30 minutes per side for the oral argument (from 10:30 a.m. until approximately 11:30 a.m.), with Petitioner presenting first, Patent Owner responding, and Petitioner rebutting.

Petitioner specifies the following issues to be argued:

- The unpatentability of claims 1-3, 5, 6, 14, 15, 17, 19, 20, 28, 29, 31, 33, 34, 40, 42, 43, 51, 53, 54, 62, 64, and 65 as being obvious over Malik and Väänänen;
- The unpatentability of claims 4, 18, 32, 41, 52, and 63 as being obvious over Malik, Väänänen, and Deshpande;

- The unpatentability of claims 6, 20, 34, 43, 54, and 65 as being obvious over Malik, Väänänen, and Abburi;
- The unpatentability of claim 68 as being obvious over Malik, Väänänen, Abburi, and Daniell;
- The unpatentability of claim 68 as being obvious over Malik, Väänänen, and Daniell.
- 6. Any issues specified by Patent Owner in its Request for Oral Argument; and
- Any other outstanding motions, pleadings, and other issues that the Board deems necessary for issuing a Final Written Decision.

Petitioner requests the ability to use audio visual equipment to display

possible demonstratives and exhibits, including the use of a computer, projector,

and a screen.

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e))

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing **PETITIONER APPLE** 

## INC.'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT was served electronically via e-

mail on January 4, 2018, in its entirety upon the following parties:

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