

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

UNIFIED PATENTS INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

VILOX TECHNOLOGIES LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2018-00044
Patent 7,302,423 B2

Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, ROBERT J. WEINSCHENK, and
JOHN D. HAMANN, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

HAMANN, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Conduct of the Proceeding
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

I. INTRODUCTION

On June 25, 2018, a conference call was conducted among respective counsel for the parties Unified Patents Inc. (“Petitioner”) and Vilox Technologies, LLC (“Patent Owner”), and Judges Medley, Weinschenk, and Hamann. The purpose of the call was to allow Patent Owner to satisfy the requirement under 37 C.F.R. § 42.121(a) to confer with the Board prior to filing a motion to amend. Patent Owner previously had indicated its intent to file a motion to amend via email.

II. DISCUSSION

During the conference call, no specific proposed amendments were discussed. We directed the parties to the Board’s decision in *Western Digital Corp. v. SPEX Techs., Inc.*, Case IPR2018-00082, -00084 (PTAB Apr. 25, 2018) (Paper 13) (designated as an informative decision on June 1, 2018). *Western Digital* provides information and guidance regarding the statutory and regulatory requirements for motions to amend.

III. ORDER

In consideration of the foregoing, it is hereby:

ORDERED that Patent Owner has satisfied the requirement of conferring with us prior to filing a motion to amend under 37 C.F.R. § 42.121(a).

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