

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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UNIFIED PATENTS, INC.,  
Petitioner,

v.

UNIVERSAL SECURE REGISTRY LLC,  
Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2018-00067  
Patent 8,577,813 B2

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Before BART A. GERSTENBLITH, SCOTT C. MOORE, and  
JASON W. MELVIN, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

MELVIN, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER  
Petitioner's Motion to Expunge Confidential Information  
*37 C.F.R. § 42.56*

## I. PETITIONER'S MOTION TO EXPUNGE

Petitioner moves unopposed to expunge certain confidential information in the record: Papers 28, 39, 48, 49, and 54, and Exhibits 1036, 1037, 2011, 2012, and 2017. Paper 60 (“Motion”).

Other than the Final Written Decision (Paper 54), each of the items Petitioner seeks to expunge was the subject of Petitioner's Motion to Seal (Paper 55), which we granted. *See* Paper 58. Because the confidential information in these documents may facilitate any eventual review by the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, it would be premature to expunge the documents at this time. We consider a motion to expunge appropriate to remove documents from the record that were filed with restricted access, but not subject to a successful motion to seal and not relied on in a decision of the Board. That is not the case for the documents here. The documents identified above, including our Final Written Decision, will remain under seal.

## II. ORDER

It is therefore

ORDERED that Petitioner's Motion to Expunge is denied.

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