

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC.,
VISA INC., and VISA U.S.A. INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

UNIVERSAL SECURE REGISTRY, LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2018-00810¹
Patent 9,100,826 B2

Before PATRICK R. SCANLON, GEORGIANNA W. BRADEN, and
JASON W. MELVIN, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

SCANLON, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

TERMINATION
Dismissal on Remand
35 U.S.C. § 144; 37 C.F.R. § 42.72

¹ Visa Inc. and Visa U.S.A. Inc., which filed a petition in IPR2019-00175, have been joined as parties to this proceeding.

I. BACKGROUND

On October 7, 2019, the Board issued a Final Written Decision in this proceeding. Paper 42. On appeal, the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit determined that this proceeding is moot because all claims at issue in the appeal were deemed ineligible under 35 U.S.C. § 101 in *Universal Secure Registry LLC v. Apple Inc.*, 10 F.4th 1342 (Fed. Cir. 2021). *Apple Inc. v. Universal Secure Registry, LLC*, 857 F. App'x 659 (Fed. Cir. 2021) (citing *Apple Inc. v. Voip-Pal.com, Inc.*, 976 F.3d 1316, 1321 (Fed. Cir. 2020)). Thus, the Court vacated our Final Written Decision and instructed us to dismiss Apple's petition. *Id.*

II. ANALYSIS

As directed by the Federal Circuit, we dismiss the Petition in IPR2018-00810. 37 C.F.R. § 42.72.

III. ORDER

It is hereby:

ORDERED that the Petition in IPR2018-00810 is dismissed.

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