

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL, LLC

Petitioner,

v.

BAKER HUGHES OILFIELD OPERATIONS, LLC

Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2019-00768

Patent RE46,137

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**JOINT REQUEST TO FILE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AS  
BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 317(a)**

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c), and the Board’s authorization on August 25, 2020, Petitioner Weatherford International, LLC (“Weatherford”) and Patent Owner Baker Hughes Oilfield Operations, LLC (“Baker Hughes”) jointly request that the confidential Settlement Agreement (Ex. 1050), filed concurrently herewith along with the Joint Motion to Terminate this proceeding, be filed as business confidential information. The parties further jointly request that the confidential Settlement Agreement be kept separate from the file of this proceeding and the involved patent, and be made available only to Federal Government agencies on written request, and only to persons showing good cause pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c). In view of the above, the Settlement Agreement has been filed for access by the “Parties and Board Only.”

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), a true copy of the foregoing **JOINT REQUEST TO FILE SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT AS BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 317(a)** is being served electronically on August 25, 2020 to the following lead and back-up counsel for Patent Owner at the following email addresses:

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