# Paper 35 Date: November 26, 2021

### UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

HP INC.,<sup>1</sup> Petitioner,

v.

SYNKLOUD TECHNOLOGIES, LLC, Patent Owner.

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IPR2020-01031 (Patent 10,015,254 B1) IPR2020-01032 (Patent 10,015,254 B1)<sup>2</sup>

Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, LYNNE E. PETTIGREW, and SCOTT RAEVSKY, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

MEDLEY, Administrative Patent Judge.

TERMINATION
Due to Settlement After Institution of Trial
35 U.S.C. § 317; 37 C.F.R. § 42.74

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> We exercise our discretion to issue one combined Decision to be filed in each case.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Microsoft Corporation was terminated from the proceeding. Paper 31.

In an e-mail dated November 17, 2021, we authorized HP Inc. ("HP" or "Petitioner") and Synkloud Technologies, LLC ("Patent Owner") to file motions to terminate the instant proceedings. On November 22, 2021, and pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317 and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74, Petitioner and Patent Owner filed a joint motion to terminate these proceedings and a joint request to have their settlement agreement treated as confidential business information under 35 U.S.C. § 317 and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74 in each proceeding. Papers 32, 33. In the joint motion, the parties represent that the settlement agreement is with "regard to the patents at issue in these proceedings" and is a true and correct copy. Paper 32, 2–3.4

At this juncture of the proceedings, the Board has not entered any final decisions. Based on the facts of these proceedings, we determine that it is appropriate to terminate these proceedings.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the joint request that the settlement agreement be treated as business confidential information, to be kept separate from the patent files, is *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that the joint motion to terminate each proceeding is *granted*; and

FURTHER ORDERED that the proceedings are terminated.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> The pages of the motion are not numbered. We refer to the numbers of the pages beginning with the title page as number 1.



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Citations are to IPR2020-01031 unless otherwise indicated.

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