### UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

AT&T SERVICES, INC. and DIRECTV, LLC, Petitioners,

v.

BROADBAND iTV, INC., Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2021-00556 Patent No. 10,028,026

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REVISED MANDATORY NOTICES OF PETITIONERS UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(3)



Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(3), AT&T Services, Inc. and DIRECTV, LLC (collectively "Petitioners" or "AT&T") provide notice of the following changes of real parties-in-interest and information requested in 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(1).

### I. REAL PARTY-IN-INTEREST

AT&T Services, Inc., AT&T Communications, LLC, and DIRECTV, LLC are the real parties-in-interest. In addition, AT&T Inc., DIRECTV Holdings LLC, The DIRECTV Group, Inc., and DIRECTV Group Holdings, LLC are identified as real parties-in-interest only to the extent that Patent Owner contends they need to be named as such. AT&T Inc. is and always has been a holding company that is a legally and factually distinct entity from its subsidiaries. Each of AT&T Inc.'s, DIRECTV Holdings LLC's, The DIRECTV Group, Inc.'s, and DIRECTV Group Holdings, LLC's subsidiaries, including AT&T Services, Inc., AT&T Communications, LLC, and/or DIRECTV, LLC, maintains its own independent status, identity, and structure. AT&T Inc., DIRECTV Holdings LLC, The DIRECTV Group, Inc., and DIRECTV Group Holdings, LLC do not provide any of the products or services at issue in the underlying patent infringement lawsuit. The DIRECTV Group, Inc. has changed its name to The AT&T MVPD Group, LLC. DIRECTV Group Holdings, LLC has changed its name to AT&T MVPD Group Holdings, LLC.



On February 25, 2021, AT&T Inc. announced that AT&T Services, Inc. entered into an Agreement of Contribution and Subscription, dated February 25, 2021 (the "Contribution Agreement"), among (i) AT&T Services, Inc. (ii) V HoldCo LLC, (iii) V OpCo LLC and (iv) TPG VIII Merlin Investment Holdings, L.P. Pursuant to the Contribution Agreement, AT&T Services, Inc. agreed to cause the contribution of the U.S. video business unit of AT&T Inc. and its subsidiaries to V OpCo LLC for certain financial considerations. Out of an abundance of caution, V HoldCo LLC, V OpCo LLC, and TPG VIII Merlin Investment Holdings, L.P. are also identified as real-parties-in-interest.

On August 2, 2021, AT&T Inc. announced the closing of the transactions contemplated by the Contribution Agreement among (i) AT&T Services, Inc., (ii) AT&T MVPD Holdings LLC (f/k/a V HoldCo LLC), (iii) DIRECTV Entertainment Holdings LLC (f/k/a V OpCo LLC), and (iv) TPG VIII Merlin Investment Holdings, L.P. Pursuant to, and subject to the terms and conditions set forth in, the Contribution Agreement, among other matters, AT&T Services, Inc. contributed the U.S. video business unit of AT&T Inc. and its subsidiaries, consisting of the DIRECTV, AT&T TV and U-verse video services (but excluding U-verse network assets) to DIRECTV Entertainment Holdings LLC. Out of an abundance of caution, AT&T MVPD Holdings LLC and DIRECTV Entertainment Holdings LLC are also identified as real-parties-in-interest.



DIRECTV, LLC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of DIRECTV Holdings LLC.

DIRECTV Holdings LLC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of DIRECTV Financing,

LLC. DIRECTV Financing, LLC is a wholly-owned subsidiary of DIRECTV

Financing Holdco, LLC. DIRECTV Financing Holdco, LLC is a wholly-owned

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contends they need to be named as such.

Dated: August 20, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 2021, a complete and entire copy of REVISED MANDATORY NOTICES OF PETITIONERS' was served on Patent Owner via electronic mail at the following correspondence addresses:

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