### UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

### BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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# HTC CORPORATION and HTC AMERICA, INC., Petitioners

v.

# ANCORA TECHNOLOGIES, INC., Patent Owner

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Case IPR2021-00570 Patent No. 6,411,941

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## ANCORA TECHNOLOGIES INC.'S MOTION TO ACCEPT LATE FILING

Patent Owner, Ancora Technologies, Inc. ("Ancora"), submits this motion requesting that the Board accept the late filing of Patent Owner's Sur-Reply to Motion for Joinder. Due to a docketing error that occurred between the transition of firms representing the Patent Owner, Patent Owner requests a two (2) day extension.



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The Board had authorized Patent Owner to file a 7-page Sur-Reply within 10

business days from the filing of the Reply. (Paper 7.) Petitioner filed its Reply on

April 5, 2021 making Patent Owner's Sur-Reply due on April 19, 2021.

Additionally, Patent Owner requires multiple counsel given the complexities of the

parties involved in this action. Due to an error in the docketing of the filing date

when transitioning between firms, counsel that will now be making an appearance

as additional counsel in this matter mistakenly docketed the Sur-Reply date as April

20, 2021.

When Patent Owner learned of this error, Patent Owner contacted Petitioner

in regard to this limited extension. Petitioner does not oppose this request. Petitioner

did not respond until after business hours on April 20, 2021.

For the foregoing reasons, Patent Owner respectfully requests that the Board

grant Patent Owner a two-day extension to file its Sur-Reply to April 21, 2021.

Respectfully submitted,

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### **Certificate of Service**

The undersigned hereby certifies that on April 21, 2021, a copy of **Patent Owner Motion to Accept Late Filing**, was served via electronic mail to 

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