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See applicant's amendments and responses filed on 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2011.

#### Conclusion

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In Compliance with 35 U.S.C. § 290 and/or 15 U.S.C. § 1116 you are hereby advised that a court action has been filed in the U.S. District Court    Trademarks or   Patents.   Trademarks or   In Patents   Trademarks or   Trademarks or				
DOCKET NO. 5:20-cv-109 DATE FILED 6/16/2020 U.S.		U.S. DI	STRICT COURT Eastern District of Texas, Texarkana Division	
PLAINTIFF Sable Networks, Inc. and Sable IP, LLC			DEFENDANT Fortinet, Inc.	
PATENT OR TRADEMARK NO.	DATE OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK		HOLDER OF PATENT OR TRADEMARK	
1 6,977,932 B1	12/20/2005	Sable	Sable Networks, Inc.	
2 7,012,919 Bl	3/14/2006	Sable	Sable Networks, Inc.	
3 8,085,775 BI	12/27/2011	Sable	Sable Networks, Inc.	
4 8,243,593 B2	8/14/2012	Sable	Sable Networks, Inc.	
5 8,817,790 B2	8/26/2014	Sable	Sable Networks, Inc.	
	In the above—entitled case, the	e following	patent(s)/ trademark(s) have been included:	
DATE INCLUDED BY  Amendment Answer Cross Bill Other Pleading				
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In the above—entitled case, the following decision has been rendered or judgement issued:				
DECISION/JUDGEMENT				
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#### UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

#### BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PALO ALTO NETWORKS, INC., DELL TECHNOLOGIES INC., VMWARE, INC., JUNIPER NETWORKS, INC., HEWLETT PACKARD ENTERPRISE COMPANY and ARUBA NETWORKS, INC., Petitioner,

v.

SABLE NETWORKS, INC., Patent Owner.

IPR2020-01712 Patent 8,243,593 B2

Before GARTH D. BAER, SCOTT B. HOWARD, and JULIET MITCHELL DIRBA, Administrative Patent Judges.

HOWARD, Administrative Patent Judge.

#### **DECISION**

Granting Joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding Due to Settlement before Institution and Granting Joint Request to Treat Settlement Agreement as Business Confidential Information

37 C.F.R. § 42.74

#### I. INTRODUCTION

Petitioner and Patent Owner (collectively "the Parties") have requested that the above-identified *inter partes* review proceeding be terminated pursuant to a settlement. On February 4, 2021, the Parties filed a Joint Motion to Terminate the above-identified proceeding ("Joint Motion"). Paper 11. The Parties previously sought authorization to file the joint motion and received that authorization on February 1, 2021. Joint Motion 2. The Parties filed a Settlement Agreement (Exhibit 2001, "Settlement Agreement") and a Joint Request of Palo Alto Networks, Inc., Juniper Networks, Inc., VMware, Inc., Hewlett Packard Enterprise Company, Aruba Networks, Inc. and Sable Networks, Inc. to Treat Settlement Information as Business Confidential Information and Keep Separate ("Joint Request"). Paper 12.

#### II. DISCUSSION

In the Joint Motion, the Parties represent that they have reached an agreement to jointly seek termination of this *inter partes* review proceeding, that the filed copy of the Settlement Agreement is a true and correct copy, and there are no other collateral agreements or understandings made in connection with, or in contemplation of, the termination of this proceeding. Joint Motion 1–5. The Parties also represent that their disputes have been resolved. *Id.* at 2.

We have not yet instituted a trial on the above-identified proceeding. Nor have we decided the merits of the proceeding, and a final written decision has not been entered in the proceeding. The Parties have shown adequately that the termination of the proceeding is appropriate. Under these circumstances, we determine that good cause exists to terminate the