		Page 1	
1	UNITED	STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE	
2	BEFORE	THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD	
3			
4	CHANEL, INC.,		
5	Peti	tioner,	
6	v.	Case No.	
7	MOLO DESIGN, I	TD., IPR2021-00543	
8	Respondent.		
9			
10	7	IDEOCONFERENCE DEPOSITION OF	
11		ALAN BALL	
12	DATE:	Tuesday, March 21, 2023	
13	TIME:	8:45 a.m.	
14	LOCATION:	Remote Proceeding	
15		Minneapolis, MN 55402	
16	REPORTED BY:	Tina Nelson, Notary Public	
17	JOB NO.:	5793517	
18			
19			
20			
21			
22			
23			
24			
25			

**DOCKET A L A R M** Find authenticated court documents without watermarks at <u>docketalarm.com</u>.

Page 2 A P P E A R A N C E S 1 2 ON BEHALF OF PETITIONER CHANEL, INC.: SHANNON L. BJORKLUND, ESQUIRE 3 (by videoconference) 4 5 Dorsey & Whitney LLP 50 South 6th Street, Suite 1500 6 7 Minneapolis, MN 55402 bjorklund.shannon@dorsey.com 8 9 (612) 492-6636 10 11 ON BEHALF OF RESPONDENT MOLO DESIGN, LTD.: 12 CONOR CIVINS, ESQUIRE (by videoconference) 13 BRIAN H. TOMPKINS, ESQUIRE Bracewell LLP 14 15 111 Congress Avenue, Suite 2300 16 Austin, TX, 78701 17 conor.civins@bracewell.com 18 (512) 494-3631 19 20 21 2.2 23 24 25

**A R M** Find authenticated court documents without watermarks at <u>docketalarm.com</u>.

DOCKET

		Page 3
1	I N D E X	
2	EXAMINATION:	PAGE
3	By Ms. Bjorklund	5
4		
5	EXHIBITS	
б	NO. DESCRIPTION	PAGE
7	Exhibit 1 366 Ex. 1001 - US7866366B2	8
8	Exhibit 2 666 Ex. 1001 - US8561666B2	8
9	Exhibit 3 134 Ex. 1001 - US9797134B2	8
10	Exhibit 4 161 Ex. 1001 - US9689161B1	9
11	Exhibit 5 366 Ex. 2010 - Declaration of	
12	Alan Ball '366	9
13	Exhibit 6 666 Ex. 2010 - Declaration of	
14	Alan Ball '666	10
15	Exhibit 7 134 Ex. 2010 - Declaration of	
16	Alan Ball '134	10
17	Exhibit 8 161 Ex. 2010 - Declaration of	
18	Alan Ball '161	10
19	(Exhibits attached.)	
20		
21		
22		
23		
24		
25		

**DOCKET A L A R M** Find authenticated court documents without watermarks at <u>docketalarm.com</u>.

Page 4 1 PROCEEDINGS 2 THE REPORTER: Good morning. My name 3 is Tina Nelson; I am the reporter assigned by Veritext to take the record of this proceeding. We are now on 4 5 the record at 8:45 a.m. This is the deposition of Alan Ball 6 7 taken in the matter of Chanel, Inc. vs. molo design, limited on Tuesday, March 21, 2023 remote via Zoom. 8 9 I am a notary authorized to take acknowledgments and administer oaths in Minnesota. 10 11 Parties agree that I will swear in the witness 12 remotely. 13 Additionally, absent an objection on the record before the witness is sworn, all parties 14 15 and the witness understand and agree that any 16 certified transcript produced from the recording of 17 this proceeding: - is intended for all uses permitted 18 19 under applicable procedural and 20 evidentiary rules and laws in the same 21 manner as a deposition recorded by 2.2 stenographic means; and 23 - shall constitute written stipulation 24 of such. At this time, will everyone in 25

Find authenticated court documents without watermarks at docketalarm.com.

DOCKE.

RM

Page 5 1 attendance please identify yourself for the record? 2 MS. BJORKLUND: Good morning. 3 Shannon Bjorklund from Dorsey & Whitney, appearing on behalf of petitioner Chanel, Incorporated. 4 5 MR. CIVINS: Conor Civins with Bracewell, appearing on behalf of molo. 6 7 THE WITNESS: Alan Ball, expert. 8 THE REPORTER: Thank you. Hearing no 9 objection, I'll now swear in the witness. Mr. Ball, 10 please raise your right hand. 11 WHEREUPON, 12 ALAN BALL, 13 called as a witness and having been first duly sworn 14 to tell the truth, the whole truth and nothing but the 15 truth, was examined and testified as follows: 16 EXAMINATION 17 BY MS. BJORKLUND: Good morning, Mr. Ball. 18 Q 19 Good morning. Α 20 Have you had your deposition taken before? 0 21 Α Yes. 2.2 Approximately how many times? Q 23 I kind of lost count. It's probably over Α 25. 24 25 Q Great. So I think you know the rules for

Find authenticated court documents without watermarks at <u>docketalarm.com</u>.

RM

## DOCKET A L A R M



# Explore Litigation Insights

Docket Alarm provides insights to develop a more informed litigation strategy and the peace of mind of knowing you're on top of things.

## **Real-Time Litigation Alerts**



Keep your litigation team up-to-date with **real-time alerts** and advanced team management tools built for the enterprise, all while greatly reducing PACER spend.

Our comprehensive service means we can handle Federal, State, and Administrative courts across the country.

### **Advanced Docket Research**



With over 230 million records, Docket Alarm's cloud-native docket research platform finds what other services can't. Coverage includes Federal, State, plus PTAB, TTAB, ITC and NLRB decisions, all in one place.

Identify arguments that have been successful in the past with full text, pinpoint searching. Link to case law cited within any court document via Fastcase.

## **Analytics At Your Fingertips**



Learn what happened the last time a particular judge, opposing counsel or company faced cases similar to yours.

Advanced out-of-the-box PTAB and TTAB analytics are always at your fingertips.

#### API

Docket Alarm offers a powerful API (application programming interface) to developers that want to integrate case filings into their apps.

#### LAW FIRMS

Build custom dashboards for your attorneys and clients with live data direct from the court.

Automate many repetitive legal tasks like conflict checks, document management, and marketing.

#### FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS

Litigation and bankruptcy checks for companies and debtors.

#### E-DISCOVERY AND LEGAL VENDORS

Sync your system to PACER to automate legal marketing.