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| 1  | UNITED STATES PATENT AND                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| 2  | TRADEMARK OFFICE<br>BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
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| 4  | PEAG LLC (d/b/a JLab Audio),                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 5  | AUDIO PARTNERSHIP LLC and                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 6  | AUDIO PARTNERSHIP PLC (d/b/a                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 7  | Cambridge Audio)                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
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| 10 | VARTA MICROBATTERY GMBH,                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |
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| 14 | 9,153,835 IPR2020-01211                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
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| 19 | REMOTE VIDEO DEPOSITION OF WILLIAM H. GARDNER                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                           |
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| 9  | Teri C. Gibson, a Certified Shorthand Reporter, a          |
| 10 | Registered Professional Reporter, Certified Realtime       |
| 11 | Reporter, and Notary Public of the State of Massachusetts. |
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| 1  | PROCEEDINGS                                           |
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| 2  | VIDEOGRAPHER: Madam Court Reporter,                   |
| 3  | counselors, one moment, please. We are going on the   |
| 4  | record.                                               |
| 5  | Good morning. My name is Rob Chang.                   |
| 6  | am a legal videographer associated with Barkley Court |
| 7  | Reporters, located at 10350 Santa Monica Boulevard,   |
| 8  | Los Angeles, California 90025. The date is March 3,   |
| 9  | 2021. The time is 6:07 a.m. Pacific Standard Time.    |
| 10 | This deposition is taking place via remote method, ir |
| 11 | the matter of PEAG LLC et al. versus VARTA            |
| 12 | Microbattery GmbH.                                    |
| 13 | Intellectual Property Review, Case                    |
| 14 | number IPR2020-01211 through IPR2020-01214. This is   |
| 15 | the video deposition of William Gardner, being taken  |
| 16 | on behalf of respondent.                              |
| 17 | Will counselors for all the parties                   |
| 18 | please identify themselves beginning with respondent  |
| 19 | counsel.                                              |
| 20 | MR. MUELLER: Good morning. This is                    |
| 21 | Wes Mueller from Leydig, Voit & Mayer, representing   |
| 22 | the patent owner in this inter partes review matter,  |
| 23 | and with me is Robert Wittman from our firm, and      |
| 24 | Dr. Martin Peckerar is also present by video as well. |
| 25 | MS. TEMPESTA: I am Jennifer Tempesta                  |



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