

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MARSHALL DIVISION

GESTURE TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS,  
LLC,

Plaintiff

v.

HUAWEI DEVICE CO., LTD., AND  
HUAWEI DEVICE USA, INC.,

Defendants.

**JURY TRIAL DEMANDED**

C.A. NO. 2:21-cv-00040-JRG

LEAD CONSOLIDATED CASE

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD. AND  
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.,

Defendants.

C.A. NO. 2:21-cv-00041-JRG

**[PROPOSED] JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER**

The Pretrial Conference is scheduled for January 31, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. in Marshall, Texas. Pursuant to the Sixth Amended Docket Control Order (Dkt. 155), Local Rule CV-16(b), and Rule 16 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Gesture Technology Partners, LLC (“GTP”) and Defendants Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd. and Samsung Electronics America, Inc.’s (collectively, “Samsung”) submit this Joint Pretrial Order. Subject to the other rulings made at the Pretrial Conference, the Court enters this Order.

**A. COUNSEL FOR THE PARTIES**

**Attorneys for Plaintiff GTP**

Fred I. Williams  
Texas State Bar No. 00794855  
Michael Simons  
Texas State Bar No. 24008042  
Robert Daniel Garza  
Texas State Bar No. 24097730  
Robert Rhodes

Texas State Bar No. 24116958  
WILLIAMS SIMONS & LANDIS PLLC  
327 Congress Ave., Suite 490  
Austin, TX 78701  
Tel: 512-543-1354  
fwilliams@wsltrial.com  
msimons@wsltrial.com  
dgarza@wsltrial.com  
rrhodes@wsltria.com

Todd E. Landis  
State Bar No. 24030226  
WILLIAMS SIMONS & LANDIS PLLC  
2633 McKinney Ave., Suite 130 #366  
Dallas, TX 75204  
Tel: 512-543-1357  
tlandis@wsltrial.com

John Wittenzellner  
Pennsylvania State Bar No. 308996  
WILLIAMS SIMONS & LANDIS PLLC  
1735 Market Street, Suite A #453  
Philadelphia, PA 19103  
Tel: 512-543-1373  
johnw@wsltrial.com

Kevin S. Kudlac  
Texas Bar No. 00790089  
Kudlac PLLC  
1916 Wimberly Lane  
Austin, TX 78735  
Tel: 512-656-5743  
kevin@kudlacIP.com

**Attorneys for Samsung**

Christopher W. Kennerly (TX Bar No. 00795077)  
chriskennerly@paulhastings.com  
Radhesh Devendran (*pro hac vice*)  
radheshdevendran@paulhastings.com  
Boris S. Lubarsky (*pro hac vice*)  
borislubarsky@paulhastings.com  
David M. Fox (*pro hac vice*)  
davidfox@paulhastings.com  
PAUL HASTINGS LLP  
1117 S. California Avenue

Palo Alto, CA 94304  
Telephone: (650) 320-1800  
Facsimile: (650) 320-1900

Allan M. Soobert  
allansoobert@paulhastings.com  
PAUL HASTINGS LLP  
2050 M Street NW  
Washington, D.C. 20036  
Telephone: 202-551-1700  
Facsimile: 202-551-1705

Elizabeth L. Brann  
elizabethbrann@paulhastings.com  
PAUL HASTINGS LLP  
4747 Executive Drive, 12th Floor  
San Diego, CA 92121  
Telephone: (858) 458-3000  
Facsimile: (858) 458-3005

Robert Laurenzi  
robertlaurenzi@paulhastings.com  
PAUL HASTINGS LLP  
200 Park Avenue  
New York, NY 10166  
Telephone: (212) 318-6000  
Facsimile: (212) 319-4090

Melissa R. Smith (TX Bar No. 24001351)  
melissa@gillamsmithlaw.com  
GILLAM & SMITH, LLP  
303 S. Washington Ave.  
Marshall, TX 75670  
Telephone: (903) 934-8450  
Facsimile: (903) 934-9257

**B. STATEMENT OF JURISDICTION**

This Court has subject matter jurisdiction of the action under Title 28, U.S.C. §§ 1331, 1338(a), because this action arises under the Patent Laws of the United States, 35 U.S.C. § 1 *et seq.* Subject matter jurisdiction, personal jurisdiction, and venue under 28 U.S.C. §§ 1391(b) and

1400(b) are not disputed in this case with respect to GTP's claims of infringement or Samsung's defenses thereto.

### C. NATURE OF ACTION

This is a case of alleged patent infringement. The case involves four United States Patents that have been asserted by GTP against Samsung: U.S. Patent No. 7,933,431 (“’431 Patent”), 8,194,924 (“’924 Patent”), 8,553,079 (“’079 Patent”), and 8,878,949 (“’949 Patent”) (collectively, “Patents-in-Suit”). GTP alleges that Samsung has directly infringed Claims 1, 2, 3, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 25, 26, 27, 28 and 30 of the ’431 Patent; Claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 10, 12 and 14 of the ’924 Patent; Claims 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 11, 14, 15, 19, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25 and 30 the ’079 Patent; and Claims 13, 14, 16 and 18 of the ’949 Patent (the “Asserted Claims”).

GTP alleges that Samsung infringed the Asserted Patents through their use of the following applications and/or features in conjunction with the associated hardware on Samsung's cellular phones and tablets: Air Gestures, Palm Solutions, Iris Scan Unlock, Face ID Unlock, AR Emojis, and Smart Stay (the “Accused Features<sup>1</sup>”). GTP alleges that Samsung made, used, sold, or imported the following cellular phones and tablets to infringe the Asserted Patents: Galaxy S5, Galaxy S6, Galaxy S6 Edge, Galaxy Note 5, Galaxy S6 Active, Galaxy Tab A 8.0 (2015), Galaxy S7, Galaxy S7 Edge, Galaxy S7 Active, Galaxy Note 7, Galaxy Tab A 10.1 (2016), Galaxy S8, Galaxy S8+, Galaxy S8 Active, Galaxy Tab S3, Galaxy Tab A 8.0 (2017), Galaxy Tab Active, Galaxy S9,

---

<sup>1</sup> GTP objects to the use of the defined term “Accused Features.” GTP's infringement theories from the outset of this litigation revolve around hardware. Samsung's proposal interjects its noninfringement and/or invalidity theories into the jury instruction. GTP has not labeled anything in its infringement contentions as “Accused Features.” As GTP has previously made clear, including in response to Samsung's Motion to dismiss, the term to “Accused Features” is not a defined term in the complaint. *See* Dkt. No. 1. In every other instance when referencing Samsung features, GTP uses the defined term “Features.” *See* Dkt. No. 1 at ¶¶ 26, 41, 56, and 71.

Galaxy S9+, Galaxy Tab S4, Galaxy Tab A 10.5, Galaxy Note 9, Galaxy Tab A 8.0 (2019), Galaxy Tab A Kids 8.0 (2019), Galaxy Tab A 10.1 (2019), Galaxy S10, Galaxy S10+, Galaxy S10e, Galaxy S10 5G, Galaxy (Z) Fold, Galaxy Tab S5e, and Galaxy S6 Edge+ (the “Accused Products”). GTP seeks monetary damages that are adequate to compensate it for Samsung’s alleged infringement, but in no event less than a reasonable royalty. GTP also seeks prejudgment and post-judgment interests and costs pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 284, and attorney fees pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 285.

Samsung denies that it has infringed any of the Asserted Claims. Samsung further contends that the Asserted Claims are invalid under 35 U.S.C. §§ 101, 102, 103, 112, 264<sup>2</sup> and/or 282, and also under the doctrine of double patenting. Samsung denies that GTP is entitled to any monetary relief whatsoever.

#### **D. CONTENTIONS OF THE PARTIES**

##### **a. GTP Statement of Contentions**

By providing these contentions, GTP does not concede that all of these issues are appropriate for trial. In addition, GTP does not waive any of its motions *in limine*.

1. GTP contends that Samsung infringed the Asserted Claims, under 35 U.S.C. § 271, literally, by implementing the Accused Features on the Accused Products without authority or license from GTP.

2. GTP is the owner of all rights, title and interest in and to the Asserted Patents and possesses all rights of recovery under the Asserted Patents.

---

<sup>2</sup> Reference to 35 U.S.C. § 264 for improper inventorship is meant to encompass pre-AIA 35 U.S.C. § 112(f).

# 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.