

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
WACO DIVISION**

Ocean Semiconductor LLC,

Plaintiff

v.

NVIDIA Corporation,

Defendant.

Civil Action No.: 6:20-cv-1211-ADA

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

PATENT CASE

NOTICE OF PENDING *INTER PARTES* REVIEW PROCEEDINGS

Pursuant to the Court’s Order Governing Proceedings – Patent Case, Plaintiff Ocean Semiconductor LLC (“Ocean”) provides this notice of the filing of *Inter Partes* Review Proceedings (“IPR”) before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (“PTAB”) of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

On August 3, 2021, Applied Materials, Inc. (“Applied Materials”) filed IPR2021-01339 challenging certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 8,676,538, which Ocean has asserted against Defendant NVIDIA Corporation (“NVIDIA”) in the above-captioned action. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 314(b), a PTAB decision as to whether or not to institute *inter partes* review is expected in IPR2021-01339 on approximately February 12, 2022. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 316(a)(11) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.100(c), should the PTAB institute review, a final written decision is anticipated on approximately February 12, 2023.

Also on August 3, 2021, Applied Materials filed IPR2021-01340 challenging certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,725,402, which Ocean has asserted against NVIDIA in the above-captioned action. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 314(b), a PTAB decision as to whether or not to

institute *inter partes* review is expected in IPR2021-01340 on approximately February 12, 2022. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 316(a)(11) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.100(c), should the PTAB institute review, a final written decision is anticipated on approximately February 12, 2023.

Also on August 3, 2021, Applied Materials filed IPR2021-01342 challenging certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,968,248, which Ocean has asserted against NVIDIA in the above-captioned action. As of today, IPR2021-01342 has not been accorded a filing date. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 314(b) and § 316(a)(11), a PTAB decision as to whether or not to institute *inter partes* review is expected in IPR2021-01342 six months after the date of filing accorded to the IPR2021-01342 petition (i.e., no earlier than February 17, 2022), and, should the PTAB institute review, a final written decision is anticipated approximately eighteen months after the date of filing accorded to the IPR2021-01342 petition (i.e., no earlier than February 17, 2023).

Also on August 3, 2021, Applied Materials filed IPR2021-01344 challenging certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,907,305, which Ocean has asserted against NVIDIA in the above-captioned action. As of today, IPR2021-01344 has not been accorded a filing date. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 314(b) and § 316(a)(11), a PTAB decision as to whether or not to institute *inter partes* review is expected in IPR2021-01344 six months after the date of filing accorded to the IPR2021-01344 petition (i.e., no earlier than February 17, 2022), and, should the PTAB institute review, a final written decision is anticipated approximately eighteen months after the date of filing accorded to the IPR2021-01344 petition (i.e., no earlier than February 17, 2023).

Also on August 3, 2021, Applied Materials filed IPR2021-01348 challenging certain claims of U.S. Patent No. 6,836,691, which Ocean has asserted against NVIDIA in the above-captioned action. As of today, IPR2021-01348 has not been accorded a filing date. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 314(b) and § 316(a)(11), a PTAB decision as to whether or not to institute *inter partes* review is expected in IPR2021-01348 six months after the date of filing accorded to the

IPR2021-01348 petition (i.e., no earlier than February 17, 2022), and, should the PTAB institute review, a final written decision is anticipated approximately eighteen months after the date of filing accorded to the IPR2021-01348 petition (i.e., no earlier than February 17, 2023).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on August 17, 2021, a true and correct copy of the above and foregoing document has been served on all counsel of record via the Court's CM/ECF system.

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