

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

HYUNDAI MOTOR COMPANY,
Petitioner,

v.

AMERICAN VEHICULAR SCIENCES LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2014-00658
Patent 7,976,060

Before JAMESON LEE, TREVOR M. JEFFERSON, and
LYNNE E. PETTIGREW, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

JEFFERSON, *Administrative Patent Judge*

JUDGMENT
Request for Adverse Judgment
37 C.F.R. § 42.73

On September 18, 2014, we instituted this *inter partes* review of claims 1-7 of U.S. Patent No. 7,976,060 (“the ’060 patent”). Paper 8. On February 9, 2015, Patent Owner, American Vehicular Sciences LLC

(“AVS”), requested entry of adverse judgment stating that “it is abandoning this contest pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 42.73(b)(4).” Paper 17.

Under 35 U.S.C. § 42.73(b), a party may request judgment against itself at any time during a proceeding. Actions construed as a request for entry of adverse judgment include abandonment of the contest. 35 U.S.C. § 42.73(b)(4). AVS has requested abandonment of the trial of claims 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 of the ’060 patent, and expressly requested entry of adverse judgment. Paper 17.

ORDER

Accordingly, it is:

ORDERED that adverse judgment is entered against Patent Owner with respect to claims 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 of the ’060 patent under 37 C.F.R. § 42.73(b); and

FURTHER ORDERED that claims 1, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10 of the ’060 patent will be cancelled.

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