

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

FARMEDHERE, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

JUST GREENS, LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2015-00333
Patent 8,533,992 B2

Before JOSIAH C. COCKS, PHILLIP J. KAUFFMAN, and JAMES A.
WORTH, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

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TERMINATION
Dismissing the Petition
37 C.F.R. §§ 42.5(a), 42.71(a)

On June 2, 2015, the parties filed a “Joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317 and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74” (Paper 14), and a request to file the settlement agreement as business confidential information (Paper 15). Petitioner and Patent Owner filed the motions after receiving authorization from the Board to file the same. The parties also filed a true copy of the written settlement agreement. Ex. 1059.

We have not instituted trial in this proceeding. Thus, this proceeding is in its initial stages. The parties indicate that they have “settled their dispute and have agreed to request termination of this IPR proceeding.” Paper 14, 1. Under these circumstances, we determine that it is appropriate to dismiss the petition. *See* 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.5(a), 42.71(a). This paper does not constitute a final written decision pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 318(a).

In consideration of the foregoing, it is hereby:

ORDERED that the parties’ “Joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317 and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74” (Paper 14) is *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for *Inter Partes* Review of the above-referenced patent is *dismissed*; and

FURTHER ORDERED that, as was requested timely by the parties (Paper 15), the settlement agreement (Ex. 1059) will be treated as business confidential information under 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c).

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