

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ADVANCED MICRODEVICES, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

REALTEK SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

IPR2023-00920
Patent 8,006,218 B2

Before KEVIN F. TURNER, KIMBERLY McGRAW, and
BRIAN D. RANGE, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

McGRAW, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

Granting Parties' Joint Request for Authorization to file Motion to
Terminate Proceeding following Settlement
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

On June 24, 2024, Petitioner Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. and Patent Owner Realtek Semiconductor Corporation (collectively, “the Parties”) jointly requested authorization from the Board to file a motion to terminate the proceeding under 35 U.S.C. § 317 pursuant to a settlement agreement between the Parties.

The Parties’ request is granted. Generally, the Board expects that a proceeding will terminate after the filing of a settlement agreement. *See, e.g., Consolidated Trial Practice Guide*, 86 (Nov. 2019).¹ Any agreement or understanding between the patent owner and a petitioner, including any collateral agreements referred to in such agreement or understanding, made in connection with, or in contemplation of, the termination of a proceeding shall be in writing and a true copy of such agreement or understanding shall be filed in the Office prior to termination. *See* 35 U.S.C. § 317(b); 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(b). The Parties may also file a request that any such agreement or understanding be treated as business confidential information and kept separate from the file of the involved patent. *See* 35 U.S.C. § 317(b); 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c).

ORDER

It is, therefore,

ORDERED that Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. and Realtek Semiconductor Corporation are authorized to file motions, limited to ten pages, to terminate IPR2023-00920 on the basis of a settlement agreement entered into between them; and

FURTHER ORDERED that pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and

¹ Available at <https://www.uspto.gov/TrialPracticeGuideConsolidated>.

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37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c), Advanced Micro Devices, Inc. and Realtek Semiconductor Corporation may file a motion to designate the settlement agreement as confidential business information.

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