

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

BMW OF NORTH AMERICA, LLC, ROBERT BOSCH LLC, VALEO SE, and
VALEO SCHALTER UND SENSOREN GMBH

Petitioners,

v.

FORAS TECHNOLOGIES LTD.,

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2023-01373

Patent 7,502,958 B2

Before CARL W. WHITEHEAD JR., THOMAS L. GIANETTI, and
KARA L. SZPONDOWSKI, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

PATENT OWNER'S NOTICE OF APPEAL

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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §§ 141(c), 142, and 319; 37 C.F.R. §§ 90.2(a) and 90.3(a); Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 15; and Federal Circuit Rule 15, that Patent Owner Foras Technologies Ltd. (“Foras”) appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision entered on March 18, 2025 (Paper 34) (the “Final Written Decision”), and from all underlying orders, decisions, rulings and opinions, including the denial of the request for Director Review on May 27, 2025 (Paper 38).¹

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), Foras further indicates that the issues on appeal include, but are not limited to, the Patent Trial and Appeal Board’s determination of unpatentability of claims 1-8 and 13-22 of U.S. Patent No. 7,502,958 and any finding or determination supporting or related to those issues, as well as all other issues decided adversely to Foras in any orders, decisions, rulings, and opinions.

¹ Valeo SE and Valeo Schalter und Sensoren GmbH filed a motion for joinder and a petition in IPR2024-00823 and were joined as petitioners in this proceeding. *See* Paper 33, 45–46; IPR2024-00823, Paper 9.

Simultaneous with this submission, a copy of this Notice of Appeal is being filed with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board and the Clerk's Office for the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

Respectfully submitted,

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