

From: [Trials](#)
To: [Mark J. DeBoy](#); [Trials](#)
Cc: [David Boag](#); [Patrick Finnan](#); [Larry Shatzer](#)
Subject: RE: IPR2023-01388 - DeFi Education Fund v. True Return Systems, LLC -- Request for Permission to file a Motion to Terminate
Date: Thursday, August 22, 2024 12:10:00 PM
Attachments: [image001.png](#)

Counsel,

In view of the Parties' representation of entering a settlement agreement, the Board grants the Parties' joint request to file a motion in inter partes review IPR2023-01388 to terminate the proceeding pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317.

The Parties are also permitted to concurrently file the settlement agreement, along with requests to file the settlement agreement under seal, and treat it as confidential business information.

Regards,

Andrew Kellogg,
Deputy Chief Clerk, Trials
Patent Trial and Appeal Board
USPTO
andrew.kellogg@uspto.gov
(571)272-7822

From: Mark J. DeBoy <mdeboy@esfip.com>
Sent: Thursday, August 22, 2024 10:45 AM
To: Trials <Trials@USPTO.GOV>
Cc: David Boag <dab@boagip.com>; Patrick Finnan <pfinnan@esfip.com>; Larry Shatzer <lshatzer@esfip.com>
Subject: RE: IPR2023-01388 - DeFi Education Fund v. True Return Systems, LLC -- Request for Permission to file a Motion to Terminate

CAUTION: This email has originated from a source outside of USPTO. **PLEASE CONSIDER THE SOURCE** before responding, clicking on links, or opening attachments.

To the Honorable Board,

Petitioner writes to follow-up on the email below requesting permission to file a joint motion to terminate Inter Partes Review IPR2023-01388. The Parties are prepared to file the motion with the Board's permission.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark DeBoy
Counsel for Petitioner

Mark J. DeBoy
Partner



EDELL • SHAPIRO • FINNAN

9801 Washingtonian Boulevard, Suite 750

Gaithersburg, MD 20878

mdeboy@esfip.com

Direct: 240-864-2459

Fax: 301-762-4056

Information contained within this email and its attachments, if any, may be confidential and/or privileged. This email is intended to be reviewed only by the individual to whom it is addressed. If you are not the intended recipient or an authorized representative of the intended recipient, please be aware that any review, dissemination, or copying of the information contained within this email and its attachments, if any, is prohibited. If you have received this email in error, please immediately notify me by return email and delete this email from your system.

From: Mark J. DeBoy <mdeboy@esfip.com>

Sent: Thursday, August 15, 2024 1:31 PM

To: Trials <Trials@USPTO.GOV>

Cc: David Boag <dab@boagip.com>; Patrick Finnann <pfinnan@esfip.com>; Larry Shatzer <lshatzer@esfip.com>

Subject: IPR2023-01388 - DeFi Education Fund v. True Return Systems, LLC -- Request for Permission to file a Motion to Terminate

To the Honorable Board,

The Parties (True Return Systems (Patent Owner) and the Defi Education Fund (Petitioner)) are jointly contacting the Board to request permission to file a motion in inter partes review IPR2023-01388. The Parties have entered into a settlement agreement that resolves the disputes between the Parties regarding inter partes review IPR2023-01388. Accordingly, the Parties request permission to jointly file a motion in inter partes review IPR2023-01388 to terminate the proceeding pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317.

Should the Board request a conference call to discuss this request, the parties are generally available Tuesday, August 20th through Friday, August 23rd.

Respectfully submitted,
Mark DeBoy
Counsel for Petitioner

Mark J. DeBoy

Partner



EDELL • SHAPIRO • FINNAN

9801 Washingtonian Boulevard, Suite 750

Gaithersburg, MD 20878

mdeboy@esfip.com

Direct: 240-864-2459

Fax: 301-762-4056

Information contained within this email and its attachments, if any, may be confidential and/or privileged. This email is intended to be reviewed only by the individual to whom it is addressed. If you are not the intended recipient or an authorized representative of the intended recipient, please be aware that any review, dissemination, or copying of the information contained within this email and its attachments, if any, is prohibited. If you have received this email in error, please immediately notify me by return email and delete this email from your system.