

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

AT&T CORP., AT&T SERVICES, INC., and AT&T MOBILITY LLC,
Petitioners,

v.

ALEXANDER SOTO and WALTER SOTO,
Patent Owners.

Case IPR2024-00712
U.S. Patent No. 8,238,754

ALEXANDER SOTO AND WALTER SOTO'S MANDATORY NOTICES
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §42.8(a)(2)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2), Patent Owners, Alexander Soto and Walter Soto hereby file their Mandatory Notices.

I. 37 C.F.R § 42.8(b)(1) – REAL PARTY-IN-INTEREST

The Patent Owners are Alexander Soto and Walter Soto, and real party-in-interest is NextGen Innovations, LLC (exclusive licensee of U.S. Pat. No. 10,263,723).

II. 37 C.F.R § 42.8(b)(2) – RELATED MATTERS

Patent Owners note the following proceedings that may affect, or be affected by, a decision in this proceeding:

No.	Case Caption	Court	Civil Action No.
1	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. Infinera Corporation ¹	EDTX	2:22-cv-00306
2	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. Fujitsu Network Communications, Inc., et al. ²	EDTX	2:22-cv-00307
3	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. AT&T Services, Inc., et al. ³	EDTX	2:22-cv-00308

¹ Previously consolidated with case number 2 in this list and now consolidated with case number 16 in this list.

² Fujitsu is the lead case, and it settled on February 12, 2024. *See* Dkt. 280.

³ Consolidated with case number 2 in this list. **The underlying case against AT&T has been stayed pending settlement.** *See* case number 2, docket nos. 406-407.

4	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. Nokia of America Corporation, et al. ⁴	EDTX	2:22-cv-00309
5	II-VI Inc., v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2021-01361 (Pat. No. 10,771,181)
6	II-VI Inc., v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2021-01358 (Pat. No. 9,887,795)
7	II-VI Inc., v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2021-01359 (Pat. No. 10,263,723)
8	Nokia of America Corp., v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2023-00680 (Pat. No. 9,887,795)
9	Nokia of America Corp., v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2023-00681 (Pat. No. 10,263,723)
10	Nokia of America Corp., v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2023-00682 (Pat. No. 10,771,181)
11	Infinera Corp. v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2023-00834 (Pat. No. 9,887,795)
12	Infinera Corp. v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2023-00835 (Pat. No. 10,263,723)
13	Infinera Corp. v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2023-00838 (Pat. No. 10,771,181)

⁴ Previously consolidated with case number 2 in this list and now consolidated with case number 16 in this list. *See* Dkt. 15. Accordingly, the original trial date is no longer effective.

14	Nokia of America Corp., v. Alexander Soto and Walter Soto.	PTAB	IPR2023-00960 (Pat. No. 8,238,754)
15	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. AT&T Services, Inc. et al.	EDTX	2:23-cv-00263
16	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. Nokia of America Corporation et al.	EDTX	2:23-cv-00637
17	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. Cisco Systems, Inc.	EDTX	2:24-cv-00092
18	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. II-VI, Inc. et al.	EDTX	4:20-cv-00854
19	NextGen Innovations, LLC v. II-VI, Inc. et al.	NDCA	4:21-cv-07477

III. 37 C.F.R § 42.8(b)(3) – LEAD AND BACKUP COUNSEL

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(b), a Power of Attorney is being filed concurrently with these mandatory notices.

IV. 37 C.F.R § 42.8(b)(4) – SERVICE INFORMATION

Please address all correspondence to the lead and backup counsel as shown above. Patent Owners consent to electronic service by e-mail at the e-mail addresses above.

V. CONCLUSION

Patent Owners believe that this submission fulfills the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2). Please contact the undersigned counsel if any additional information is required.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e)(1))

The undersigned hereby certifies that the above document was served on April 12, 2024, by filing this document through the P-TACTS system as well as delivering a copy via electronic mail upon the following attorneys of record for the Petitioner:

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