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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE OFFICE OF THE UNDER SECRETARY OF COMMERCE
FOR INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY AND DIRECTOR OF THE
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD. and
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

MAXELL LTD.,
Patent Owner.

IPR2024-00735 (Patent 11,017,815 B2)
IPR2024-00828 (Patent 8,982,086 B2)
IPR2024-00867 (Patent 10,176,848 B2)[1]

Before JOHN A. SQUIRES, *Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.*

ORDER

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[1] This order applies to each of the above-listed proceedings.

The Office received a request for Director Review of the Final Written Decision in each of the above-captioned cases and an authorized response to each request. *See* Papers 52, 53.[2]

Having considered the requests and responses, it is:

ORDERED that the requests for Director Review are denied.

[2] Citations are to the record in IPR2024-00735. The parties filed similar papers in IPR2024-00828 and IPR2024-00867.

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