

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

BOE TECHNOLOGY GROUP CO., LTD.,
Petitioner,

v.

138 EAST LCD ADVANCEMENTS LIMITED,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2024-00973
Patent No. 9,184,157

DECLARATION OF JONATHAN C. MERZ

I, Jonathan Christian Merz, declare as follows:

1. I am over 21 years of age and am competent to make this declaration.
2. I am a native speaker of English.
3. I am fluent in Japanese.
4. I have 15 years of experience translating Japanese to English.
5. I translated the attached patent document "JP2001166334A" from Japanese to English.
6. I certify that the translation of the document "JP2001166334A" is, to the best of my knowledge, a true and accurate translation from Japanese to English.
7. In signing this declaration, I understand that the translation and this declaration may be filed as evidence in a contested case. I acknowledge that I may be subject to cross-examination within the United States.
8. I declare under penalty of perjury that all statements made herein are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code.

Executed: May 30, 2024

By:



Jonathan Christian Merz