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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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NINGBO LINHUA PLASTIC CO.K Ltd.,  
Petitioner

v.

CONVERTER MANUFACTURING, LLC  
Patent Owner

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Case No. IPR2024-01435  
U.S. Patent No. 10,562,222

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**MANDATORY NOTICES OF PATENT OWNER  
CONVERTER MANUFACTURING, LLC**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8, Patent Owner Converter Manufacturing, LLC hereby makes its mandatory notices:

**I. REAL PARTY-IN-INTEREST**

The real party-in-interest of Patent Owner is Converter Manufacturing, LLC, the owner of U.S. Patent No. 10,562,222.

**II. RELATED MATTERS**

U.S. Patent No. 10,562,222 is currently involved in the following proceedings:

- *Clearly Clean Prods. LLC, et al. v. Tekni-Plex, Inc., et al.*, United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania, Civil Case No. 2:20-cv-04723, filed September 25, 2020. Defendants Tekni-Plex, Inc. and Dolco, LLC have filed a motion to dismiss for failure to state a claim as to non-patent grounds and a motion to dismiss as to all claims against Defendant Dolco Packaging Corporation. Defendant Commodore Plastics, LLC has also filed a motion to dismiss for lack of personal jurisdiction and failure to state a claim as to all counts. This case is stayed pending the outcome of an appeal to the Federal Circuit of the PTAB's three prior *Inter Partes* Review Petition Proceedings (IPR2021-00916, IPR2021-00918, and IPR2021-00919).

- *Clearly Clean Prods. LLC, et al. v. Eco Food Pak USA Inc., et al.*, United States District Court for the Central District of California, Civil Case No. 5:20-cv-01054, filed May 18, 2021. Defendant Eco Food Pak USA Inc. responded to the complaint and settled with Patent Owner.

Petitioner/Defendant Ningbo Linhua Plastic Co. Ltd has appeared and motioned the Court to stay the litigation pending the outcome of an appeal to the Federal Circuit of the PTAB's three prior *Inter Partes* Review Petition Proceedings (IPR2021-00916, IPR2021-00918, and IPR2021-00919).

- *In re Certain Rolled-Edge Rigid Plastic Food Trays*, United States International Trade Commission, Investigation No. 337-TA-1203, filed May 20, 2020. Respondent Eco Food Pak USA Inc. entered into a Consent Order for a Limited Exclusion Order on October 1, 2020. On February 25, 2021, Patent Owner received a limited exclusion order against Petitioner/Respondent Ningbo Linhua Plastic Co., Ltd.

### III. LEAD AND BACK-UP COUNSEL

Patent Owner hereby identifies the following lead and back-up counsel:

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned hereby certifies that on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2024, a true and accurate copy of the foregoing *Mandatory Notices of Patent Owner Converter Manufacturing, LLC* was filed through the Patent Review Processing System and served on the following counsel for Petitioner via email:

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