

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

STARA S.A.-INDÚSTRIA DE IMPLEMENTOS AGRÍCOLAS,
Petitioner,

v.

AGCO CORPORATION,

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2024-01459
Patent No. 11,665,989 B1

Declaration of Brian A. Tollefson in Support of Motion

I, Brian A. Tollefson, declare as follows:

1. My name is Brian A. Tollefson. I am a registered patent attorney and represent Petitioner as lead counsel in this matter.
2. In February 2021, I started my own law firm, Tollefson IP. I am a solo practitioner. I have only one employee who oversees my billing and docketing. I have no secretary, paralegal or associates.
3. As a result, I perform many jobs including ministerial, clerical, and paralegal work.
4. Attached as Exhibit 1024 is a true and correct copy of Korean patent document KR 10-2014-0058776, which corresponds to Korean patent document KR 10-1877062, which was filed in this proceeding as Exhibits 1012 (verified English translation) and 1019 (original).
5. I compared KR-10-2014-0058776 with KR 10-1877062 (Exhibit 1019) and they appear to be identical except for the cover sheets. I was unable to obtain a verified English translation of KR-10-2014-0058776 by the time this motion was filed, but all the paragraphs, drawings and claims are clearly identical.
6. I note that when preparing the IPR petition for this matter, I must have mixed up KR 10-2014-0058776 with KR 10-1877062 as I did not make a decision to rely on a patent rather than a patent application publication. I believe that my

unfamiliarity with Korean patent documents, and the fact that the documents both bear the same publication date (May 15, 2014) and are nearly identical, caused me to interchange them. In any event, for the purpose of what was disclosed, the documents are interchangeable.

Respectfully,

Dated: January 25, 2025

/Brian A. Tollefson/

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