United States District Court
Northern District of California

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

APPLIED OPTOELECTRONICS, INC.,

Plaintiff,

v.

CAMBRIDGE INDUSTRIES USA, INC.,

Defendant.

Case No. 3:24-cv-01010-JD

SCHEDULING ORDER

The Court sets the following case management deadlines pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 16 and Civil Local Rule 16-10. The parties are advised to review and comply with the Court's Standing Order for Civil Cases, Standing Order for Discovery in Civil Cases, and Standing Order for Civil Jury Trials.

Event	Deadline
Plaintiffs to serve initial infringement contentions and accompanying document production	August 28, 2024
Defendants to serve initial invalidity contentions and accompanying document production	October 15, 2024
Exchange of proposed terms for construction	October 29, 2024
Exchange of preliminary claim constructions and extrinsic evidence	November 19, 2024
Damages contentions	December 4, 2024
Parties to file joint claim construction statement and prehearing statement and expert reports	December 16, 2024
Responsive damages contentions	January 3, 2025

Event	Deadline
Close of claim construction discovery	January 15, 2025
Plaintiff's opening claim construction brief	January 30, 2025
Defendant's responsive claim construction brief	February 13, 2025
Plaintiff's reply claim construction brief	February 20, 2025
Damages contentions meeting	March 4, 2025
Claim construction hearing	April 10, 2025, at 1:30 p.m.
Statements and documents relating to reliance on advice of counsel	August 28, 2025
Fact discovery cutoff	September 29, 2025
Expert disclosures	October 14, 2025
Rebuttal expert disclosures	November 28, 2025
Expert discovery cut-off	December 29, 2025
Last day to file dispositive and FRE 702 motions	January 28, 2026
Pretrial conference	May 21, 2026, at 1:30 p.m.
Jury Trial	June 8, 2026, at 9:00 a.m.

All dates set by the Court should be regarded as firm. Counsel may not modify these dates by stipulation without leave of court. Requests for continuances are disfavored, and scheduling conflicts that are created subsequent to the date of this order by any party, counsel or party-controlled expert or witness will not be considered good cause for a continuance. Sanctions may issue for a failure to follow a scheduling or other pretrial order. *See* Fed. R. Civ. P. 16(f)(1)(C).

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 7, 2024

JAMES DONATO
United States District Judge