

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CAMBRIDGE INDUSTRIES USA INC.,
Petitioner
v.
APPLIED OPTOELECTRONICS, INC.,
Patent Owners

Case: IPR2025-00437
U.S. Patent No. 10,788,690

PETITIONER'S NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1295(a)(4)(A), 35 U.S.C. §§ 141(c), 142, and 319, and 37 C.F.R. §§ 90.2(a), 90.3, and Federal Circuit Rule 15(a)(1), Petitioner CAMBRIDGE INDUSTRIES USA INC. (“Petitioner” or “Cambridge”) provides notice that it appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision of the Board entered July 27, 2026 (Paper 30), and from all underlying and related orders, decisions, rulings, institutions, and opinions regarding U.S. Patent No. 10,788,690 (“the ’690 patent”) at issue in *Inter Partes* Review No. IPR2025-00437. This notice of appeal is timely filed because it is filed within 63 days of the July 27, 2026 Final Written Decision.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), the expected issues on appeal include, but are not limited to: the Board’s determination that Petitioner did not establish that claims 1-19 of the ’690 patent are unpatentable and all other issues decided adversely to Petitioner in any orders, decisions, rulings, or opinions in this proceeding.

Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 142 and 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a), a copy of this Notice is being filed with the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office and with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board. In addition, a copy of this Notice and the required docketing fees are being filed with the Clerk’s Office for the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit via CM/ECF.

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