

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

LIFEVAC, LLC,
Petitioner

v.

DCSTAR INC.,
Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2025-00454
Patent No. US 11,478,575

PATENT OWNER'S MANDATORY NOTICES

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8, DCSTAR Inc. (“Patent Owner”) hereby files the following Mandatory Notices:

A. REAL PARTY-IN-INTEREST

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(1), the real party in interest is Patent Owner.

B RELATED MATTERS

The challenged patent was the subject of prior a post grant review, proceeding PGR2023-00032, which was field by Petitioner LIFEVAC, LLC on May 15, 2023. The Board denied institution of this proceeding on November 29, 2023. The subject inter partes review proceeding is based on a follow-on petition filed by the same Petitioner.

Additionally, the following five infringement lawsuits involved the challenged patent. None of these lawsuits named Petitioner as a defendant. Patent Owner respectfully requests that the Board advise if any additional information is required concerning these lawsuits.

- DCSTAR INC. v. The Partnerships and Unincorporated Associations Identified on Schedule A, Case 1:23-cv-02355 (N.D. Ill.) (Closed Nov. 28, 2023)
- DCSTAR INC. v. The Partnerships and Unincorporated Associations Identified on Schedule A, Case 1:23-cv-02522 (N.D. Ill.) (Closed Oct. 10, 2023)
- DCSTAR INC. v. The Partnerships and Unincorporated Associations Identified on Schedule A, Case 1:23-cv-03351 (N.D. Ill.) (Closed Nov. 16, 2023)
- DCSTAR INC. v. The Partnerships and Unincorporated Associations Identified on Schedule A, Case 1:23-cv-05937 (N.D. Ill.) (Closed Dec. 18, 2023)

- DCSTAR INC. v. The Partnerships and Unincorporated Associations Identified on Schedule A, Case 1:23-cv-15841 (N.D. Ill.) (Closed Mar. 20, 2024)

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E. POWER OF ATTORNEY

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(b), a Power of Attorney accompanies this Petition.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that on February 20, 2025, copies of Patent Owner's Power of Attorney (Paper 3), and Patent Owner's Mandatory Notices (Paper 4) have been served via email on Counsel for Petitioner at the email address as indicated in their Mandatory Notices Under 37 C.F.R. § 42.8:

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