

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

FERID ALLANI,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-00857
Patent 10,943,058 B2

Before JAMESON LEE, JEFFREY S. SMITH,
and BRIAN P. MURPHY, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

SMITH, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Conduct of Proceeding
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

Petitioner requested by email (Ex. 3001), on September 9, 2025, authorization to file a Preliminary Reply to Patent Owner's Preliminary Response, to address Patent Owner's claim construction position that the selection pages must be pre-stored on the mobile device, rather than downloaded by the user.

It is

ORDERED that Petitioner is authorized to file a Preliminary Reply, limited to five pages and addressing only Patent Owner's position that the selection pages must be pre-stored on the mobile communication device before the preliminary search by the user begins, rather than downloaded by the user as a part of the preliminary search;

FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner's Preliminary Reply may specifically respond to Patent Owner's proposed construction of the claim terms (1) "a preliminary search for information or service, locally performed within said communication device"; (2) "a preliminary search locally performed within said communication device"; (3) "beforehand locally stored"; and (4) "direct access icon";

FURTHER ORDERED that Patent Owner is authorized to file a Preliminary Sur-reply, limited to five pages, only addressing Petitioner's Preliminary Reply; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner's Preliminary Reply is due five business days from the date of this communication, and Patent Owner's Preliminary Sur-reply is due five business days from the date of filing of Petitioner's Preliminary Reply.

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