

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

STARBUCKS CORPORATION,
Petitioner,

v.

PI-DESIGN AG,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-01178
Patent 8,695,486

PATENT OWNER'S MANDATORY NOTICES

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8, Patent Owner Pi-Design AG submits these Mandatory Notices to satisfy the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 42.8. Patent Owner reserves its rights to supplement or modify these Notices.

1. 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(1) - Real Party-In-Interest

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(1), Patent Owner Pi-Design AG is the real party in interest. Bodum USA, Inc. is also a real party-in-interest as a licensee of Pi-Design AG in the United States.

2. 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(2) - Related Matters

Patent Owner identifies the following pending related proceeding involving the patent-at-issue: Bodum USA Inc. and Pi-Design AG v. Starbucks Corporation, Case No. 1-24-cv-05319 (N.D. Ill.) (filed Jun. 25, 2024).

The parties also have a pending proceeding regarding a breach of contract claim: Bodum USA Inc. v. Starbucks Corporation, Case No. 1-23-cv-02946 (N.D. Ill.) (filed May 10, 2023).

3. 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3) - Lead and Back-Up Counsel

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3), Patent Owner designates the lead and backup counsel listed below. A separate power of attorney accompanies these Mandatory Notices.

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4. 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(4) - Service Information

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