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The parties are authorized to file the joint motion to terminate, including a request to keep confidential the settlement papers. The motion shall be filed by Friday, March 27, 2026.

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To the Board,

The parties have reached a settlement in the matter involving the referenced IPR. Accordingly, the parties jointly request authorization to file (i) a motion to terminate, (ii) a copy of the settlement agreement, and (iii) a joint request to keep the settlement agreement as confidential business information pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 42.74(c).

Respectfully,
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