
RE: IPR2026-00326 (Microsoft Corp. v. Qomplx LLC) — meet and confer re: contacting board re. POPR filing date

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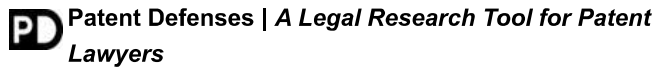
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Michael, Microsoft does not oppose the below email request seeking leave to file the motion.

Best,
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From: Michael Cosley <Cosley@lowensteinweatherwax.com>

Sent: Thursday, July 9, 2026 9:48 AM

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Counsel,

As you know from the attached emails, Patent Owner did not have access to AIA Review filing in USPTO's P-TACTS yesterday and could not upload the POPR and accompanying exhibits to P-TACTS until today. Below is an email to Trials@uspto.gov that Patent Owner intends to send requesting authorization to move that the documents served yesterday be granted a filing date of yesterday. After gaining access to P-TACTS this morning, we filed the documents electronically with P-TACTS and placed a call to P-TACTS staff to confirm procedures for this

situation. In the circumstances, we therefore intend to send an email to the Board today, before close of business Eastern, and request authorization to file the motion.

Please let us know if you oppose. Please also let us know times Friday and Monday you are available for a Board conference if necessary.

Best,
Michael Cosley

Subject: IPR2026-00326: [Unopposed] Request for authorization of motion to grant POPR a 7/8/2026 filing date

Honorable Board,

Patent Owner Qomplx LLC respectfully requests authorization to file a motion requesting acceptance of Patent Owner's Preliminary Response and Exhibits 2003–2005, which were served and unsuccessfully submitted for filing in P-TACTS on July 8, 2026, and that those documents be deemed filed as of July 8, 2026.

The notice indicating that the request to institute IPR in this case was granted a filing date of April 8, 2026 made July 8, 2026 the default due date for Patent Owner's Preliminary Response. On July 8, 2026, Patent Owner served the Preliminary Response and accompanying exhibits on Petitioner and attempted to file the documents in P-TACTS. Patent Owner was unable to do so because PTAB P-TACTS was unavailable due to a system-wide service outage, as confirmed by P-TACTS staff this morning.

Based on the Office's guidance titled "**Alternative methods of filing for PTAB Patent Trial and Case Tracking System**," Patent Owner notified the Board of service of these documents by email to Trials@uspto.gov, copying opposing counsel and without attachments. Patent Owner also transmitted the documents as attachments by separate email to Trials@uspto.gov, copying Petitioner's counsel. Today, with service restored, Patent Owner successfully uploaded the documents to P-TACTS and placed a call to P-TACTS staff to confirm procedures.

According to the guidance above, where a document is served on another party by email or other means during a P-TACTS outage, the filing must be followed by a later-filed motion requesting acceptance of the submission once P-TACTS is available. Patent Owner therefore respectfully requests authorization to file a motion requesting acceptance of the Preliminary Response and Exhibits 2003–2005 with a July 8, 2026 filing date. In the motion, Patent Owner is prepared to set forth in fuller detail the circumstances regarding the P-TACTS outage, Patent Owner's attempted filing, and the reasons the motion should be granted. (Patent Owner respectfully requests that this email be deemed to be sufficient to constitute said motion, but is also fully prepared to file a full motion as described.)

Patent Owner has met and conferred with Petitioner. Petitioner states that it [does not oppose / opposes / takes no position on] this request.

If the assigned panel wishes to convene a conference call to discuss this [unopposed] request, the parties are available [at these datetimes].

Respectfully submitted,

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