

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PALO ALTO NETWORKS, INC.,

Petitioner,

v.

QOMPLX LLC.

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2026-00362
Patent No. 11,539,663

PETITIONER'S STIPULATION

Petitioner hereby stipulates that, if the Board institutes¹ *inter partes* review in this proceeding, IPR2026-00362, Petitioner will not pursue in the parallel litigation, *Qomplx LLC v. Palo Alto Networks, Inc.*, 2:25-cv-00913 (E.D. Tex.), with respect to U.S. Pat. No. 11,539,663 (the '663 patent) (1) the same grounds in the Petition (Paper 1); (2) any grounds of invalidity arising under U.S.C. § 102 or § 103 involving only patent or printed publication prior art that could have reasonably been raised in this proceeding; or (3) any ground of invalidity arising under U.S.C. § 102 or § 103 asserting a combination of system prior art with any reference asserted as part of a ground raised in the Petition, as reflected in Section III (“Grounds”) on page 4 of the Petition.²

¹ If the Board institutes *inter partes* review but later vacates institution, this stipulation is withdrawn and will not limit Petitioner’s ability to rely on any prior art in the parallel litigation.

² On October 17, 2025, the United States Patent and Trademark Office issued a Notice of Proposed Rulemaking proposing that “*inter partes* review shall not be instituted or maintained unless each petitioner files a stipulation with the Board and any other tribunal where it is litigating, or later litigates regarding the challenged patent, stating that if a trial is instituted, the petitioner and any real party in interest or privy of the petitioner will not raise grounds of invalidity or unpatentability with respect to the challenged patent under 35 U.S.C. 102 or 103 in any other proceeding.” 90 Fed. Reg. 48341, <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2025-10-17/pdf/2025-19580.pdf>. In the event these proposed rule changes are implemented, Petitioners reserve the right to modify its stipulation to conform to the regulations as ultimately implemented.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6, I hereby certify that on June 19, 2026 the foregoing document was served via email on the following counsel of record:

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