

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
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Camel Manufacturing Company, LLC

Petitioner,

v.

DLX Enterprises, LLC,

Patent Owner.

Case No. PGR2024-00033
U.S. Patent No. 11,732,496

EXHIBIT 1020

DECLARATION OF DERICK MERCER

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1. My name is Derick Mercer. I am a resident of LaFollette, Tennessee.
2. All statements made in this Declaration are made on my personal knowledge.
3. I was the Controller of Camel Manufacturing Company, Caryville, Tennessee (“Camel”) until 2018, when I became the Director of Sourcing.
4. I requested a search for the company business records relating to sales of shelters by Camel to a customer whom we call “DLX” but who is also known as “Deployed Logic.” The invoices were sent to “DLX Enterprises, LLC. These records are storable and retrievable within Camel’s office.
5. I requested that the search be specifically for records of sales of shelters that are called, within Camel, either ASAP Hub shelters, Alliance Hub shelters, Pioneer Hub shelters, and E-Series Hub shelters. I requested that the search be for sales from the beginning of DLX’s customer relationship with Camel through August 11, 2022.
6. I understand that ASAP Hub shelters and Pioneer Hub shelters are and have been the same product.
7. I understand that Alliance Hub shelters and E-Series Hub shelters are and have been the same product.

8. I understand that Alliance Hub shelters and E-Series Hub shelters are the same design as the ASAP Hub shelters and Pioneer Hub shelters but are larger.

9. In the Camel part number system:

CMC-AHB means Camel Manufacturing Company Alliance Hub

CMC-PHB means Camel Manufacturing Company Pioneer Hub

10. I reviewed all the invoices responsive to this search. Those records are voluminous, so I prepared the Excel spreadsheet attached to this Declaration as Exhibit 1019.

11. Exhibit 1019 show, in columns from left to right:

Column A: Camel invoice number.

Column B: Date of the invoice.

Column C: Date of shipment of the product identified in the invoice.

Column D: DLX purchase order number.

Column E: Item description.

Column F: Camel part number.

Column G: Number of units in shipment.

12. These invoices show all sales to DLX by Camel of Pioneer Hub shelters and Alliance/E-Series Hub shelters from February of 2018 through November 24, 2021.

13. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on May 17, 2024.



Derick Mercer