

PTO Litigation Report – April 3, 2017

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Listed below are all new filings before **PTAB** of requests for *inter partes* review (IPR), covered business methods review (CBM), and post grant review (PGR). Also listed are any newly-posted requests for *ex parte* reexamination at the USPTO. This listing is current as of 10 AM on Monday, April 3, 2017.

New IPR Petitions

Trial Number – IPR2017-01192

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 8,769,602

Title – SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR PROVIDING AN INTERACTIVE, VISUAL COMPLEMENT TO AN AUDIO PROGRAM

Patent Owner – MUSIC CHOICE

Petitioner – Stingray Digital Group Inc.

Tech Center – 2400

Trial Number – IPR2017-01198

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 8,538,498

Title – TECHNIQUE FOR EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATIONS WITH, AND PROVISION OF GLOBAL POSITIONING SYSTEM (GPS) BASED ADVERTISING INFORMATION TO, AUTOMOBILES

Patent Owner – SILVER STATE INTELLECTUAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.

Petitioner – UNIFIED PATENTS INC.

Tech Center – 2600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01217

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 8,989,445

Title – IMAGE PROCESSING APPARATUS AND METHOD

Patent Owner – IMAGE PROCESSING TECHNOLOGIES LLC

Petitioner – SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.; SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.

Tech Center – 2600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01218

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 8,983,134

Title – IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD

Patent Owner – IMAGE PROCESSING TECHNOLOGIES LLC

Petitioner – SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.; SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.

Tech Center – 2600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01220

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 8,709,494

Title – PLACENTAL TISSUE GRAFTS

Patent Owner – MIMEDX GROUP, INC.

Petitioner – VIVEX BIOMEDICAL, INC.

Tech Center – 1600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01223

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 9,399,060

Title – MULTIVALENT PNEUMOCOCCAL POLYSACCHARIDE-PROTEIN CONJUGATE COMPOSITION

Patent Owner – WYETH LLC

Petitioner – MERCK SHARP & DOHME CORP.

Tech Center – 1600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01227

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 7,682,612

Title – TREATMENT OF HEMATOLOGIC MALIGNANCIES ASSOCIATED WITH CIRCULATING TUMOR CELLS USING CHIMERIC ANTI-CD20 ANTIBODY

Patent Owner – BIOGEN INC.; GENENTECH, INC.

Petitioner – CELLTRION, INC.

Tech Center – 1600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01228

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 8,805,001

Title – IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD

Patent Owner – IMAGE PROCESSING TECHNOLOGIES LLC

Petitioner – SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.; SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.

Tech Center – 2600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01229

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 8,206,711

Title – TREATMENT OF CHRONIC LYMPHOCYTIC LEUKEMIA USING ANTI-CD20 ANTIBODIES

Patent Owner – BIOGEN INC.; GENENTECH, INC.

Petitioner – CELLTRION, INC.

Tech Center – 1600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01230

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 7,682,612

Title – TREATMENT OF HEMATOLOGIC MALIGNANCIES ASSOCIATED WITH CIRCULATING TUMOR CELLS USING CHIMERIC ANTI-CD20 ANTIBODY

Patent Owner – BIOGEN INC.; GENENTECH, INC.

Petitioner – CELLTRION, INC.

Tech Center – 1600

Trial Number – IPR2017-01231

Filing Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 7,650,015

Title – IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD

Patent Owner – IMAGE PROCESSING TECHNOLOGIES LLC

Petitioner – SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD.; SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.

Tech Center – 2600

New CBM Review Petitions

There have been no new petitions for CBM review since the last report.

New PGR Petitions

Trial Number – PGR2017-00018

Filing Date – 4/2/2017

Patent # – 9,380,739

Title – METHODS AND USES FOR IMPROVED SOWING OF SEEDS

Patent Owner – EXOSECT LIMITED

Petitioner – BAYER CROPSCIENCE LP

Tech Center – 1700

Newly-Posted Reexam Requests

Control # – 90/013,930

Date – 3/31/2017

Patent # – 5,804,375

Inventor – GELFAND, David H. et al.

Assignee – ROCHE MOLECULAR SYSTEMS, INC.

Title – REACTION MIXTURES FOR DETECTION OF TARGET NUCLEIC ACIDS

Co-pending Litigation – Cepheid v. Roche Molecular Systems, Inc., et. al., CAND-3-12-cv-04411

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