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**EX PARTE REEXAMINATION COMMUNICATION TRANSMITTAL FORM**

REEXAMINATION CONTROL NO. : 90015262  
PATENT NO. : 8719101  
ART UNIT : 3993

Enclosed is a copy of the latest communication from the United States Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified ex parte reexamination proceeding (37 CFR 1.550(f)).

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**Decision on Petition(s) Decided  
Under 37 C.F.R. 1.181**

Control No: **90/015,262**

1. THIS IS A DECISION ON THE PETITION Filed by:

☒ Patent Owner ☐ Third Party Requester on July 27, 2024

and the OPPOSITION PETITION Filed by:

☐ Patent Owner ☐ Third Party Requester on \_\_\_\_\_.

2. THIS DECISION IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.181.

The petition is before the Director of the Central Reexamination Unit for consideration.

3. RELIEF REQUESTED

The relief requested is: **Withdrawal of the finality of the March 14, 2024 final Office action.**

4. FORMAL MATTERS

A. ☒ Petition fee per 37 CFR §1.20(c)(6):

i. ☐ Petition includes authorization to debit a deposit account.

ii. ☐ Petition includes authorization to charge a credit card account.

iii. ☒ Other: EFT

B. ☒ Proper certificate of service was provided. (Not required in reexamination where patent owner is requester.)

C. ☒ Petition properly signed.

5. The Petition filed July 27, 2024 is **Dismissed** for the following reasons:

i. ☐ Formal matters (See unchecked box(es) (A, B and/or C) in section 4 above).

ii. ☐ The petition is premature since there has been no decision by the Office as to whether the submissions by ☐ Patent Owner ☐ Third Party Requester are in compliance with Office Rules and procedures.

iii. ☒ The petition is untimely since the petition was filed more than 2 months from the action by the Office dated March 14, 2024, from which relief is requested (**37 CFR 1.181(f)**).

iv. ☐ The petition is now moot.

v. ☐ Other/comment:

6. ☐ The Opposition Petition filed \_\_\_\_\_ is **Dismissed** in view of the dismissal of the petition for the reasons identified above.

7. **STATUS: Patent Owner's July 14, 2024 petition is dismissed as Untimely. Patent Owner's response to the March 14, 2024 Office action remains due August 14, 2024.**

Telephone inquiries with regard to this decision should be directed to Stephen J. Stein at 571-272-1544 in the Central Reexamination Unit.

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