

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

VOLEX PLC,
Petitioner

v.

CREDO TECHNOLOGY GROUP LTD.,
Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2025-01386
Patent No. 11,012,252

**JOINT REQUEST THAT SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT BE TREATED AS
BUSINESS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND KEPT SEPARATE
UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) AND 37 C.F.R. § 42.72(c)**

Petitioner Volex plc and Patent Owner Credo Technology Group Ltd. (collectively, the “Parties”) have settled their dispute with respect to U.S. Patent No. 11,012,252 (the “’252 Patent”), Case No. IPR2025-01386. The Settlement Agreement between the Parties fully resolves all disputes relating to the ’252 Patent before the district court and the Patent Trial and Appeal Board. *See* Exhibit 1046.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(b), any agreement or understanding between the parties made in connection with, or in contemplation of, the termination of a proceeding shall be in writing and a true copy shall be filed with the Board before the termination of the trial. Accordingly, the Parties have filed the Settlement Agreement herewith as Exhibit 1046. Pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c), Petitioner and Patent Owner jointly request to file their Settlement Agreement, including the entirety of Exhibit 1046 to the Joint Motion to Terminate Proceeding, as business confidential information, and that it be kept separate from the file of the involved ’252 Patent.

The terms of the Settlement Agreement require the Parties to treat the Settlement Agreement as confidential information and limit the Parties’ ability to share the Settlement Agreement, or to disclose its contents with third parties. *See* Exhibit 1046. Moreover, the Settlement Agreement does not contain any information material to patentability. As such, the Parties respectfully request that

the Board treat Exhibit 1046 as business confidential information pursuant to 35 U.S.C. § 317(b) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.74(c).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §42.6(e)(4)

I certify that on August 29, 2025, a copy of the foregoing document, including any exhibits or appendices filed therewith, is being served via electronic mail, as previously consented to by Patent Owner, upon the following:

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