

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CITADEL SECURITIES LLC,

Petitioner

v.

HFT SOLUTIONS, LLC,

Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2026-00151

Patent No. 11,575,381

**DECLARATION OF DALE CHANG IN SUPPORT
OF PATENT OWNER'S PRELIMINARY RESPONSE**

I, Dale Chang, declare and state as follows:

1. I am a member of the State Bar of Illinois and am a partner of Russ August & Kabat, counsel of record for Patent Owner HFT Solutions LLC in the above-captioned action. I submit this declaration in support of Patent Owner's Preliminary Response. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and if called upon to testify, could and would testify competently thereto.

2. Exhibit 2012 is a true and correct copy of the web site resulting from selecting the entry titled "Synchronous Ethernet Solutions with Altera FPGAs and Silicon Labs Jitter-Attenuating PLLs (Silicon Labs)" from <https://web.archive.org/web/20161018144943/https://www.altera.com/support/literature/wp/lit-wp.html>, downloaded January 20, 2026.

I declare under penalty of perjury pursuant to the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on March 5, 2026 at Chicago, Illinois.

/s/ Dale Chang
Dale Chang