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FORD MOTOR COMPANY,
Petitioner

v.

AUTOCONNECT HOLDINGS LLC,
Patent Owner.

IPR2026-00173
Patent 9,173,100

**PATENT OWNER AUTOCONNECT HOLDINGS LLC'S MANDATORY
NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2)**

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Patent Owner AutoConnect Holdings LLC (“Patent Owner”) hereby files these Mandatory Notices Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2).

I. REAL PARTY-IN-INTEREST

The Patent Owner’s real party in interest is AutoConnect Holdings LLC.

II. RELATED MATTERS

U.S. Patent No. 9,173,100 (“the ’100 Patent”) is involved in the following pending litigation proceedings:

AutoConnect Holdings LLC v. General Motors LLC, 2:24-cv-00877
EDTX, filed Oct. 30, 2024.

AutoConnect Holdings LLC v. Ford Motor Company, 1:24-cv-01327
DDE, filed Dec. 6, 2024.

The ’100 Patent is a continuation-in-part of U.S. nonprovisional application no. 13/679,476.

The ’100 Patent claims the benefit of and priority to the following U.S. provisional applications:

Ser. No. 61/560,509, filed on Nov. 16, 2011;

Ser. No. 61/637,164, filed on Apr. 23, 2012;

Ser. No. 61/663,335, filed on Jun. 22, 2012;

Ser. No. 61/646,747, filed on May 14, 2012;

Ser. No. 61/653,275, filed on May 30, 2012;

Ser. No. 61/653,264, filed on May 30, 2012;

Ser. No. 61/653,563, filed on May 31, 2012;

Ser. No. 61/672,483, filed on Jul. 17, 2012;

Ser. No. 61/714,016, filed on Oct. 15, 2012; and

Ser. No. 61/715,699, filed on Oct. 18, 2012.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that the foregoing **PATENT OWNER AUTOCONNECT HOLDINGS LLC'S MANDATORY NOTICES PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(a)(2)** was served electronically via e-mail on December 29, 2025, in its entirety on the following counsel of record for Petitioner:

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