

NOTE: This disposition is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals  
for the Federal Circuit**

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**TRUSTED KNIGHT CORPORATION,**  
*Appellant*

v.

**INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES  
CORPORATION,**  
*Appellee*

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2021-2274

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Appeal from the United States Patent and Trademark  
Office, Patent Trial and Appeal Board in No. IPR2020-  
00323.

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**JUDGMENT**

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THIS CAUSE having been heard and considered, it is

ORDERED and ADJUDGED:

PER CURIAM (MOORE, *Chief Judge*, LOURIE and STARK, *Circuit Judges*).

**AFFIRMED. See Fed. Cir. R. 36.**

ENTERED BY ORDER OF THE COURT

July 7, 2022  
Date

/s/ Peter R. Marksteiner  
Peter R. Marksteiner  
Clerk of Court