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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS, EASTERN DIVISION

ERICH SPECHT, an individual, and)
doing business as)
ANDROID DATA CORPORATION, and)
THE ANDROID'S DUNGEON INCORPORATED,)
Illinois corporations)

Plaintiffs

v.

GOOGLE INC., a Delaware corporation,)
OPEN HANDSET ALLIANCE,)
China Mobile Communications Corporation,)
KDDI CORPORATION, NTT DoCoMo, Inc.)
SOFTBANK MOBILE Corp., Sprint Nextel,)
T-Mobile, Telecom Italia, Telefónica, Vodafone,)
AKM Semiconductor, Audience, ARM,)
Atheros Communications, Broadcom Corporation,)
Ericsson, Intel Corporation, Marvell Semiconductor, Inc.,)
NVIDIA Corporation, Qualcomm Inc.,)
SiRF Technology Holdings, Inc., Synaptics, Inc.,)
Texas Instruments Incorporated,)
ASUSTeK Computer Inc., HTC Corporation,)
Huawei Technologies, LG Electronics, Inc.,)
Motorola, Inc., Samsung Electronics, Sony Ericsson,)
Toshiba Corporation, Ascender Corp.,)
eBay Inc., LivingImage LTD.,)
Myriad, Nuance Communications, Inc.,)
OMRON SOFTWARE Co, Ltd., PacketVideo (PV),)
SkyPop, SONiVOX, Aplix Corporation,)
Borqs, Noser Engineering Inc.,)
TAT - The Astonishing Tribe AB, Teleca AB,)
Wind River, and Garmin International, Inc.)

Defendants

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JUDGE LEINENWEBER
MAGISTRATE JUDGE COLE

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**DEMAND FOR JURY
TRIAL**

COMPLAINT FOR TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT

Plaintiffs ERICH SPECHT ("Erich"), ANDROID DATA CORPORATION, an Illinois corporation ("Android Data") and THE ANDROID'S DUNGEON INCORPORATED,

an Illinois corporation (“Dungcon”) (collectively referred to as “Plaintiffs”), by and through their attorney, as and for their Complaint against Defendants, GOOGLE INC. (“Google”), OPEN HANDSET ALLIANCE (“OHA”) and OHA members: China Mobile Communications Corporation; KDDI CORPORATION; NTT DoCoMo, Inc.; SOFTBANK MOBILE Corp.; Sprint Nextel; T-Mobile; Telecom Italia; Telefónica; Vodafone; AKM Semiconductor; Audience; ARM; Atheros Communications; Broadcom Corporation; Ericsson; Intel Corporation; Marvell Semiconductor, Inc.; NVIDIA Corporation; Qualcomm Inc.; SiRF Technology Holdings, Inc.; Synaptics, Inc.; Texas Instruments Incorporated; ASUSTeK Computer Inc.; HTC Corporation; Huawei Technologies; LG Electronics, Inc.; Motorola, Inc.; Samsung Electronics; Sony Ericsson; Toshiba, Software Companies; Ascender Corp.; eBay Inc.; Google Inc.; LivingImage LTD; Myriad; Nuance Communications, Inc.; OMRON SOFTWARE Co, Ltd.; PacketVideo (PV); SkyPop; SONiVOX; Aplix Corporation; Borqs, Noser Engineering Inc.; TAT - The Astonishing Tribe AB; Teleca AB; Wind River; and Garmin International, Inc. allege as follows:

I. THE PARTIES

1. Plaintiff Erich Specht is a resident of the village of Palatine, Illinois. Plaintiff corporations are Illinois domestic corporations organized and existing under the laws of the State of Illinois and having a principal place of business in the village of Palatine, Illinois.
2. Defendant, Google, Inc., is a Delaware corporation registered to do business as a foreign corporation in Illinois.

3. Defendant Open Handset Alliance is an "Alliance" of mobile operators, software companies, commercialization companies, semi-conductor companies and handset manufacturers with headquarters in Mountain View, California; Bonn Germany; Taoyuan, Taiwan; San Diego, California, and Schaumburg, Illinois .

II. JURISDICTION AND VENUE

4. This is a complaint for Trademark Infringement, Unfair Competition, and False Description arising under §§ 32 and 43 of the Lanham Act, 15 U.S.C. §§ 1114(1) (Trademark Infringement)
5. This Court has original subject matter jurisdiction over this action pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1338(a) and 15 U.S.C. § 1121.
6. This Court has personal jurisdiction over defendant Google because it is a foreign corporation registered to do business in Illinois with the Illinois Secretary of State. This Court has personal jurisdiction over the OHA members because they maintain a headquarter in Schaumburg, Illinois. The court also has diversity jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C.A. § 1332.
7. Venue is proper in this district under 28 U.S.C. §1391(b) and (c).

III. FACTUAL BACKGROUND

8. Plaintiff, Android Data Corporation is an Illinois corporation in good standing. It was incorporated on December 30, 1998 by Erich Specht its sole officer, director and shareholder.
9. Plaintiff, The Android's Dungeon Incorporated is an Illinois corporation in good standing. It was incorporated on March 5, 2001 by Erich Specht, the sole officer, director and shareholder.

10. Plaintiff, Erich Specht is a software developer and internet application service provider.
11. Erich has and continues to develop software under the name Android Data that enables remote administration of web sites including secure data transfer, management and categorization of products, image processing, online surveys, email campaigns, document transformation, and the like.
12. The software implements advanced caching of algorithms that allow for greater efficiency of web and database servers.
13. The Android Data software was intended and has been licensed for use to customers who transact hundreds of millions of dollars in world wide transactions including tens of millions in e-commerce over the world wide web using plaintiff's software.
14. Plaintiff chose the name Android Data to communicate the seamless, almost robotic-like, bi-directional communication of data between a client and a data center in a remote location.
15. Plaintiff is and has been further developing the original Android Data product as well as preparing to release additional products in the near future under the Android Data product mark.
16. On June 4, 2000, Plaintiff, Erich, under the name Android Data Corporation, filed an application with the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") for the mark "Android Data" (Serial number 7801167). A copy of the application is attached as Plaintiffs' Exhibit A.

17. On October 22, 2002 The PTO granted plaintiffs Registration of the mark "Android Data", Registration number 2639556. As a condition of approval, PTO required that the following language be inserted into the application "No claim is made to the exclusive right to use "Data," apart from the mark as shown." Thus the dominant word in the mark was "ANDROID" with Data being a descriptive or non-dominant word. The purpose of the Trademark was for computer e-commerce software to allow users to perform electronic business transactions via a global computer network, in International Class 9 (U.S. CLS. 21, 23,26,36, and 38). A copy of the Trademark Principal Register is attached as Plaintiffs' Exhibit B.
18. On October 31, 2007 defendant Google filed an application with the PTO for the mark "Android," Serial number 77318565. The goods and services identified under the application were International Class 9 (hardware; software). The stated Intent to Use was listed as: "The applicant has a bona fide intention to use through the applicant's related company or licensee the mark in commerce or in connection with the identified goods and/or services." Thus, Google was seeking the right to the exclusive use of the Android mark in commerce or in connection with any software or hardware use. By definition, this use would include plaintiffs' permitted use of the Android mark. A copy of Google's application is attached as Plaintiffs Exhibit C.
19. On November 5, 2007 Defendants Google and the Open Handset Alliance ("OHA"), a partnership or business alliance of 47 firms led by Google, T-Mobile,

HTC, Qualcomm and Motorola made their product launch under plaintiffs' Android mark.

20. Wikipedia, the free online encyclopedia, reports that "Android is the brain child of Google and the flagship software of the OHA. is based on an open source license and will compete against other mobile platforms from Apple Inc., Microsoft, Nokia, Palm, Research In Motion and Symbia .".
21. The OHA initially consisted of 34 firms including mobile operators, software companies, commercialization companies, semiconductor companies, and handset manufacturers.
22. On November 5, 2007, the original members of the OHA were announced in Google's press release as: China Mobile Communications Corporation; KDDI Corporation; NTT DoCoMo, Inc.; Sprint Nextel; T-Mobile; Telecom Italia; Softbank Mobile Corp.; Telefónica; Ascender Corp.; eBay Inc.; Google Inc.; LivingImage Ltd.; Nuance Communications, Inc.; PacketVideo; SkyPop; SONiVOX; Aplix Corporation; Noser Engineering Inc.; TAT The Astonishing Tribe AB, Wind River; Audience, Broadcom Corporation; Intel Corporation; Marvell Semiconductors, Inc.; Nvidia Corporation, Qualcomm, Inc. SiRF Technology Holdings, Inc.; Synaptics, Inc.; Texas Instruments Incorporated; HTC Corporation; LG Electronics, Inc.; Motorola, Inc.; Samsung Electronics; Vodafone, Ericsson, and Borqs
23. Beginning on November 5, 2007 and continuing to the present, Defendants Google, OHA, and it's members, without authority, have been issuing press

releases for their products and services under plaintiffs' Android mark in violation of the Lanham Act.

24. The defendants have created and control an extensive and integrated worldwide network of companies that pool resources to enable them to market various types of infringing products and services.
25. On November 5, 2007 OIIA members Aplix, Ascender, Livingimage, Marvell, Nuance, PacketVideo, Sonivox, Sprint Nextel, and Wind River issued press releases improperly using Plaintiffs' mark. (Source: OIIA's website 4/23/09).
26. On November 12, 2007, OHA members Ascender, Google and Synaptics issued press releases improperly using Plaintiffs' mark. (Source OIIA website 4/23/09).
27. On February 14, 2008 the PTO issued it's Office Action letter denying Google's application under Section 2(d) to use the "Android" mark citing likelihood of confusion with plaintiffs' mark. A copy of the denial is attached as Plaintiff's Exhibit D.
28. The following is an excerpt of the PTO's decision regarding Google's application:

Refusal: Section 2(d) - Likelihood of Confusion Refusal

Registration of the proposed mark is refused because of a likelihood of confusion with the mark in U.S. Registration No. 2639556. Trademark Act Section 2(d), 15 U.S.C. §1052(d); TMEP §§1207.01 *et seq.*

See the enclosed registration.

Taking into account the relevant *du Pont* factors, a likelihood of confusion determination in this case involves a two-part analysis. First, the marks are

compared for similarities in appearance, sound, connotation and commercial impression. *In re E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.*, 476 F.2d 1357, 177 USPQ 563 (C.C.P.A. 1973). Second, the goods or services are compared to determine whether they are similar or related or whether the activities surrounding their marketing are such that confusion as to origin is likely. *In re National Novice Hockey League, Inc.*, 222 USPQ 638 (TTAB 1984); *In re August Storck KG*, 218 USPQ 823 (TTAB 1983); *In re Int'l Tel. and Tel. Corp.*, 197 USPQ 910 (TTAB 1978); *Guardian Prods. Co. v. Scott Paper Co.*, 200 USPQ 738 (TTAB 1978); TMEP §§1207.01 *et seq.*

In the case at hand, the applicant seeks registration of ANDROID in standard character form for “hardware; software.” The cited registered mark is ANDROID DATA in typed form for “computer ecommeree software to allow users to perform electronic business transactions via a global computer network.”

Regarding the first prong of the test, disclaimed matter is typically less significant or less dominant when comparing marks. Although a disclaimed portion of a mark certainly cannot be ignored, and the marks must be compared in their entireties, one feature of a mark may be more significant in creating a commercial impression. *In re Dixie Restaurants Inc.*, 105 F.3d 1405, 41 USPQ2d 1531 (Fed. Cir. 1997); *In re National Data Corporation*, 753 F.2d 1056, 224 USPQ 749 (Fed. Cir. 1985); and *In re Appetito Provisions Co. Inc.*, 3 USPQ2d 1553 (TTAB 1987). *See also Hewlett-*

Packard Co. v. Packard Press Inc., 281 F.3d 1261, 62 USPQ 2d 1001 (Fed. Cir. 2002); *Tektronix, Inc. v. Daktronics, Inc.*, 534 F.2d 915, 189 USPQ 693 (C.C.P.A. 1976); *In re El Torito Rests. Inc.*, 9 USPQ2d 2002 (TTAB 1988); *In re Equitable Bancorporation*, 229 USPQ 709 (TTAB 1986). The registrant has disclaimed the descriptive wording DATA apart from the mark as shown. Therefore, the examining attorney must closely examine the dominant portion of the registered mark against the applicant's mark. The dominant portion of the registrant's mark is the term ANDROID, which is identical in sound, appearance, and commercial impression to the cited registered mark. Marks may be confusingly similar in appearance where there are similar terms or phrases or similar parts of terms or phrases appearing in both applicant's and registrant's mark. *See e.g., Crocker Nat'l Bank v. Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce*, 228 USPQ 689 (TTAB 1986), *aff'd* 1 USPQ2d 1813 (Fed. Cir. 1987) (COMMCASH and COMMUNICASH); *In re Phillips-Van Heusen Corp.*, 228 USPQ 949 (TTAB 1986) (21 CLUB and "21" CLUB (stylized)); *In re Corning Glass Works*, 229 USPQ 65 (TTAB 1985) (CONFIRM and CONFIRMCEI.L.S.); *In re Collegian Sportswear Inc.*, 224 USPQ 174 (TTAB 1984) (COLLEGIAN OF CALIFORNIA and COLLEGIENNE); *In re Pellerin Milnor Corp.*, 221 USPQ 558 (TTAB 1983) (MILTRON and MILLTRONICS); *In re BASF A.G.*, 189 USPQ 424 (TTAB 1975) (LUTEXAL and LUTEX); TMEP §§1207.01(b)(ii) and (b)(iii). Regarding the issue of likelihood of confusion, the question is not whether people will confuse the marks, but whether the marks will confuse people into believing that the goods they identify come from the same source. *In re West Point-*

Pepperell, Inc., 468 F.2d 200, 175 USPQ 558 (C.C.P.A. 1972). For that reason, the test of likelihood of confusion is not whether the marks can be distinguished when subjected to a side-by-side comparison. The question is whether the marks create the same overall impression. *Recot, Inc. v. M.C. Becton*, 214 F.2d 1322, 54 USPQ2d 1894, 1890 (Fed. Cir. 2000); *Visual Information Inst., Inc. v. Vicon Indus. Inc.*, 209 USPQ 179 (TTAB 1980). The focus is on the recollection of the average purchaser who normally retains a general rather than specific impression of trademarks. *Chemetron Corp. v. Morris Coupling & Clamp Co.*, 203 USPQ 537 (TTAB 1979); *Sealed Air Corp. v. Scott Paper Co.*, 190 USPQ 106 (TTAB 1975); TMEP §1207.01(b). Considering the above, the marks are sufficiently similar to cause a likelihood of confusion under Trademark Act Section 2(d).

Turning to the second prong of the test, the goods of the parties need not be identical or directly competitive to find a likelihood of confusion. Instead, they need only be related in some manner, or the conditions surrounding their marketing are such that they would be encountered by the same purchasers under circumstances that would give rise to the mistaken belief that the goods come from a common source. *On-line Careline Inc. v. America Online Inc.*, 229 F.3d 1080, 56 USPQ2d 1471 (Fed. Cir. 2000); *In re Martin's Famous Pastry Shoppe, Inc.*, 748 F.2d 1565, 223 USPQ 1289 (Fed. Cir. 1984); *In re Melville Corp.*, 18 USPQ2d 1386, 1388 (TTAB 1991); *In re Corning Glass Works*, 229 USPQ 65 (TTAB 1985); *In re Rexel Inc.*, 223 USPQ 830 (TTAB 1984); *Guardian Prods. Co., Inc. v. Scott Paper Co.*, 200 USPQ 738 (TTAB

1978); *In re Int'l Tel. & Tel. Corp.*, 197 USPQ 910 (TTAB 1978); TMEP §1207.01(a)(I).

Both the applicant and the registrant are providing software. The registrant has more narrowly stated its goods as "computer e-commerce software to allow users to perform electronic business transactions via a global computer network." Likelihood of confusion is determined on the basis of the goods or services as they are identified in the application and the registration *Hewlett-Packard Co. v. Packard Press Inc.*, 281 F.3d 1261, 62 USPQ2d 1001 (Fed. Cir. 2002); *In re Shell Oil Co.*, 992 F.2d 1204, 26 USPQ2d 1687, 1690 n.4 (Fed. Cir. 1993); *J & J Snack Foods Corp. v. McDonald's Corp.*, 932 F.2d 1460, 18 USPQ2d 1889 (Fed. Cir. 1991); *Octocom Systems Inc. v. Houston Computer Services Inc.*, 918 F.2d 937, 16 USPQ2d 1783 (Fed. Cir. 1990). Since the identification of the applicant's goods is very broad, it is presumed that the application encompasses all goods and/or services of the type described, including those in the registrant's more specific identification, that they move in all normal channels of trade and that they are available to all potential customers. TMEP §1207.01(a)(iii).

Therefore, with the contemporaneous use of highly similar marks that share the dominant term ANDROID, consumers are likely to conclude that the goods are related and originate from a single source. As such, registration must be refused under Trademark Act Section 2(d). Any doubt regarding a likelihood of confusion is resolved in favor of the prior registrant. *Hewlett-Packard Co. v. Packard Press Inc.*, 281 F.3d 1261, 62 USPQ2d 1001, 1004

(Fed. Cir. 2002); *In re Hyper Shoppes (Ohio), Inc.*, 837 F.2d 463, 6 USPQ2d 1025 (Fed. Cir. 1988); TMEP §§1207.01(d)(I).

29. On April 2, 2008, roughly 6 weeks after the PTO denied their application for the Android mark, the OHA presented “Android” at the World Congress in Barcelona. (OHA website 4/23/09).
30. On August 14, 2008, Google filed it’s response to Office Action. In it’s response Google admitted that: “Android was an arbitrary term we chose as a brand for our products.” A copy of the response is attached as Plaintiff’s Exhibit E.
31. On August 20, 2008, the PTO issued it’s Office Action making the decision to deny Google’s application final. A copy of the final action is attached as Plaintiff’s Exhibit F.
32. On September 23, 2008, seven months after their application for the Android mark was denied and one month after the final action letter was issued, Google and OHA issued their press release announcing “Android 1.0 SDK” now available. (OHA website 4/23/09).
33. On October 21, 2008, roughly eight months after their application was denied, Google and OHA issued another press release announcing “Android open source availability.”
34. On October 22, 2008, OHA members Texas Instruments, T-Mobile, and Wind River made press releases improperly using Plaintiff’s Mark. (OHA website 4/23/09).
35. On November 20, 2008 Google filed it’s Request for Reconsideration after Final Action requesting reconsideration or in the alternative that it’s application

- examination be suspended. A copy of the request is attached as Plaintiff's Exhibit G.
36. On November 20, 2008 Google also filed an Ex parte Notice of Appeal. A copy of the notice is attached as Plaintiff's Exhibit H.
37. On November 21, 2008, the PTO's Trademark Trial and Appeal Board issued an order suspending Google's appeal pending its request for reconsideration. A copy of the order is attached as Plaintiff's Exhibit I.
38. On November 24, 2008, the PTO issued its Notice of Suspension. A copy of the Notice is attached as Plaintiff's Exhibit J.
39. On December 5, 2008, less than a month after voluntarily suspending its Trademark application examination, OHA issued a press release announcing Android 2.0 SDK release. (OHA website 4/23/09).
40. On December 9, 2008 OHA announced the addition of its newest members: Omron Software Co, Ltd.; Teleca AB; AKM Semiconductor, Inc.; ARM; Atheros Communications; ASUSTek Computer, Inc.; Garmin International, Inc.; Huawei Technologies; Sony Ericsson and Toshiba. See Plaintiffs' Exhibit K for a full listing of the OHA members and description.
41. On December 9, 2008, OHA member AKM, ARM, Borqs, Ericsson, Huawei, Omron, Sony Ericsson and Teleca made press releases using Plaintiffs Android mark. (OHA website 4/23/09).
42. On February 5, 2009 OHA member Broadcom issued its press release touting the "First Android-Enabled Mobile Phone..."

43. On February 10, 2009 OHA member Teleca issued a press release announcing that "Teleca enables Android for the CDMA phone market."
44. On February 18, 2009 OHA members Nvidia, Freescale, Huawei, Intrinsic, PacketVideo and Texas Instruments issued additional press releases using Plaintiffs' Android mark.
45. On February 23, 2009 OHA member GLU Mobile made a press release announcing Build-a-lot for Android market.
46. On February 24, 2009 OHA member Gameloft issued a press release announcing "20 Games for Android Market."
47. Based upon information and belief, Google and the OHA members have been and are continuing to use Plaintiffs' Android mark in advertising, promotional materials and press releases without disclosing plaintiffs ownership and without plaintiffs permission.
48. Google and its OHA members have and are listing Plaintiffs' Android mark as a trademark and/or registered trademark of Google or the OHA.
49. Having continuously used Android Data in interstate commerce and having filed the requisite registration maintenance documents with the PTO, Plaintiffs Android Data mark is in "live" standing with the PTO.
50. A cursory review of the time line between Google applications, announcements, and product launch, it is clear that Google stole first and asked questions later. Even though they could have, as they put it, arbitrarily chosen any name to brand their products, Google and the OHA members intentionally and without justification chose to affix Plaintiffs' Android mark to their web sites, products,

services, and press releases without regard to ownership. Google and the OHA members have shown a complete disregard of the ownership of the Android mark, their own voluntary suspension actions, and the denials of the PTO.

51. Google and the OHA members have never requested or received plaintiffs permission to use the "Android" or "Android Data" mark.
52. Fully aware of plaintiffs rights to the Android mark, Google and the OHA members have and are intentionally, open, notoriously, and without authority exercising full rights and privileges to the use of plaintiffs' Android mark.
53. As of April 23, 2009, there are thousands of internet sites offering tens of thousands of services and products with plaintiffs counterfeit mark including Google's own "Android-Official Site." All of these sites stem from and are a direct result of Google and the OHA member's actions.
54. Beginning on November 12, 2007 and continuing through April 23, 2009, Google and the OHA members have used Plaintiffs' Android mark in their press releases and promotional materials and web sites without authority to do so.
55. OHA members have known that use of Plaintiff's Trademark is unlawful since at least February 14, 2008.
56. Google and the OHA's use of Plaintiffs' Android mark in its product promotion and advertising on print and on the internet constitutes the use in commerce of a colorable imitation, copy and reproduction of Plaintiff's Trademark.
57. Plaintiff's use of it's Trademark for software and internet commerce is similar to Defendant's use of Plaintiff's mark in software and for internet commerce.

58. For the reasons set forth above and in the PTO's denial of Google's application, the use of Plaintiff's Trademark by defendant is deceptive and confusingly similar and likely to cause confusion, mistake, or deception in the minds of the public.
59. Google and the OHA's infringement constitutes a willful and malicious violation of Plaintiff's Trademark rights.
60. Plaintiffs recently learned of Defendant's actions and is moving as expeditiously as possible.

III

COMPLAINT FOR TRADEMARK INFRINGEMENT, UNDER LANHAM ACT § 3231.

Plaintiffs repeat and hereby incorporate herein by reference, as though specifically pleaded herein, the allegations of paragraphs 1 through 60

61. Plaintiffs have expended considerable resources marketing, advertising and promoting goods under its Android Data mark throughout the United States.
62. Defendants failed to perform even minimal due diligence when they "arbitrarily" chose to brand their products using plaintiffs' Android mark.
63. Notwithstanding plaintiff's statutory right in the Android Data mark, with notice of plaintiff's federal registration rights, and without authorization by plaintiffs, defendants have in the past and are continuing to hold conventions, advertise, manufacture, distribute, and offer to sell an ever increasing line of products and services bearing the Plaintiffs' Android mark.
64. Defendants' unauthorized use of Plaintiffs' Android mark to brand its' many computer related products will undoubtedly lead to deception, confusion and

mistake among the consuming public and trade creating the erroneous impression that the goods created by plaintiffs come from the same origin or that plaintiffs' products are some type of knock-off of defendants' products or name.

65. Defendants actions and deception will deprive plaintiff of the use of its' Android Data mark causing irreparable harm to Plaintiffs for which there is no adequate remedy at law.
66. Defendants have intentionally used in commerce a counterfeit of Plaintiffs' mark in connection with the sale, offering for sale, or distribution of goods or services knowing that such mark or designation is a counterfeit.
67. Defendants have provided goods or services necessary to the commission of the violation described in paragraph 62 above, with the intent that the recipient of the goods or services would put the goods or services to use in committing the violation.
68. By reason of the foregoing acts, Defendants are liable to Plaintiffs for trademark infringement under 15 U.S.C. § 1114.

IV.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs pray:

1. That, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1116, Defendants Google Inc, members of the Open Handset Alliance, their agents, officers, employees, representatives, successors, assigns, attorneys and all other persons acting for, with, by, through or under authority from Defendant, including and each of them, be preliminarily and permanently enjoined from:(a) using the Android trademark depicted in Exhibit

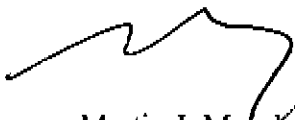
B, or any colorable imitation thereof; (b) using any trademark that imitates or is confusingly similar to or in anyway similar to Plaintiff's trademark Android, or that is likely to cause confusion, mistake, deception, or public misunderstanding as to the origin of Plaintiff's products or their connectedness to Defendant.

2. That, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1116, Defendants be required to file with the Court and serve on Plaintiff within thirty (30) days after entry of the Injunction, a report in writing under oath setting forth in detail the manner and form in which Defendant has complied with the Injunction;
3. That, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117(c)(2), the Court find that the use of the counterfeit mark was wilful and award Plaintiffs statutory damages of \$2,000,000 against each of the Defendants per counterfeit mark per type of good or service sold..
4. That, pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117, Defendants be compelled to account to Plaintiff for any and all profits derived by them from their illegal acts complained of herein;
5. That the Defendants be ordered pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1118 to deliver up for destruction all computer source or executable code that reference or display Plaintiffs' "Android" mark, and all containers, labels, signs, prints, packages, wrappers, receptacles, advertising, promotional material, instruction manuals or the like in possession, custody or under the control of Defendants bearing a trademark found to infringe Plaintiff's Android Data trademark rights, as well as all plates, matrices, and other means of making the same;

6. That the Court declare this to be an exceptional case and award Plaintiff its full costs, and reasonable attorneys' fees pursuant to 15 U.S.C. § 1117;
7. That the Court grant Plaintiffs any other remedy to which it may be entitled as provided for in 15 U.S.C. §§ 1116 and 1117.
8. For such and other further relief that the court deems just and proper

Respectfully submitted:

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* Applicant requests registration of the above-identified trademark/service mark in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the Principal Register established by the Act of July 5, 1946 (15 U.S.C. §1051 et seq., as amended). *

<BASIS FOR FILING AND GOODS/SERVICES INFORMATION>

<USE IN COMMERCE: SECTION 1(a)> Yes

* Applicant is using or is using through a related company the mark in commerce on or in connection with the below-identified goods/services. (15 U.S.C. §1051(a), as amended.). Applicant attaches one SPECIMEN for each class showing the mark as used in commerce on or in connection with any item in the class of listed goods and/or services. *

<SPECIMEN> Yes

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<TOTAL FEES PAID> 325

<NUMBER OF CLASSES> 1

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* PTO-Application Declaration: The undersigned, being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. §1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any resulting registration, declares that he/she is properly authorized to execute this application on behalf of the applicant; he/she believes the applicant to be the owner of the trademark/service mark sought to be registered, or, if the application is being filed under 15 U.S.C. §1051(b), he/she believes applicant to be entitled to use such mark in commerce; to the best of his/her knowledge and belief no other person, firm, corporation, or association has the right to use the mark in commerce, either in the identical form thereof or in such near resemblance thereto as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods/services of such other person, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive; and that all statements made of his/her own knowledge are true; and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. *

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Serial Number:

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Applicant:

Android Data Corporation
114 North Ashland Avenue
Palatine IL USA 60067



Date of First Use:

01/01/1999

Date of First Use in Commerce:

01/01/1999

Goods and Services:

Computer software and internet services.

Mark:

ANDROID DATA



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ORIGINAL SPECIMEN

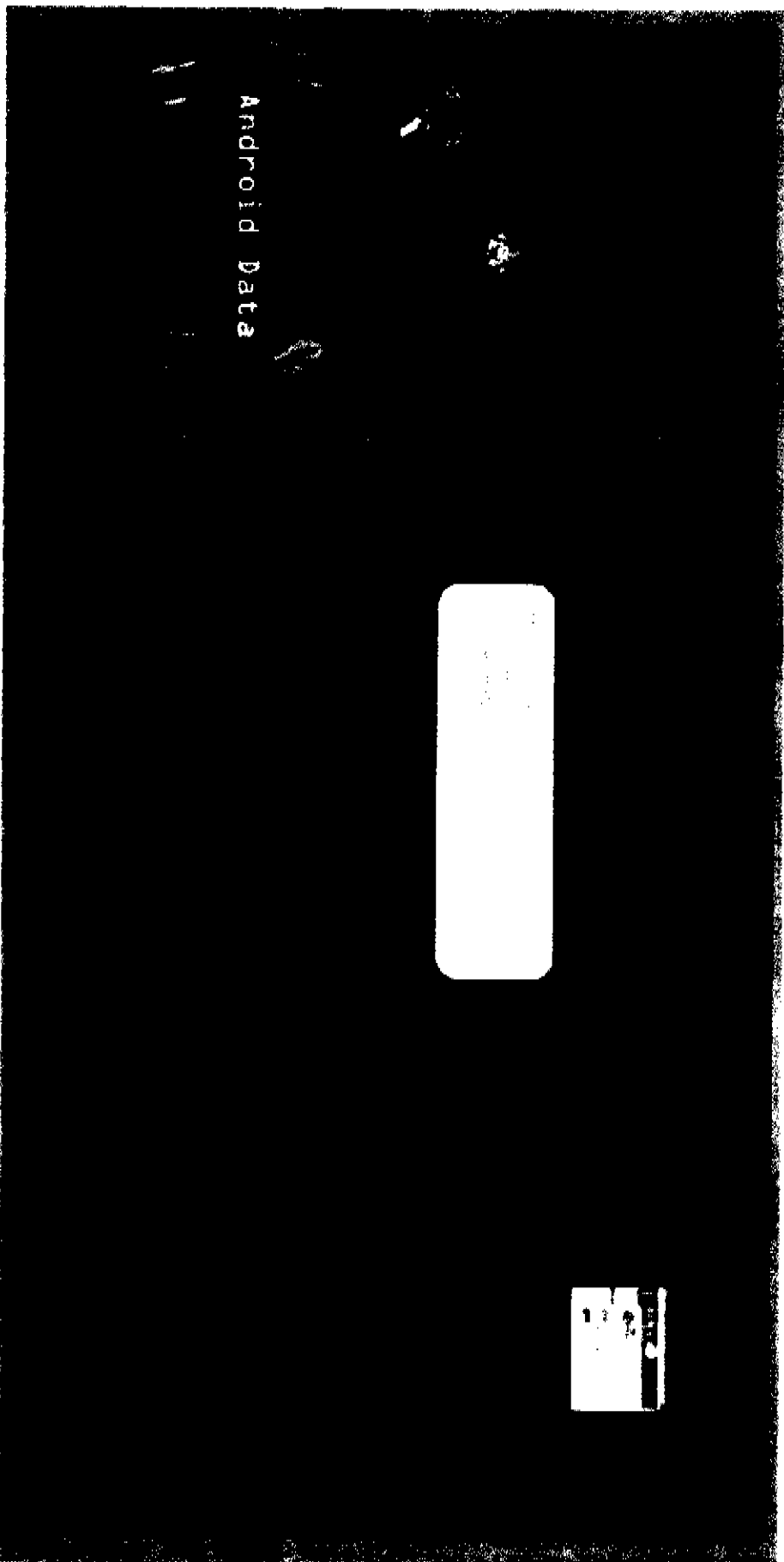
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Int. Cl.: 9

Prior U.S. Cls.: 21, 23, 26, 36 and 38

United States Patent and Trademark Office

Reg. No. 2,639,556

Registered Oct. 22, 2002

**TRADEMARK
PRINCIPAL REGISTER**

ANDROID DATA

ANDROID DATA CORPORATION (ILLINOIS
CORPORATION)
114 NORTH ASHLAND AVENUE
PALATINE, IL 60067

FOR: COMPUTER E-COMMERCE SOFTWARE
TO ALLOW USERS TO PERFORM ELECTRONIC
BUSINESS TRANSACTIONS VIA A GLOBAL COM-
PUTER NETWORK, IN CLASS 9 (U.S. CLS. 21, 23, 26,
36 AND 38).

FIRST USE 1-1-1999; IN COMMERCE 1-1-1999.

NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE
RIGHT TO USE "DATA", APART FROM THE
MARK AS SHOWN.

SER. NO. 78-011,167, FILED 6-4-2000.

FLORENTINA BLANDU, EXAMINING ATTORNEY

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Trademark/Service Mark Application, Principal Register

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USPTO-GENERATED IMAGE	YES
LITERAL ELEMENT	ANDROID
MARK STATEMENT	The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font, style, size, or color.
REGISTER	Principal
APPLICANT INFORMATION	
OWNER OF MARK	Google Inc.
STREET	1600 Amphitheatre Parkway
CITY	Mountain View
STATE (Required for U.S. applicants)	California
COUNTRY	United States
ZIP/POSTAL CODE (Required for U.S. applicants only)	94043
PHONE	650-253-0000
FAX	650-618-8571
LEGAL ENTITY INFORMATION	
TYPE	corporation

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STATE/COUNTRY OF INCORPORATION	Delaware
GOODS AND/OR SERVICES AND BASIS INFORMATION	
INTERNATIONAL CLASS	009
IDENTIFICATION	highway software
FILING BASIS	SECTION 1(b)
CORRESPONDENCE INFORMATION	
NAME	Google Inc.
FIRM NAME	Google Inc.
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CITY	Mountain View
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SIGNATURE	/Terri Y. Chen/
SIGNATORY'S NAME	Terri Y. Chen
SIGNATORY'S POSITION	Trademark Counsel
DATE SIGNED	10/31/2007

Trademark/Service Mark Application, Principal Register

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To the Commissioner for Trademarks:

MARK: ANDROID (Standard Characters, see mark)

The literal element of the mark consists of ANDROID.

The mark consists of standard characters, without claim to any particular font, style, size, or color.

The applicant, Google Inc., a corporation of Delaware, having an address of
1600 Amphitheatre Parkway
Mountain View, California 94043
United States

requests registration of the trademark/service mark identified above in the United States Patent and Trademark Office on the Principal Register established by the Act of July 5, 1946 (15 U.S.C. Section 1051 et seq.), as amended.

International Class 009: hardware; software

Intent to Use: The applicant has a bona fide intention to use or use through the applicant's related company or licensee the mark in commerce on or in connection with the identified goods and/or services. (15 U.S.C. Section 1051(b)).

Correspondence Information: Google Inc.

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A fee payment in the amount of \$325 has been submitted with the application, representing payment for 1 class(es).

Declaration

The undersigned, being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. Section 1001, and that such willful false statements, and the like, may jeopardize the validity of the application or any resulting registration, declares that he/she is properly authorized to execute this application on behalf of the applicant; he/she believes the applicant to be the owner of the trademark/service mark sought to be registered, or, if the application is being filed under 15 U.S.C. Section 1051(b), he/she believes applicant to be entitled to use such mark in commerce;

to the best of his/her knowledge and belief no other person, firm, corporation, or association has the right to use the mark in commerce, either in the identical form thereof or in such near resemblance thereto as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods/services of such other person, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive; and that all statements made of his/her own knowledge are true; and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Signature: /Terri Y. Chen/ Date Signed: 10/31/2007

Signatory's Name: Terri Y. Chen

Signatory's Position: Trademark Counsel

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MARK: ANDROID

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GOOGLE INC.
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OFFICE ACTION

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ISSUE/MAILING DATE: 2/14/2008

The assigned trademark examining attorney has reviewed the referenced application and has determined the following:

Refusal: Section 2(d) - Likelihood of Confusion Refusal

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Registration of the proposed mark is refused because of a likelihood of confusion with the mark in U.S. Registration No. 2639556. Trademark Act Section 2(d), 15 U.S.C. §1052(d); TMEP §§1207.01 *et seq.* See the enclosed registration.

Taking into account the relevant *du Pont* factors, a likelihood of confusion determination in this case involves a two-part analysis. First, the marks are compared for similarities in appearance, sound, connotation and commercial impression. *In re E. I. du Pont de Nemours & Co.*, 476 F.2d 1357, 177 USPQ 563 (C.C.P.A. 1973). Second, the goods or services are compared to determine whether they are similar or related or whether the activities surrounding their marketing are such that confusion as to origin is likely. *In re National Novice Hockey League, Inc.*, 222 USPQ 638 (TTAB 1984); *In re August Storck KG*, 218 USPQ 823 (TTAB 1983); *In re Int'l Tel. and Tel. Corp.*, 197 USPQ 910 (TTAB 1978); *Guardian Prods. Co. v. Scott Paper Co.*, 200 USPQ 738 (TTAB 1978); TMEP §§1207.01 *et seq.*

In the case at hand, the applicant seeks registration of ANDROID in standard character form for "hardware; software." The cited registered mark is ANDROID DATA in typed form for "computer e-commerce software to allow users to perform electronic business transactions via a global computer network."

Regarding the first prong of the test, disclaimed matter is typically less significant or less dominant when comparing marks. Although a disclaimed portion of a mark certainly cannot be ignored, and the marks must be compared in their entireties, one feature of a mark may be more significant in creating a commercial impression. *In re Dixie Restaurants Inc.*, 105 F.3d 1405, 41 USPQ2d 1531 (Fed. Cir. 1997); *In re National Data Corporation*, 753 F.2d 1056, 224 USPQ 749 (Fed. Cir. 1985); and *In re Appetito Provisions Co. Inc.*, 3 USPQ2d 1553 (TTAB 1987). See also *Hewlett-Packard Co. v. Packard Press Inc.*, 281 F.3d 1261, 62 USPQ 2d 1001 (Fed. Cir. 2002); *Tektronix, Inc. v. Daktronics, Inc.*, 534 F.2d 915, 189 USPQ 693 (C.C.P.A. 1976); *In re El Torito Rests. Inc.*, 9 USPQ2d 2002 (TTAB 1988); *In re Equitable Bancorporation*, 229 USPQ 709 (TTAB 1986). The registrant has disclaimed the descriptive wording DATA apart from the mark as shown. Therefore, the examining attorney must closely examine the dominant portion of the registered mark against the applicant's mark.

The dominant portion of the registrant's mark is the term ANDROID, which is identical in sound, appearance, and commercial impression to the cited registered mark. Marks may be confusingly similar in appearance where there are similar terms or phrases or similar parts of terms or phrases appearing in both applicant's and registrant's mark. See *e.g.*, *Crocker Nat'l Bank v. Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce*, 228 USPQ 689 (TTAB 1986), *aff'd* 1 USPQ2d 1813 (Fed. Cir. 1987) (COMMCASH and COMMUNICASH); *In re Phillips-Van Heusen Corp.*, 228 USPQ 949 (TTAB 1986) (21 CLUB and "21" CLUB (stylized)); *In re Corning Glass Works*, 229 USPQ 65 (TTAB 1985) (CONFIRM and CONFIRMCELLS); *In re Collegian Sportswear Inc.*, 224 USPQ 174 (TTAB 1984) (COLLEGIAN OF CALIFORNIA and COLLEGIENNE); *In re Pellerin Milnor Corp.*, 221 USPQ 558 (TTAB 1983) (MILTRON and MILLTRONICS); *In re BASF A.G.*, 189 USPQ 424 (TTAB 1975) (LUTEXAL and LUTEX); TMEP §§1207.01(b)(ii) and (b)(iii).

Regarding the issue of likelihood of confusion, the question is not whether people will confuse the marks, but whether the marks will confuse people into believing that the goods they identify come from the same source. *In re West Point-Pepperell, Inc.*, 468 F.2d 200, 175 USPQ 558 (C.C.P.A. 1972). For that reason, the test of likelihood of confusion is not whether the marks can be distinguished when subjected to a side-by-side comparison. The question is whether the marks create the same overall

impression. *Recot, Inc. v. M.C. Becton*, 214 F.2d 1322, 54 USPQ2d 1894, 1890 (Fed. Cir. 2000); *Visual Information Inst., Inc. v. Vicon Indus. Inc.*, 209 USPQ 179 (TTAB 1980). The focus is on the recollection of the average purchaser who normally retains a general rather than specific impression of trademarks. *Chemetron Corp. v. Morris Coupling & Clamp Co.*, 203 USPQ 537 (TTAB 1979); *Sealed Air Corp. v. Scott Paper Co.*, 190 USPQ 106 (TTAB 1975); TMEP §1207.01(b). Considering the above, the marks are sufficiently similar to cause a likelihood of confusion under Trademark Act Section 2(d).

Turning to the second prong of the test, the goods of the parties need not be identical or directly competitive to find a likelihood of confusion. Instead, they need only be related in some manner, or the conditions surrounding their marketing are such that they would be encountered by the same purchasers under circumstances that would give rise to the mistaken belief that the goods come from a common source. *On-line Careline Inc. v. America Online Inc.*, 229 F.3d 1080, 56 USPQ2d 1471 (Fed. Cir. 2000); *In re Martin's Famous Pastry Shoppe, Inc.*, 748 F.2d 1565, 223 USPQ 1289 (Fed. Cir. 1984); *In re Melville Corp.*, 18 USPQ2d 1386, 1388 (TTAB 1991); *In re Corning Glass Works*, 229 USPQ 65 (TTAB 1985); *In re Rexel Inc.*, 223 USPQ 830 (TTAB 1984); *Guardian Prods. Co., Inc. v. Scott Paper Co.*, 200 USPQ 738 (TTAB 1978); *In re Int'l Tel. & Tel. Corp.*, 197 USPQ 910 (TTAB 1978); TMEP §1207.01(a)(i).

Both the applicant and the registrant are providing software. The registrant has more narrowly stated its goods as "computer e-commerce software to allow users to perform electronic business transactions via a global computer network." Likelihood of confusion is determined on the basis of the goods or services as they are identified in the application and the registration. *Hewlett-Packard Co. v. Packard Press Inc.*, 281 F.3d 1261, 62 USPQ2d 1001 (Fed. Cir. 2002); *In re Shell Oil Co.*, 992 F.2d 1204, 26 USPQ2d 1687, 1690 n.4 (Fed. Cir. 1993); *J & J Snack Foods Corp. v. McDonald's Corp.*, 932 F.2d 1460, 18 USPQ2d 1889 (Fed. Cir. 1991); *Octocom Systems Inc. v. Houston Computer Services Inc.*, 918 F.2d 937, 16 USPQ2d 1783 (Fed. Cir. 1990). Since the identification of the applicant's goods is very broad, it is presumed that the application encompasses all goods and/or services of the type described, including those in the registrant's more specific identification, that they move in all normal channels of trade and that they are available to all potential customers. TMEP §1207.01(a)(iii).

Therefore, with the contemporaneous use of highly similar marks that share the dominant term ANDROID, consumers are likely to conclude that the goods are related and originate from a single source. As such, registration must be refused under Trademark Act Section 2(d).

Any doubt regarding a likelihood of confusion is resolved in favor of the prior registrant. *Hewlett-Packard Co. v. Packard Press Inc.*, 281 F.3d 1261, 62 USPQ2d 1001, 1004 (Fed. Cir. 2002); *In re Hyper Shoppes (Ohio), Inc.*, 837 F.2d 463, 6 USPQ2d 1025 (Fed. Cir. 1988); TMEP §§1207.01(d)(i).

Although the trademark examining attorney has refused registration, applicant may respond to the refusal to register by submitting evidence and arguments in support of registration. If applicant chooses to respond to the refusal to register, then applicant must also respond to the following requirements.

Requirement: Identification of Goods

The identification of goods is indefinite and must be clarified because it is too broad. Applicant may adopt the following identification, if accurate:

International Class 009: Computer hardware; Computer software for {specify the function of the programs, e.g., use in database management, use as a spreadsheet, word processing, etc. and, if

software is content- or field-specific, the content or field of use}.

TMEP §1402.01.

Please note that, while the identification of goods may be amended to clarify or limit the goods, adding to the goods or broadening the scope of the goods is not permitted. 37 C.F.R. §2.71(a); TMEP §1402.06. Therefore, applicant may not amend the identification to include goods that are not within the scope of the goods set forth in the present identification.

For assistance with identifying and classifying goods and/or services in trademark applications, please see the online searchable *Manual of Acceptable Identifications of Goods and Services* at <http://tess2.uspto.gov/nctahtml/tidm.html>.

Requirement: Significance of Mark

Applicant must specify whether "ANDROID" has any significance in the computer hardware and software trade or industry, any geographical significance, or any meaning in a foreign language. 37 C.F.R. §2.61(b).

Response Guidelines

Applicant should include the following information on all correspondence with the Office: (1) the name and law office number of the trademark examining attorney; (2) the serial number of this application; (3) the mailing date of this Office action; and, (4) applicant's telephone number. 37 C.F.R. §2.194(b)(1); TMEP §302.03(a).

To expedite prosecution of this application, applicant is encouraged to file its response to this Office action through the Trademark Electronic Application System (TEAS), available at <http://www.uspto.gov/teas/index.html>.

If applicant has questions about its application or needs assistance in responding to this Office action, please telephone the assigned trademark examining attorney directly at the number below.

/Seth A. Rappaport/
Seth A. Rappaport
Trademark Examining Attorney
Law Office 103
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RESPOND TO THIS ACTION: If there are any questions about the Office action, please contact the assigned examining attorney. A response to this Office action should be filed using the form available at <http://www.uspto.gov/teas/eTTEASpageD.htm>. If notification of this Office action was received via e-mail, no response using this form may be filed for 72 hours after receipt of the notification. **Do not attempt to respond by e-mail as the USPTO does not accept e-mailed responses.**

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DESIGN MARK

Serial Number
78011167

Status
REGISTERED

Word Mark
ANDROID DATA

Standard Character Mark
No

Registration Number
2639556

Date Registered
2002/10/22

Type of Mark
TRADEMARK

Register
PRINCIPAL

Mark Drawing Code
(1) TYPED DRAWING

Owner
Android Data Corporation CORPORATION ILLINOIS 114 North Ashland Avenue
Palatine ILLINOIS 60067

Goods/Services
Class Status -- ACTIVE. IC 009. US 021 023 026 036 038. G & S:
Computer e-commerce software to allow users to perform electronic
business transactions via a global computer network. First Use:
1999/01/01. First Use In Commerce: 1999/01/01.

Disclaimer Statement
NO CLAIM IS MADE TO THE EXCLUSIVE RIGHT TO USE "DATA" APART FROM THE
MARK AS SHOWN.

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Examining Attorney
BLANDU, FLORENTINA

ANDROID DATA

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Application serial no. **77318565** has been amended as follows:

ARGUMENT(S)

In response to the substantive refusal(s), please note the following:

The Examining Attorney refused registration of our ANDROID mark because of the concern that "contemporaneous use" of ANDROID and the cited registration, ANDROID DATA (Reg. No. 2639556) owned by Android Data Corporation, will result in a likelihood of confusion. However, there is no contemporaneous use of ANDROID and ANDROID DATA because ANDROID DATA is not in use and has not been in use for years. According to Archive.org, the last possible commercial use of ANDROID DATA on androiddata.com, the website of the registrant, was on March 10, 2005 (<http://web.archive.org/web/20050310015150/http://www.androiddata.com/>). Subsequent entries show the site as a parked page, with no commercial use of ANDROID DATA (see attached exhibits). Today, the androiddata.com domain still is a parked page, without any commercial use of ANDROID DATA, and the domain is, in fact, owned by someone else other than the registrant, Android Data Corporation (see attached exhibits). Web results find no evidence of other commercial use of ANDROID DATA. Furthermore, secretary of state records (see attached exhibits) show that the registrant, Android Data Corporation, was involuntarily dissolved on May 1, 2004, and no longer exists as an entity. Because there has been no commercial use of ANDROID DATA for over three years and the company has been dissolved for over four years, we must presume that the company has abandoned the ANDROID DATA mark per TMEP section 1604.11. The company no longer exists as a valid entity, so it cannot file an Affidavit of Use to maintain its registration. Thus, the registration is not valid, and should not be considered as a possible grounds for refusal of our registration of ANDROID. For this reason, we humbly request that the Examining Attorney withdraw this refusal.

In addition to the 2(d) citation, the Examining Attorney has asked us that we amend the application. We

have done so. He has also asked that we confirm that ANDROID has no significance in the computer hardware and software trade or industry, any geographical significance, or any meaning in a foreign language, and we do so. ANDROID is an arbitrary term we chose as a brand for our products.

Because the conflicting registration is not an issue, and we have dealt with the other issues raised by the Examining Attorney in his office action, we ask that the Examining Attorney approve this application for registration.

EVIDENCE

Evidence in the nature of Current WHOIS data for androiddata.com, Archive.org results for androiddata.com, and an Illinois Secretary of State record showing the involuntary dissolution of Android Data Corporation. has been attached.

Evidence-1

Evidence-2

Evidence-3

CLASSIFICATION AND LISTING OF GOODS/SERVICES

Applicant proposes to amend the following class of goods/services in the application:

Current: Class 009 for hardware; software

Original Filing Basis:

Filing Basis: Section 1(b), Intent to Use: The applicant has a bona fide intention to use or use through the applicant's related company or licensee the mark in commerce on or in connection with the identified goods and/or services as of the filing date of the application. (15 U.S.C. Section 1051(b)).

Proposed: Class 009 for mobile device hardware and peripherals; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile devices

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SIGNATURE(S)

Declaration Signature

If the applicant is seeking registration under Section 1(b) and/or Section 44 of the Trademark Act, the applicant had a bona fide intention to use or use through the applicant's related company or licensee the mark in commerce on or in connection with the identified goods and/or services as of the filing date of the application. 37 C.F.R. Secs. 2.34(a)(2)(i); 2.34(a)(3)(i); and 2.34(a)(4)(ii). If the applicant is seeking registration under Section 1(a) of the Trademark Act, the mark was in use in commerce on or in connection with the goods or services listed in the application as of the application filing date. 37 C.F.R. Secs. 2.34(a)(1)(i). The undersigned, being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. §1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any resulting registration, declares that he/she

is properly authorized to execute this application on behalf of the applicant; he/she believes the applicant to be the owner of the trademark/service mark sought to be registered, or, if the application is being filed under 15 U.S.C. §1051(b), he/she believes applicant to be entitled to use such mark in commerce; to the best of his/her knowledge and belief no other person, firm, corporation, or association has the right to use the mark in commerce, either in the identical form thereof or in such near resemblance thereto as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods/services of such other person, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive; that if the original application was submitted unsigned, that all statements in the original application and this submission made of the declaration signer's knowledge are true; and all statements in the original application and this submission made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Signature: /ttt/ Date: 08/14/2008
Signatory's Name: Tu T. Tsao
Signatory's Position: Trademark Counsel

Response Signature

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The signatory has confirmed that he/she is not represented by either an authorized attorney or Canadian attorney/agent, and that he/she is either (1) the applicant or (2) a person(s) with legal authority to bind the applicant; and if an authorized U.S. attorney or Canadian attorney/agent previously represented him/her in this matter, either he/she has filed a signed revocation of power of attorney with the USPTO or the USPTO has granted the request of his/her prior representative to withdraw.

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ISSUE/MAILING DATE: 8/20/2008

THIS IS A FINAL ACTION.

This letter responds to the applicant's communication filed on August 14, 2008. The applicant (1) argued against the refusal to register the mark under Section 2(d), (2) amended the identification of goods, and (3) stated that the term ANDROID has no meaning other than as a trademark.

The following requirement has been satisfied: (1) Significance of the Mark. TMEP §§713.02, 714.04.

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The following requirement has been satisfied: (1) Significance of the Mark. TMEP §§713.02, 714.04.

For the reasons set forth below, the refusal under Trademark Act Section 2(d) is now made **FINAL** with respect to U.S. Registration No. 2639556. See 15 U.S.C. §1052(d); 37 C.F.R. §2.64(a). In addition, the following requirement is now made **FINAL**: (1) Identification of Goods. See 37 C.F.R. §2.64(a).

Refusal: Section 2(d) – Likelihood of Confusion Refusal

Registration was refused under Trademark Act Section 2(d), 15 U.S.C. Section 1052(d), because the mark for which registration is sought so resembles the mark shown in U.S. Registration No. 2639556 as to be likely, when used in connection with the identified goods, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive.

The examining attorney has considered the applicant's arguments carefully but has found them unpersuasive. For the reasons below, the refusal under Section 2(d) is maintained and is now made **FINAL**.

The applicant applied to register the mark ANDROID in standard character form for "mobile device hardware and peripherals; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile devices." The registered mark is ANDROID DATA in typed form for "computer e-commerce software to allow users to perform electronic business transactions via a global computer network."

Taking into account the relevant *du Pont* factors, a likelihood of confusion determination in this case involves a two-part analysis. The marks are compared for similarities in their appearance, sound, connotation and commercial impression. TMEP §§1207.01, 1207.01(b). The goods and/or services are compared to determine whether they are similar or commercially related or travel in the same trade channels. See *Herbko Int'l, Inc. v. Kappa Books, Inc.*, 308 F.3d 1156, 1164-65, 64 USPQ2d 1375, 1380 (Fed. Cir. 2002); *Han Beauty, Inc. v. Alberto-Culver Co.*, 236 F.3d 1333, 1336, 57 USPQ2d 1557, 1559 (Fed. Cir. 2001); TMEP §§1207.01, 1207.01(a)(vi).

Comparison of the Marks

Regarding the first prong of the test, although a disclaimed portion of a mark certainly cannot be ignored, and the marks must be compared in their entireties, one feature of a mark may be more significant in creating a commercial impression. Disclaimed matter is typically less significant or less dominant when comparing marks. See *In re Dixie Rests. Inc.*, 105 F.3d 1405, 1407, 41 USPQ2d 1531, 1533-34 (Fed. Cir. 1997); *In re Nat'l Data Corp.*, 753 F.2d 1056, 1060, 224 USPQ 749, 752 (Fed. Cir. 1985); TMEP §1207.01(b)(viii), (c)(ii). Here, the registrant has disclaimed the wording DATA. Therefore, the examining attorney must closely examine the dominant portion of the registrant's mark against the applicant's mark.

The dominant portion of the registrant's mark and the applicant's mark are the identical term

ANDROID. Thus, the dominant portion of the registrant's mark and the applicant's mark are identical with respect to sound, appearance, and commercial impression. Marks may be confusingly similar in appearance where there are similar terms or phrases or similar parts of terms or phrases appearing in both applicant's and registrant's mark. See *Crocker Nat'l Bank v. Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce*, 228 USPQ 689 (TTAB 1986), *aff'd sub nom. Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce v. Wells Fargo Bank, Nat'l Ass'n*, 811 F.2d 1490, 1 USPQ2d 1813 (Fed. Cir. 1987) (COMMCASH and COMMUNICASH); *In re Phillips-Van Heusen Corp.*, 228 USPQ 949 (TTAB 1986) (21 CLUB and "21" CLUB (stylized)); *In re Corning Glass Works*, 229 USPQ 65 (TTAB 1985) (CONFIRM and CONFIRMCELLS); *In re Collegian Sportswear Inc.*, 224 USPQ 174 (TTAB 1984) (COLLEGIAN OF CALIFORNIA and COLLEGIENNE); *In re Pellerin Milnor Corp.*, 221 USPQ 558 (TTAB 1983) (MILTRON and MILLTRONICS); *In re BASF A.G.*, 189 USPQ 424 (TTAB 1975) (LUTEXAL and LUTEX); TMEP §1207.01(b)(ii)-(iii).

The question is not whether people will confuse the marks, but whether the marks will confuse people into believing that the goods they identify come from the same source. *In re West Point-Pepperell, Inc.*, 468 F.2d 200, 201, 175 USPQ 558, 558-59 (C.C.P.A. 1972); TMEP §1207.01(b). For that reason, the test of likelihood of confusion is not whether the marks can be distinguished when subjected to a side-by-side comparison. The question is whether the marks create the same overall impression. See *Recot, Inc. v. M.C. Becton*, 214 F.2d 1322, 1329-30, 54 USPQ2d 1894, 1899 (Fed. Cir. 2000); *Visual Info. Inst., Inc. v. Vicon Indus. Inc.*, 209 USPQ 179, 189 (TTAB 1980). The focus is on the recollection of the average purchaser who normally retains a general rather than specific impression of trademarks. *Chemetron Corp. v. Morris Coupling & Clamp Co.*, 203 USPQ 537, 540-41 (TTAB 1979); *Sealed Air Corp. v. Scott Paper Co.*, 190 USPQ 106, 108 (TTAB 1975); TMEP §1207.01(b).

Considering the above, the marks are sufficiently similar to cause a likelihood of confusion under Trademark Act Section 2(d).

Comparison of the Goods

Turning to the second prong of the test, the goods of the parties need not be identical or directly competitive to find a likelihood of confusion. See *Safety-Kleen Corp. v. Dresser Indus., Inc.*, 518 F.2d 1399, 1404, 186 USPQ 476, 480 (C.C.P.A. 1975); TMEP §1207.01(a)(i). Rather, they need only be related in some manner, or the conditions surrounding their marketing are such that they would be encountered by the same purchasers under circumstances that would give rise to the mistaken belief that the goods come from a common source. *In re Total Quality Group, Inc.*, 51 USPQ2d 1474, 1476 (TTAB 1999); TMEP §1207.01(a)(i); see, e.g., *On-line Careline Inc. v. Am. Online Inc.*, 229 F.3d 1080, 1086-87, 56 USPQ2d 1471, 1475-76 (Fed. Cir. 2000); *In re Martin's Famous Pastry Shoppe, Inc.*, 748 F.2d 1565, 1566-68, 223 USPQ 1289, 1290 (Fed. Cir. 1984).

The registrant is providing e-commerce software. This software can be used on the applicant's mobile device hardware and peripherals. Furthermore, the registrant's software may be executed by the applicant's "software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks." Thus, the goods are related and conditions surrounding their marketing are such that they would be encountered by the same purchasers under circumstances that would give rise to the mistaken belief that the goods come from a common source.

Furthermore, the applicant's "computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks" is broad enough to include the applicant's e-commerce software. Likelihood of confusion is determined on the basis of the goods and/or services as they are identified in the application and registration. *Hewlett-Packard Co. v. Packard Press Inc.*, 281 F.3d 1261, 1267-68, 62 USPQ2d 1001, 1004-05 (Fed. Cir. 2002); *In re Shell Oil Co.*, 992 F.2d 1204, 1207 n.4, 26 USPQ2d 1687, 1690 n.4 (Fed. Cir. 1993); TMEP §1207.01(a)(iii). In this case, applicant's goods are identified broadly. Therefore, it is presumed that the application encompasses all goods of the type described, including those in the registrant's more specific identification, that they move in all normal channels of trade, and that they are available to all potential customers. See TMEP §1207.01(a)(iii); see, e.g., *In re Americor Health Servs.*, 1 USPQ2d 1670, 1670-71 (TTAB 1986); *In re Equitable Bancorporation*, 229 USPQ 709, 710 (TTAB 1986).

Finally, the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board has held that computer hardware products are related to computer software products, such that their marketing under the same or similar marks may be likely to cause source confusion. See *In re Emulex Corp.*, 6 USPQ2d 1312 (TTAB 1987) (holding JAVELIN for computer peripheral software storage unit likely to be confused with JAVELIN for "pre-recorded computer programs in machine readable form"); *In re TIE/Comm'ns, Inc.*, 5 USPQ2d 1457 (TTAB 1987) (holding DATA STAR likely to cause confusion when used in connection with both registrant's "computer programs recorded on magnetic media" and applicant's "voice/data communications terminals and parts thereof"); *In re Digital Research Inc.*, 4 USPQ2d 1242 (TTAB 1987) (holding CONCURRENT PC-DOS likely to be confused with CONCURRENT TECHNOLOGIES CORPORATION for "printed electronic circuit boards"); *In re Epic Sys. Corp.*, 228 USPQ 213 (TTAB 1985) (holding EPIC for computer software for use in health care facilities likely to be confused with EPIC DATA for "electronic data collection terminals and electronic data collection units"); *In re Teradata Corp.*, 223 USPQ 361 (TTAB 1984) (holding Y NET for computer hardware likely to be confused with XYNET for computer software); *In re Compagnie Internationale Pour L'Informatique-Cii Honeywell Bull*, 223 USPQ 363 (TTAB 1984) (holding QUESTAR for computer hardware likely to be confused with QUESTAN for computer programs); *In re Graphics Tech. Corp.*, 222 USPQ 179 (TTAB 1984) (holding AGILE for computer programs likely to be confused with AGILE for computer data terminals); *Alpha Indus., Inc. v. Alpha Microsystems*, 220 USPQ 67 (TTAB 1983) (holding ALPHA MICRO for digital computer equipment and programs likely to be confused with ALPHA MICROWAVE for microwave components and sub assemblies); see also *Octocom Sys. Inc. v. Houston Computer Servs., Inc.*, 918 F.2d 937, 16 USPQ2d 1783 (Fed. Cir. 1990) (affirming TTAB decision on summary judgment that found computer modems and computer programs highly related); cf. *In re Quadram Corp.*, 228 USPQ 863 (TTAB 1985).

Applicant's Arguments

The applicant argues that no likelihood of confusion exists because the registrant is no longer using the mark as evidenced by their lack of presence currently on the Internet. Furthermore, the applicant has provided documents showing that the registrant's corporate entity was involuntarily dissolved in May, 2004.

However, while these statements may be true, a trademark or service mark registration on the Principal Register is prima facie evidence of the validity of the registration and the registrant's exclusive right to use the mark in commerce in connection with the specified goods and/or services. See 15 U.S.C. §1057(b); TMEP §1207.01(d)(iv). Evidence that constitutes a collateral attack on a cited registration, such as statements about a registrant's nonuse of its mark, is not relevant to a likelihood of confusion

determination in ex parte examination. See *In re Dixie Rests.*, 105 F.3d 1405, 1408, 41 USPQ2d 1531, 1534-35 (Fed. Cir. 1997); *In re Peebles Inc.*, 23 USPQ2d 1795, 1797 n.5 (TTAB 1992); TMEP §1207.01(d)(iv). Such evidence may, however, be pertinent to a formal proceeding before the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board to cancel the cited registration.

Conclusion

The applicant's mark must be refused registration under Trademark Act Section 2(d). The applicant's mark is highly similar to the registrant's mark with respect to sound, appearance, and commercial impression. Both marks share the dominant term ANDROID. Furthermore, the applicant's goods are closely related to the registrant's goods and commonly emanate from the same source as the registrant's goods. As such, the refusal is maintained and is now made **FINAL**.

Requirement: Identification of Goods

The examining attorney informed the applicant that the identification of goods was indefinite and must be clarified because it was too broad. It was noted that applicant may adopt the following identification, if accurate:

International Class 009: *Computer hardware; Computer software for {specify the function of the programs, e.g., use in database management, use as a spreadsheet, word processing, etc. and, if software is content- or field-specific, the content or field of use}.*

The applicant responded and amended the identification to the following:

International Class 009: Mobile device hardware and peripherals; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile devices.

However, the identification of goods remains indefinite because portions of the identification are too broad. Applicant may adopt the following identification of goods, if accurate:

International Class 009: Mobile device hardware and peripherals, *namely, {state the specific hardware and peripherals, i.e. devices for hands-free use of mobile phones, mobile phones, etc.};* operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile devices, *namely mobile phones.*

Identifications of goods can be amended only to clarify or limit the goods; adding to or broadening the scope of the goods is not permitted. 37 C.F.R. §2.71(a); see TMEP §§1402.06 *et seq.*, 1402.07.

Therefore, applicant may not amend the identification to include goods that are not within the scope of the goods set forth in the present identification.

For assistance with identifying and classifying goods and/or services in trademark applications, please see the online searchable *Manual of Acceptable Identifications of Goods and Services* at

<http://tess2.uspto.gov/netahtml/ticm.html>. See TMEP §1402.04.

Since the applicant failed to provide an acceptable identification of goods, this requirement is maintained and is now made **FINAL**.

Response Guidelines

If applicant does not respond within six months of the mailing date of this final Office action, the application will be abandoned. 15 U.S.C. §1062(b); 37 C.F.R. §2.65(a). Applicant may respond to this final Office action by:

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If applicant has questions about its application, please telephone the assigned trademark examining attorney directly at the number below.

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As requested by the Examining Attorney, we have again amended the description to further clarify the goods.	
In response to the Examining Attorney's continued 2(d) refusal, we would like to note, in addition to the arguments we made previously, that the deadline for filing a section 8 affidavit for Reg. No. 2639556 has passed, and there is no record that such an affidavit has been timely filed. Because the registration is (or will soon be) no longer valid, we again ask that the Examining Attorney to withdraw the refusal. If the Examining Attorney cannot at this time withdraw the refusal, we kindly request that the Examining Attorney consider suspending the examination of our application pending the final disposition of Reg. No. 2639556.	
GOODS AND/OR SERVICES SECTION (current)	
INTERNATIONAL CLASS	009
DESCRIPTION	
mobile device hardware and peripherals; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile devices	
FILING BASIS	Section 1(b)
GOODS AND/OR SERVICES SECTION (proposed)	
INTERNATIONAL CLASS	009
DESCRIPTION	
mobile phones; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other	

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FILING BASIS	Section 1(b)
SIGNATURE SECTION	
DECLARATION SIGNATURE	/ttt/
SIGNATORY'S NAME	Tu T. Tsao
SIGNATORY'S POSITION	Trademark Counsel
DATE SIGNED	11/20/2008
RESPONSE SIGNATURE	/ttt/
SIGNATORY'S NAME	Tu T. Tsao
SIGNATORY'S POSITION	Trademark Counsel
DATE SIGNED	11/20/2008
AUTHORIZED SIGNATORY	YES
CONCURRENT APPEAL NOTICE FILED	YES
FILING INFORMATION SECTION	
SUBMIT DATE	Thu Nov 20 20:25:56 EST 2008
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 USPTO Form 101-1 (Rev. 08/07)

**Request for Reconsideration after Final Action
 To the Commissioner for Trademarks:**

Application serial no. 77318565 has been amended as follows:

ARGUMENT(S)

In response to the substantive refusal(s), please note the following:

As requested by the Examining Attorney, we have again amended the description to further clarify the goods.

In response to the Examining Attorney's continued 2(d) refusal, we would like to note, in addition to the arguments we made previously, that the deadline for filing a section 8 affidavit for Reg. No. 2639556 has passed, and there is no record that such an affidavit has been timely filed. Because the registration is (or will soon be) no longer valid, we again ask that the Examining Attorney to withdraw the refusal. If the Examining Attorney cannot at this time withdraw the refusal, we kindly request that the Examining Attorney consider suspending the examination of our application pending the final disposition of Reg. No. 2639556.

CLASSIFICATION AND LISTING OF GOODS/SERVICES

Applicant proposes to amend the following class of goods/services in the application:

Current: Class 009 for mobile device hardware and peripherals; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile devices

Original Filing Basis:

Filing Basis: Section 1(b), Intent to Use: The applicant has a bona fide intention to use or use through the applicant's related company or licensee the mark in commerce on or in connection with the identified goods and/or services as of the filing date of the application. (15 U.S.C. Section 1051(b)).

Proposed: Class 009 for mobile phones; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile phones

Filing Basis: Section 1(b), Intent to Use: The applicant has a bona fide intention to use or use through the applicant's related company or licensee the mark in commerce on or in connection with the identified goods and/or services as of the filing date of the application. (15 U.S.C. Section 1051(b)).

SIGNATURE(S)

Declaration Signature

If the applicant is seeking registration under Section 1(b) and/or Section 44 of the Trademark Act, the applicant had a bona fide intention to use or use through the applicant's related company or licensee the mark in commerce on or in connection with the identified goods and/or services as of the filing date of the

application. 37 C.F.R. Secs. 2.34(a)(2)(i); 2.34 (a)(3)(i); and 2.34(a)(4)(ii). If the applicant is seeking registration under Section 1(a) of the Trademark Act, the mark was in use in commerce on or in connection with the goods or services listed in the application as of the application filing date. 37 C.F.R. Secs. 2.34(a)(1)(i). The undersigned, being hereby warned that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. §1001, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any resulting registration, declares that he/she is properly authorized to execute this application on behalf of the applicant; he/she believes the applicant to be the owner of the trademark/service mark sought to be registered, or, if the application is being filed under 15 U.S.C. §1051(b), he/she believes applicant to be entitled to use such mark in commerce; to the best of his/her knowledge and belief no other person, firm, corporation, or association has the right to use the mark in commerce, either in the identical form thereof or in such near resemblance thereto as to be likely, when used on or in connection with the goods/services of such other person, to cause confusion, or to cause mistake, or to deceive; that if the original application was submitted unsigned, that all statements in the original application and this submission made of the declaration signer's knowledge are true; and all statements in the original application and this submission made on information and belief are believed to be true.

Signature: /ttt/ Date: 11/20/2008
Signatory's Name: Tu T. Tsao
Signatory's Position: Trademark Counsel

Request for Reconsideration Signature

Signature: /ttt/ Date: 11/20/2008
Signatory's Name: Tu T. Tsao
Signatory's Position: Trademark Counsel

The signatory has confirmed that he/she is not represented by either an authorized attorney or Canadian attorney/agent, and that he/she is either (1) the applicant or (2) a person(s) with legal authority to bind the applicant; and if an authorized U.S. attorney or Canadian attorney/agent previously represented him/her in this matter, either he/she has filed a signed revocation of power of attorney with the USPTO or the USPTO has granted the request of his/her prior representative to withdraw.

The applicant is filing a Notice of Appeal in conjunction with this Request for Reconsideration.

Serial Number: 77318565
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Filing date: **11/20/2008**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

Application Serial No.	77318565
Applicant	Google Inc.

Notice of Appeal

Notice is hereby given that Google Inc. appeals to the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board the refusal to register the mark depicted in Application Serial No. 77318565.

Applicant has filed a request for reconsideration of the refusal to register, and requests suspension of the appeal pending consideration of the request by the Examining Attorney.

The refusal to register has been appealed as to the following class of goods/services:

- Class 009.

All goods and services in the class are appealed, namely: mobile device hardware and peripherals; operating system software; software for use in developing, executing, and running other software on mobile devices, computers, computer networks, and global communication networks; computer software development tools; computer software for use in transmitting and receiving data over computer networks and global communication networks; computer software for managing communications and data exchange among and between mobile devices and desktop computers; computer middleware, namely, software that mediates between the operating system of a mobile device and the application software of a mobile device; computer application software for mobile devices

Respectfully submitted,

/tt/

11/20/2008

GOOGLE INC.

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
P.O. Box 1461
Alexandria, VA 22313-1461

MAILED: November 27, 2008

IN RE:
Google Inc.

SERIAL NO. 77318555

APPEAL RECEIVED: 11/29/2008

BRIEF DUE: n/a

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707-335-1834

The appeal and appeal fee in the above-entitled application were received on the date indicated above. Applicant indicated that it has filed or is filing today a request for reconsideration of the final refusal to register.¹

¹ A timely request for reconsideration must be filed with the Trademark Examining Operation, and may be filed via TEAS, using the Response to Office Action form. (To maintain their status, TEAS Plus applicants must use TEAS for filing a request for reconsideration.) Applicant should notify the Board immediately if it has not filed a timely request for reconsideration and does not intend to do so.

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Accordingly, the appeal is hereby instituted, but action on the appeal is suspended pending the Examining Attorney's consideration of the request for reconsideration.

In the event the refusal of registration is maintained, proceedings will be resumed and applicant will be allowed time in which to file a brief on its appeal.

New Developments at the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board

TTAB forms for electronic filing of extensions of time to oppose, notices of opposition, petition for cancellation, notice of ex parte appeal, and inter partes filings are now available at <http://estta.uspto.gov>. Images of TTAB proceeding files can be viewed using TTABVue at <http://ttabvue.uspto.gov>.

Parties should also be aware of changes in the rules affecting trademark matters, including rules of practice before the TTAB. See Rules of Practice for Trademark-Related Filings Under the Madrid Protocol Implementation Act, 68 Fed. R. 55,748 (September 26, 2003) (effective November 2, 2003) Reorganization of Correspondence and Other Provisions, 68 Fed. Reg. 48,286 (August 13, 2003) (effective September 12, 2003). Notices concerning the rules changes are available at www.uspto.gov.

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Subject: TRADEMARK APPLICATION NO. 77318565 - ANDROID - N/A
Sent: 11/24/2008 5:06:20 PM
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Attachments:

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

SERIAL NO: 77318565

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CORRESPONDENT ADDRESS:

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GENERAL TRADEMARK INFORMATION:
<http://www.uspto.gov/main/trademarks.htm>

APPLICANT: Google Inc.

**CORRESPONDENT'S
REFERENCE/DOCKET NO:**

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CORRESPONDENT E-MAIL ADDRESS:
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NOTICE OF SUSPENSION

ISSUE/MAILING DATE: 11/24/2008

This letter responds to the applicant's communication filed on November 20, 2008. The applicant (1) argued against the Section 2(d) refusal and requested that this mark be placed in suspension pending the determination of whether the cited registration will be canceled or expire and (2) amended the identification of goods.

The following requirement has been satisfied: (1) Identification of Goods. TMEP §§713.02, 714.04.

The following refusal is maintained: (1) Section 2(d) – Likelihood of Confusion Refusal.

SUSPENSION PROCEDURE: This suspension notice serves to suspend action on the application for

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the reason specified below. No response is needed. However, if you wish to respond to this notice, you should use the "Response to Letter of Suspension" form found at <http://teasroa.uspto.gov/rsi/rsi>. The Office will conduct periodic status checks to determine if suspension remains appropriate.

Registration has been refused under Section 2(d) of the Trademark Act, 15 U.S.C. §1052(d), based on the cited registration. However, registration maintenance documents are due to be filed for the cited registration. If these registration maintenance documents are not timely filed, the cited registration will be canceled under §8 or expire under §9 and will no longer present a bar to registration under Section 2(d). 15 U.S.C. §§1058, 1059. Therefore, action on this application is suspended for 6 months until the examining attorney can determine whether the cited registration will be canceled under §8 or expire under §9. 37 C.F.R §2.67; TMEP §716.02(e).

/Seth A. Rappaport/
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Trademark Examining Attorney
Law Office 103
Phone: (571) 270-1508
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STATUS CHECK: Check the status of the application at least once every six months from the initial filing date using the USPTO Trademark Applications and Registrations Retrieval (TARR) online system at <http://tarr.uspto.gov>. When conducting an online status check, print and maintain a copy of the complete TARR screen. If the status of your application has not changed for more than six months, please contact the assigned examining attorney.

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Attachments:

IMPORTANT NOTICE
USPTO OFFICE ACTION HAS ISSUED ON 11/24/2008 FOR
APPLICATION SERIAL NO. 77318565

Please follow the instructions below to continue the prosecution of your application:

VIEW OFFICE ACTION: Click on this link http://tportal.uspto.gov/external/portal/tow?DDA=Y&serial_number=77318565&doc_type=SU1& (or copy and paste this URL into the address field of your browser), or visit <http://tportal.uspto.gov/external/portal/tow> and enter the application serial number to access the Office action.

PLEASE NOTE: The Office action may not be immediately available but will be viewable within 24 hours of this notification.

RESPONSE MAY BE REQUIRED: You should carefully review the Office action to determine (1) if a response is required; (2) how to respond; and (3) the applicable response time period. Your response deadline will be calculated from 11/24/2008.

Do NOT hit "Reply" to this e-mail notification, or otherwise attempt to e-mail your response, as the USPTO does NOT accept e-mailed responses. Instead, the USPTO recommends that you respond online using the Trademark Electronic Application System response form at <http://www.uspto.gov/teas/eTEASpageD.htm>.

HELP: For *technical* assistance in accessing the Office action, please e-mail TDR@uspto.gov. Please contact the assigned examining attorney with questions about the Office action.

WARNING

1. The USPTO will NOT send a separate e-mail with the Office action attached.
2. Failure to file any required response by the applicable deadline will result in the ABANDONMENT of your application.

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Mobile Operators

Handset Manufacturers

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China Mobile Communications Corporation
www.chinamobile.com/en



KDDI CORPORATION
www.kddi.com

KDDI is a telecommunication operator that provides wide-ranging services from mobile to fixed in Japan.



NTT DoCoMo, Inc.
www.nttdocomo.com

NTT DoCoMo is the world's leading mobile communications operator, with 53 million customers, of which 40 million use the 3G/ FOMA service based on W-CDMA technology.



SOFTBANK MOBILE Corp.
mb.softbank.jp/mb/en

SOFTBANK MOBILE Corp. is a leading mobile operator in Japan with over 19 million customers and a member of the SOFTBANK Group. (as of 31 October 2008)



Sprint Nextel
www2.sprint.com/mr/aboutsprint.do

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T-Mobile
www.t-mobile.net

Serving more than 112 million mobile customers in Europe and the U.S., T-Mobile is one of the world's leading companies in mobile communications, and the mobile telecommunications subsidiary of Deutsche Telekom AG (NYSE: DT)



Telecom Italia
www.telecomitalia.it

Supplying 34.3 mobile lines, around 23 million landlines and 7.3 million broadband clients, Telecom Italia is a Italy's leading ICT enterprise with a significant international presence in Europe and South America. The Group trades through pre-eminent brands Telecom Italia, Alice, TIM, La7, MTV Italia, APCOM and Olivetti in fixed-line and mobile telecommunications, Internet and media, office & system solutions.



ASUSTeK Computer Inc.
www.asus.com

ASUS is a leading company in the new digital era for IT and communication products. The company's turnover for 2007 was 6.9 billion U.S. dollars.



Garmin International, Inc.
www.garmin.com

Garmin is the global leader in satellite navigation and has built millions of products that serve the automotive, wireless, OEM, fitness, aviation and marine markets.



HTC Corporation
www.htc.com

HTC Corporation focuses on driving cutting-edge innovation into a wide variety of mobile devices to create the perfect match for individuals. The company is listed on the Taiwan Stock Exchange under ticker 2498.



Huawei Technologies
www.huawei.com

Huawei Technologies is a leader in providing next generation telecommunications network solutions for operators around the world.



LG Electronics, Inc.
www.lge.com

LG, the brand that is Delightfully Smart, is a global leader and technology innovator in consumer electronics, home appliances and mobile communications. LG's vision is to supply top-of-the-range innovative digital products and services and ensure customer satisfaction.



Motorola, Inc.
www.motorola.com

Motorola is known around the world for innovation and leadership in wireless and broadband communications.



Samsung Electronics
www.samsung.com

A leading innovator and provider of mobile phones and telecom systems.



Sony Ericsson
www.sonyericsson.com

Sony Ericsson is a top global mobile phone manufacturer with sales of over 100 million phones in 2007. With operations in over 80 countries, Sony Ericsson was established as a 50:50 joint venture by Sony and Ericsson in October 2001. For more information about Sony Ericsson, please visit www.sonyericsson.com.

**Telefónica**

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Telefónica is one of the largest telecommunication companies in the world, providing communication, information and entertainment solutions, with presence in Europe, Africa and Latin America and with more than 212 million clients of fixed and mobile services.

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Vodafone is the world's leading international mobile communications group with approximately 280 million proportionate customers as of 30 September 2008. Vodafone currently has equity interests in 27 countries across five continents and over 40 partner networks worldwide. For more information, please visit www.vodafone.com.

TOSHIBA**Toshiba Corporation**

www.toshiba.com

Toshiba is a world leader and innovator in pioneering high technology, a diversified manufacturer and marketer of advanced electronic and electrical products spanning information & communications equipment and systems.

Software Companies**Semiconductor Companies**

AKM**AKM Semiconductor Inc**www.akm.com

AKM Semiconductor is a leading supplier of mixed-signal ICs for consumer and communications applications. Devices for mobile phones include audio products and electronic compass ICs.

Audience**Audience**www.audience.com

Audience is a voice processor company that enables clear communications anywhere with noise suppression technology based on the intelligence of the human hearing system.

ARM**ARM**www.arm.com

ARM designs the technology that lies at the heart of advanced digital products, from wireless, networking and consumer entertainment solutions to imaging, automotive and storage devices.

ATHEROS**Atheros Communications**www.atheros.com

Atheros Communications is a leading developer of wireless system solutions for communications products. The company's technology is used by leading PC, networking equipment and CE device manufacturers.

BROADCOM**Broadcom Corporation**www.broadcom.com

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Ascender Corporation**Ascender Corp.**www.ascendercorp.com/oha.html

Ascender Corp. is a leading provider of advanced font products and innovative applications for mobile devices.

ebay**eBay Inc.**www.ebay.com**Google****Google Inc.**www.google.com

Our mission is to organize all the world's information and make it universally accessible and useful.

LivingImage**LivingImage LTD.**www.livingimage.jp

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myriad**Myriad**www.myriadgroup.com

Myriad is a leading provider of multi-media solutions and end-to-end integration services that accelerate time-to-market and reduce operational costs for OEMs and Operators.

NUANCE**Nuance Communications, Inc.**www.nuance.com

Nuance Communications (NASDAQ: NUAN) is a leading provider of speech and imaging solutions for businesses and consumers around the world.

OMRON**OMRON SOFTWARE Co, Ltd.**www.omronsoft.co.jp

OMRON SOFTWARE, a leading embedded device software company, provides innovative / universal language and image processing technologies for mobile devices.

PV**PacketVideo (PV)**www.pv.com

PacketVideo (PV) is a nine-year-old multimedia software company whose software powers the world's leading mobile entertainment services, including Verizon Wireless' VCAST music and video services, NTT DoCoMo's 3-G FOMA service and Orange World by Orange.

SkyPop**SkyPop**www.skypop.com

Next generation services for mobile devices.

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Marvell is a leader in development of storage, communications, and consumer silicon solutions with a diverse product portfolio that powers the entire communications infrastructure from enterprise solutions to mobile consumer devices.



NVIDIA Corporation
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NVIDIA is the worldwide leader in visual computing technologies. Its Tegra family of computers-on-a-chip deliver rich multimedia features including 3D graphics and high definition video for next generation mobile devices including smartphones and personal media players.



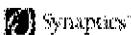
Qualcomm Inc.
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Qualcomm Incorporated is a leader in developing and delivering innovative digital wireless communications products for advanced devices around the world.



SiRF Technology Holdings, Inc.
www.sirf.com

SiRF is the leading provider of GPS enabled location platforms for mainstream markets with focus on wireless, automotive, consumer electronic and mobile compute devices.



Synaptics, Inc.
www.synaptics.com

Synaptics, Inc., providing easy-to-use interface solutions for mobile phones, personal media players, notebooks and PC peripherals, supplies a variety of user input solutions for mobile devices that make accessing digital content easy and fun.



Texas Instruments Incorporated
www.ti.com/wirelessresources

TI is a leading manufacturer of wireless semiconductors, delivering the heart of today's wireless technology and building solutions for tomorrow.



SONIVOX
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Commercialization Companies



Aplix Corporation
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Borqs
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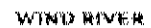
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Teleca AB
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