# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS TYLER DIVISION

Parallel Networks, LLC,	
Plaintiff,	No. 6:10-cv-00491-LED
v.	Jury Trial Demanded
Adidas America, Inc. et al.	
Defendants	

# PLAINTIFF'S ANSWER TO THE COUNTERCLAIMS OF NAUTICA RETAIL USA, INC.

Plaintiff Parallel Networks, LLC ("Parallel Networks") hereby Answers the Counterclaims [Dkt. No. 352] of Defendant Nautica Retail USA, Inc. ("Nautica"), by corresponding paragraph number as follows:

# **ANSWER TO COUNTERCLAIMS**

# **The Parties**

- 1. Admitted.
- 2. Admitted.

# Jurisdiction and Venue

- 3. Admitted.
- 4. Admitted.

# **Factual Background**

- 5. Admitted.
- 6. Denied.

7. Admitted that there is an actual case or controversy between the parties over the non-infringement, invalidity, unpatentability, and/or unenforceability of the '111 patent, but deny the remaining allegations.

#### Count One

# Declaratory Judgment of Non-Infringement of U.S. Patent No. 6,446,111

- 8. Parallel Networks incorporates by reference its statements in and responses to the preceding paragraphs 1-7 as if fully set forth herein.
  - 9. Admitted.
  - 10. Admitted.
  - 11. Denied.

#### **Count Two**

# Declaratory Judgment of Invalidity of U.S. Patent No. 6,446,111

- 12. Parallel Networks incorporates by reference its statements in and responses to the preceding paragraphs 1-7 as if fully set forth herein.
  - 13. Admitted.
  - 14. Admitted.
  - 15. Denied.

#### PRAYER FOR RELIEF

Parallel Networks denies that Nautica is entitled to any relief, including that requested in its Prayer for Relief.

### **DEMAND FOR A JURY TRIAL**

Nautica's Demand for a Jury Trial is an averment to which no responsive pleading is required.

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# Respectfully submitted,

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that counsel of record who are deemed to have consented to electronic service are being served this 16th day of December, 2010, with a copy of this document via the Court's CM/ECF system per Local Rule CV-5(a)(3). Any other counsel of record will be served by electronic mail, facsimile transmission and/or first class mail on this same date.

/s/ Charles Craig Tadlock

One of the Attorneys for Parallel Networks, LLC