# UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TEKNI-PLEX, INC. Petitioner

v.

CONVERTER MANUFACTURING, LLC Patent Owner

> Case No. IPR2021-00918 U.S. Patent No. 10,189,624

#### PATENT OWNER'S NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 90.2, 90.3 and 35 U.S.C. §§ 142, 143, and 319, Patent Owner Converter Manufacturing, LLC ("Patent Owner") hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision of the Patent Trial and Appeal Board (the "Board") entered on October 20, 2022 (Paper 75), and the February 22, 2023 Order Denying Director Review of the Board's Final Written Decision (Paper 80) and from all underlying findings, orders, decisions, rulings, and opinions that are adverse to Patent Owner.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), Patent Owner states that the issues on appeal include, but are not limited to: the Board's determination that claims 1-20, 22-26, and 29 of U.S. Patent No. 10,189,624 B2 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. §§ 102 and 103; the Board's consideration of expert testimony, prior art, and other evidence in the record; the Board's failure to consider expert testimony and other determinations, including evidentiary determinations, supporting or related to those issues (such as any decisions on motions to exclude evidence and objections to demonstratives), as well as other issues decided adverse to Patent Owner in any orders, decisions, rulings, and opinions.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(1), this Notice of Appeal is also being filed with the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Simultaneous with this submission, a copy of this Notice of Appeal is being filed with the Board. Case IPR2021-00918 Patent No. 10,189,624

Additionally, a copy of this Notice of Appeal is being filed with the Clerk's Office

for the United States Court of Appeal for the Federal Circuit, along with the required docketing fees.

Dated: April 20, 2023

Respectfully Submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF FILING**

The undersigned certifies that on April 20, 2023, in addition to being filed electronically through the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's P-TACTS system, a true and accurate paper copy of Patent Owner's Notice of Appeal is being filed via Priority Mail Express with the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, at the following address:

> Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office c/o Office of the Solicitor United States Patent and Trademark Office Mail Stop 8 Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

The undersigned also certifies that on April 20, 2023, a true and correct copy

of Patent Owner's Notice of Appeal is being filed via the electronic filing system,

CM/ECF, with the Clerk's Office of the United States Court of Appeal for the Federal

Circuit.

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that on April 20, 2023, a true and accurate copy of

Patent Owner's Notice of Appeal was served on the following counsel for Petitioner

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