

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ATOPTECH, INC.
Petitioner

v.

SYNOPSYS, INC.
Patent Owner

Case IPR2014-01150
Patent No. 6,567,967

PATENT OWNER SYNOPSYS, INC.'S NOTICE OF APPEAL

Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office
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Notice is hereby given, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a), that Patent Owner Synopsys, Inc. (“Synopsys”) hereby appeals under 35 U.S.C. §§ 141 and 142 to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision entered on January 19, 2016 (Paper No. 34) (the “Final Written Decision”), and from all underlying orders, decisions, rulings, and opinions.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), Synopsys further indicates that the issues on appeal include, but are not limited to claim construction, the determination that claims 1, 4, 8, 9, 12, 16, 19–22, and 32–36 of U.S. Patent No. 6,567,967 are unpatentable, and any finding or determination supporting or related to those issues, as well as all other issues decided adversely to Synopsys in any orders, decisions, rulings, and opinions.

Copies of this Notice of Appeal are being filed simultaneously with the Director, the Board, and the Clerk of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

Respectfully submitted,

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I hereby certify that, in addition to being filed electronically through the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's PRPS, the foregoing "Patent Owner Synopsys, Inc.'s Notice of Appeal" was filed by Express Mail on this 22nd day of March, 2016, with the Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, at the following address:

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I hereby certify that true and correct copies of the foregoing "Patent Owner Synopsys, Inc.'s Notice of Appeal" were hand delivered on this 22nd day of March, 2016, to the Clerk's Office of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, at the following address:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), this is to certify that I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the foregoing “Patent Owner Synopsys, Inc.’s Notice of Appeal” on March 22, 2016 via email to the counsel for Petitioner at the following addresses:

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