

Date: September 21, 2016

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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STARBUCKS CORP., APPLE, INC., EVENTBRITE, INC., and  
STARWOOD HOTELS & RESORTS WORLDWIDE, INC.,  
Petitioner

v.

AMERANTH, INC.  
Patent Owner

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Case CBM2015-00091<sup>1</sup>  
U.S. Patent No. 6,384,850

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**PATENT OWNER AMERANTH'S NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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<sup>1</sup> Case CBM2016-00007 has been joined with this proceeding.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Ameranth, Inc. (Patent Owner), hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit from the Final Written Decision in Case CBM2015-00091 and CBM2016-00007 that was entered on September 13, 2016 (Paper 38), and from all underlying findings, orders, decisions, rulings, and opinions in those Covered Business Method proceedings before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board.

Patent Owner further states, per 37 C.F.R. § 90.2(a)(3)(ii), that the issues presented on this appeal include, but are not limited to: The decision of the Patent Trial and Appeal Board in the underlying proceedings that claims 12-16 of U.S. Patent No. 6,384,850 B1 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103, along with any appealable finding, conclusion, or determination related in any way to that decision, and any other appealable issues decided adversely to Patent Owner in any orders, decisions, rulings, or opinions in CBM2015-00091 and/or CBM2016-00007.

A copy of this Notice of Appeal is being concurrently filed with the Patent Trial and Appeal Board, and three copies of this Notice of Appeal, plus the required docketing fees, are being filed with the Clerk's Office of the United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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