

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
GAINESVILLE DIVISION

UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA                      CASE NO.:  
RESEARCH FOUNDATION, INC.,            1:17-cv-00171

Plaintiff,

vs.

GENERAL ELECTRIC COMPANY,  
GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS  
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES,  
INC., and GE MEDICAL SYSTEMS,  
INC.,

Defendants.

\_\_\_\_\_ /

**PLAINTIFF’S NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE FEDERAL CIRCUIT**

Notice is hereby given that Plaintiff University of Florida Research Foundation, Inc. (“UFRF”) hereby appeals to the **United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit** from the Final Judgment (Dkt. 41) entered in this action on November 16, 2017. UFRF further appeals the Court’s order granting Defendants’ Motion to Dismiss (Dkt. 40) and all orders, rulings, findings and/or conclusions of the Court adverse to UFRF that comprise the judgment, in whole or part.

The Federal Circuit has exclusive jurisdiction over this appeal because it is a civil action arising under one or more Acts of Congress relating to patents. 28 U.S.C. § 1295(a)(1); see also 28 U.S.C. § 1292(c)(2).

/s/ Andrew M. Howard  
Michael W. Shore\*  
Texas Bar No. 18294915  
mshore@shorechan.com  
Alfonso Garcia Chan\*  
Texas Bar No. 24012408  
achan@shorechan.com  
Andrew M. Howard\*  
Texas Bar No. 24059973  
ahoward@shorechan.com  
**SHORE CHAN DEPUMPO LLP**  
901 Main Street, Suite 3300  
Dallas, Texas 75202  
Telephone: (214) 593-9110  
Facsimile: (214) 593-9111  
(\*pro hac granted)

John D. Jopling  
Florida Bar No. 348104  
David M. Delaney  
Florida Bar No. 121060  
**DELL SALTER, P.A**  
203 NE First Street  
Gainesville, FL 32601  
(352) 416-0090 - telephone  
(352) 416-0147 - fax  
jjopling@DellSalter.com  
ddelaney@DellSalter.com  
dgpleadings@gmail.com

**ATTORNEYS FOR THE  
UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA  
RESEARCH FOUNDATION,  
INC.**

AND

**CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE WITH LOCAL RULE 7.1(F)**

I hereby certify that this motion does not exceed the word limit set forth in Local Rule 7.1(F) because the word count of this pleading is 110 words, excluding the case style, signature block, certificate of service, and tables.

/s/ Andrew M. Howard  
Andrew M. Howard

## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I **HEREBY CERTIFY** that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was filed with the CM/ECF system which will send electronic notice of such filing to Keith L. Bell, Jr., Esquire and Trevor A. Thompson, Esquire, Clark Partington, 106 East College Avenue, Suite 600, Tallahassee, FL 32301, kbell@clarkpartington.com, tthompson@clarkpartington.com, Brian D. Roche, Esquire, broche@reedsmith.com, David T. Pollock, Esquire, dpollock@reedsmith.com, and Gerard M. Donovan, gdonovan@reedsmith.com, this December 1, 2017.

*/s/ Andrew M. Howard*

Andrew M. Howard