

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
AUSTIN DIVISION**

Cedar Lane Technologies Inc., Plaintiff, v. Dialpad, Inc., Defendant.	Case No. 1:19-cv-1156 Patent Case Jury Trial Demanded
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COMPLAINT FOR PATENT INFRINGEMENT

Plaintiff Cedar Lane Technologies Inc. ("Cedar Lane"), through its attorneys, complains of Dialpad, Inc. ("Dialpad"), and alleges the following:

PARTIES

1. Plaintiff Cedar Lane Technologies Inc. is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Canada that maintains its principal place of business at 560 Baker Street, Suite 1, Nelson, BC V1L 4H9.

2. Defendant Dialpad, Inc. is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware that maintains an established place of business in Austin, Texas.

JURISDICTION

3. This is an action for patent infringement arising under the patent laws of the United States, Title 35 of the United States Code.

4. This Court has exclusive subject matter jurisdiction under 28 U.S.C. §§ 1331 and 1338(a).

5. This Court has personal jurisdiction over Defendant because it has engaged in systematic and continuous business activities in this District. As described below, Defendant has committed acts of patent infringement giving rise to this action within this District.

VENUE

6. Venue is proper in this District under 28 U.S.C. § 1400(b) because Defendant has committed acts of patent infringement in this District, and has an established place of business in this District. In addition, Cedar Lane has suffered harm in this district.

PATENT-IN-SUIT

7. Cedar Lane is the assignee of all right, title and interest in United States Patent No. 6,806,889 (the "'889 Patent"); (the "Patent-in-Suit"); including all rights to enforce and prosecute actions for infringement and to collect damages for all relevant times against infringers of the Patent-in-Suit. Accordingly, Cedar Lane possesses the exclusive right and standing to prosecute the present action for infringement of the Patent-in-Suit by Defendant.

The '889 Patent

8. The '889 Patent is entitled "Interactive applications," and issued 10/19/2004. The application leading to the '889 Patent was filed on 12/3/1999. A true and correct copy of the '889 Patent is attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and incorporated herein by reference.

9. The '889 Patent is valid and enforceable.

COUNT 1: INFRINGEMENT OF THE '889 PATENT

10. Cedar Lane incorporates the above paragraphs herein by reference.

11. **Direct Infringement.** Defendant has been and continues to directly infringe one or more claims of the '889 Patent in at least this District by making, using, offering to sell, selling and/or importing, without limitation, at least the Dialpad products identified in the charts

incorporated into this Count below (among the "Exemplary Dialpad Products") that infringe at least the exemplary claims of the '889 Patent also identified in the charts incorporated into this Count below (the "Exemplary '889 Patent Claims") literally or by the doctrine of equivalents. On information and belief, numerous other devices that infringe the claims of the '889 Patent have been made, used, sold, imported, and offered for sale by Defendant and/or its customers.

12. Defendant also has and continues to directly infringe, literally or under the doctrine of equivalents, the Exemplary '889 Patent Claims, by having its employees internally test and use these Exemplary Products.

13. The service of this Complaint upon Defendant constitutes actual knowledge of infringement as alleged here.

14. Despite such actual knowledge, Defendant continues to make, use, test, sell, offer for sale, market, and/or import into the United States, products that infringe the '889 Patent. On information and belief, Defendant has also continued to sell the Exemplary Dialpad Products and distribute product literature and website materials inducing end users and others to use its products in the customary and intended manner that infringes the '889 Patent. Thus, on information and belief, Defendant is contributing to and/or inducing the infringement of the '889 Patent.

15. **Induced Infringement.** Defendant actively, knowingly, and intentionally has been and continues to induce infringement of the '889 Patent, literally or by the doctrine of equivalents, by selling Exemplary Dialpad Products to their customers for use in end-user products in a manner that infringes one or more claims of the '889 Patent.

16. **Contributory Infringement.** Defendant actively, knowingly, and intentionally has been and continues materially contribute to their own customers' infringement of the '889

Patent, literally or by the doctrine of equivalents, by selling Exemplary Dialpad Products to their customers for use in end-user products in a manner that infringes one or more claims of the '889 Patent. Moreover, the Exemplary Dialpad Products are not a staple article of commerce suitable for substantial noninfringing use.

17. Exhibit 2 includes charts comparing the Exemplary '889 Patent Claims to the Exemplary Dialpad Products. As set forth in these charts, the Exemplary Dialpad Products practice the technology claimed by the '889 Patent. Accordingly, the Exemplary Dialpad Products incorporated in these charts satisfy all elements of the Exemplary '889 Patent Claims.

18. Cedar Lane therefore incorporates by reference in its allegations herein the claim charts of Exhibit 2.

19. Cedar Lane is entitled to recover damages adequate to compensate for Defendant's infringement.

JURY DEMAND

20. Under Rule 38(b) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Cedar Lane respectfully requests a trial by jury on all issues so triable.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Cedar Lane respectfully requests the following relief:

- A. A judgment that the '889 Patent is valid and enforceable;
- B. A judgment that Defendant has infringed, contributorily infringed, and/or induced infringement of one or more claims of the '889 Patent;
- C. An accounting of all damages not presented at trial;
- D. A judgment that awards Cedar Lane all appropriate damages under 35 U.S.C. § 284 for Defendant's past infringement, and any continuing or future infringement

of the Patent-in-Suit, up until the date such judgment is entered, including pre- or post-judgment interest, costs, and disbursements as justified under 35 U.S.C. § 284 and, if necessary, to adequately compensate Cedar Lane for Defendant's infringement, an accounting:

- i. that this case be declared exceptional within the meaning of 35 U.S.C. § 285 and that Cedar Lane be awarded its reasonable attorneys' fees against Defendant that it incurs in prosecuting this action;
- ii. that Cedar Lane be awarded costs, and expenses that it incurs in prosecuting this action; and
- iii. that Cedar Lane be awarded such further relief at law or in equity as the Court deems just and proper.

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Respectfully submitted,

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