

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
EASTERN DIVISION

ECLIPSE IP LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

ALDO U.S. INC. and FOOTLOCKER.COM,
INC.,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:11-cv-3392

COMPLAINT FOR PATENT INFRINGEMENT

Plaintiff Eclipse IP LLC (“Eclipse”), by counsel, complains of defendants Aldo U.S. Inc. (“Aldo”) and Footlocker.com, Inc. (“Footlocker”) (Aldo and Footlocker are collectively referred to as “Defendants”), as follows:

NATURE OF LAWSUIT

1. This is a suit for patent infringement arising under the patent laws of the United States, Title 35 of the United States Code § 1 *et seq.* This Court has exclusive jurisdiction over the subject matter of the Complaint under 28 U.S.C. § 1338(a).

PARTIES AND PATENTS

2. Eclipse is a company organized and existing under the laws of Florida and having a principal business address at 115 NW 17th Street, Delray Beach, Florida 33444.

3. Eclipse owns all right, title and interest in and has standing to sue for infringement of United States Patent No. 7,479,899 (“the ‘899 patent”), entitled “Notification Systems and Methods Enabling a Response to Cause Connection Between a Notified PCD and a Delivery or Pickup Representative” (Exhibit A), United States Patent No. 7,876,239 (“the ‘239 patent”), entitled “Secure Notification Messaging Systems and Methods Using Authentication Indicia” (Exhibit B), United States Patent No. 7,319,414 (“the ‘414 patent”), entitled “Secure

Notification Messaging Systems and Methods Using Authentication Indicia” (Exhibit C), and United States Patent No. 7,119,716 (“the ‘716 patent”), entitled “Response Systems and Methods for Notification Systems for Modifying Future Notifications” (Exhibit D) (collectively, “the Eclipse Patents”).

4. Aldo is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware with a principal place of business at 2300 Emile-Belanger, St. Laurent, Quebec, Canada H4R 3J4. Aldo does regular business in this judicial district and has committed acts of infringement in this district.

5. This Court has personal jurisdiction over Aldo by virtue of its tortious acts of patent infringement which have been committed in the State of Illinois and in this judicial district, and by virtue of Aldo’s regular and systematic transaction of business in the State of Illinois.

6. Footlocker is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of Delaware with a principal place of business at 112 W. 34th Street, New York, New York 10120. Footlocker does regular business in this judicial district and has committed acts of infringement in this district.

7. This Court has personal jurisdiction over Footlocker by virtue of its tortious acts of patent infringement which have been committed in the State of Illinois and in this judicial district, and by virtue of Footlocker’s regular and systematic transaction of business in the State of Illinois.

VENUE

8. Venue is proper in this judicial district under 28 U.S.C. §§ 1391(d) and 1400(b).

DEFENDANTS’ ACTS OF PATENT INFRINGEMENT

9. Aldo has infringed one or more claims of the ‘899 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

10. Aldo has infringed one or more claims of the '239 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

11. Aldo has infringed one or more claims of the '414 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

12. Aldo has infringed one or more claims of the '716 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

13. Footlocker has infringed one or more claims of the '899 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

14. Footlocker has infringed one or more claims of the '239 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

15. Footlocker has infringed one or more claims of the '414 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

16. Footlocker has infringed one or more claims of the '716 patent, through, among other activities, the use of its e-mail shipment notification and embedded URL linking systems.

17. Defendants' acts of infringement have injured Eclipse, and Eclipse is entitled to recover damages adequate to compensate it for such infringement, but in no event less than a reasonable royalty.

PRAYER FOR RELIEF

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff Eclipse asks this Court to enter judgment against each defendant and against each defendant's respective subsidiaries, affiliates, agents, servants, employees and all persons in active concert or participation with it, granting the following relief:

A. An award of damages adequate to compensate Eclipse for the infringement that has occurred, together with prejudgment interest from the date infringement of the Eclipse Patents began;

B. An award to Eclipse of all remedies available under 35 U.S.C. §§ 284 and

285; and,

C. Such other and further relief as this Court or a jury may deem proper and just.

JURY DEMAND

Eclipse demands a trial by jury on all issues so triable.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: May 19, 2011

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