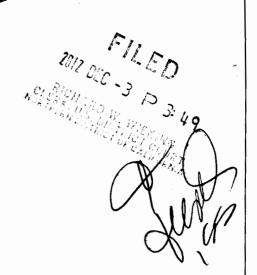
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# IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Technology Licensing Company, Inc., Plaintiff	Case No.: C 12 6124 COMPLAINT FOR PATENT INFRINGEMENT
v.	INTRINGEMENT
Apple, Inc	DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL
Defendant	

Complaint	for	Patent	Infringement
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# **COMPLAINT FOR PATENT INFRINGEMENT**

Plaintiff, Technology Licensing Company Inc., complains of and for causes of action against Apple, Inc. alleges as follows:

## Nature of the Case

1. This is an action arising under the Patent Laws and Statutes of the United States in which Plaintiff seeks to recover for patent infringement, and for any and all damages and costs flowing therefrom.

# Jurisdiction and Venue

2. The Court has exclusive jurisdiction of the patent infringement claim, all asserted in this case pursuant to the Patent Laws and Statutes of the United States (e.g., 35 U.S.C. §§ 271, et seq. and § 281) including 28 U.S.C. §§ 1331, 1338. Venue is proper in this district under 28 U.S.C. § 1391.

#### The Parties

- 3. Plaintiff, Technology Licensing Company Inc. ("Plaintiff") is a California Corporation with a principal place of business in Nicasio, California.
- 4. Defendant, Apple, Inc. ("Defendant") is a California Corporation having a principal place at: 1 Infinite Loop, Cupertino, CA 95014.

## Plaintiff's Patent

5. Plaintiff is the owner of United States No.5,734,862 ("the Patent") which was duly issued on March 31, 1998. The Patent concerns *inter alia* embodiments for a system and method

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for making and/or viewing DVDs. Plaintiff has licensed the Patent to more than 35 (thirty five) manufacturers and/or sellers of DVD Players.

#### **COUNT I**

## (Patent Infringement)

- 6. This COUNT is instituted against Defendant for infringement (i.e., direct infringement) of the Patent.
  - 7. Plaintiff repeats and realleges the allegations set forth in paragraphs 1-5.
- 8. On information and belief, Defendant is infringing, or has infringed, the Patent in this Judicial District and elsewhere in the United States by manufacturing and/or selling and/or offering for sale and/or importing and/or using embodiments of the invention of the Patent.
- 9. On information and belief, at least one embodiment of the invention of the Patent which Defendant is infringing, and/or has infringed, operates, at least in part, in accordance with and/or complies, at least in part, with technical standards generally adhered to by the DVD Player Industry.
- 10. On information and belief, at least one embodiment of the invention of the Patent which Defendant is infringing, or has infringed, operates at least in part in accordance with and/or complies at least in part with "DVD Specifications for read-Only Disc, Part 3 VIDEO SPECIFICATIONS," Version 1.13, March 2002, published by DVD Format/Logo Licensing Corporation.

11. Plaintiff has suffered damages by reason of Defendant's infringement of the Patent, and will suffer additional damages unless Defendant is enjoined by the Court from continuing to infringe the Patent.

## **CERTIFICATION OF INTERESTED PARTIES OR PERSONS**

Pursuant to Civil L.R. 3-16, the undersigned certifies that the following listed person, association of persons, firms, partnerships, corporations (including parent corporations) or other entities (i) have a financial interest in the subject matter in controversy or in a party to the proceeding, or (ii) have a non-financial interest in that subject matter or in a party that could be substantially affected by the outcome of the proceeding:

Technology Licensing Company, Inc.

# RELIEF

# WHEREFOR PLAINTIFF PRAYS:

- (a) For decree and judgment against Defendant and all in privity with Defendant that the Patent is valid and enforceable;
- (b) For decree and judgment against Defendant and all in privity with Defendant, that the Patent is, and has been, infringed by Defendant and that Defendant is liable as a patent infringer;
- (c) For an accounting for, and an assignment of, an award of profits derived by Defendant and damages suffered by Plaintiff in consequence of the patent infringement;

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- (d) For an injunction permanently enjoining Defendant, its officers, agents, servants, employees, attorneys and all those in active concert, participation or privity with Defendant from further infringement, in any form what ever, of the Patent;
- (e) For the costs of this suit, reasonable attorney's fees as provided by statute (e.g., 35 U.S.C. § 285), and an assessment of interest and cost against the Defendant; and
  - (f) For such other and further relief which should appear just and equitable to this Court.

### **DEMAND FOR JURY TRIAL**

In accordance with Civil Local Rule No. 3-6, Plaintiff requests for a trial by jury.

Respectfully submitted,

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