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and preparing for and proceeding to trial.

Stevens Love is appointed as Special Counsel ("Special Counsel") pursuant to 11

U.S.C. §§ 327(e) and 328(a), to act as local counsel and assist The Simon Law Firm, P.C.

(already approved as special counsel to TPL on May 2, 1013, Docket #107) in cause number

consolidated into cause number 6:12-cv-202 (collectively referred to herein as the "EDTX

claims and recover all damages and compensation to which TPL may be entitled from the

and attached to the Declaration of Gregory P. Love in support of the Application, Special

8% of the gross attorneys fees recovered from those defendants in the EDTX Litigation. In

addition, Special Counsel is entitled to recover out-of-pocket expenses.

Counsel shall act as local counsel to TPL in the EDTX Litigation and, in exchange, shall receive

Special Counsel's Fees and Expenses shall be subject to review by the

Bankruptcy Court only under the standard of review provided under 11 U.S.C. §328(a) and shall

unlicensed use of the CORE Flash Portfolio Patents, including but not limited to investigation of

potential infringers, employing consultants and expert witnesses, instituting legal proceedings,

Litigation") and any additional cause number as explained in the Application.

6:12-cv-202, Technology Properties Limited, LLC v. Canon, Inc., et al., and each cause number

In addition, Special Counsel may assist in continuing to investigate patent infringement

Pursuant to an engagement agreement dated February 11, 2014 (the "Agreement")

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development not capable of being anticipated at the time of the fixing of such terms and

provides that compensation awarded by the Court may differ from the compensation provided in

not be subject to review under 11 U.S.C. §330(a). Review shall be under the standard that

the Agreements only if, "the terms and conditions prove to have been improvident in light of

conditions." Special Counsel shall not be required to adhere to the Guidelines for Compensation

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and Expense Reimbursement of Professionals and Trustees promulgated in the Northern District of California Bankruptcy Courts.

5. Prior to any deadline established in this case by which professionals are required to file final application for compensation, The Simon Law Firm, P.C. shall file a final fee application reflecting (a) the amount of Recoveries that have been obtained in connection with the litigation and licensing that are the subject of the Agreements described herein; (b) the Fees and Expenses that Special Counsel has been paid by The Simon Law Firm, P.C. and/or TPL during the post-petition period; and, (c) a general description of the efforts required to achieve the results obtained. The amount of Recoveries may be filed under seal to protect the confidentiality of any settlement or confidential license agreement, as well as the percentage of the contingent fee paid. Such application shall be subject to review only under the "improvident" standard of 11 U.S.C. §328(a).

\*\*END OF ORDER\*\*

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