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Cancellation No. 92049973

ABBYY Software Ltd.

v.

Ectaco Inc.

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The stipulated protective agreement filed on August 19, 2009, is noted. The parties are referred, as appropriate, to Trademark Rule 2.126(c) and TBMP §§ 412.02, *et seq.* (2d ed. rev. 2004).

The parties are advised that only confidential or trade secret information should be filed pursuant to a stipulated protective agreement.<sup>1</sup> Such an agreement may not be used as a means of circumventing paragraphs (d) and (e) of 37 CFR § 2.27, which provide, in essence, that the file of a published application or issued registration, and all

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<sup>1</sup> The Board notes that confidential papers can now be filed via ESTTA, the Board's electronic filing facility. <http://estta.uspto.gov>. Pick the "CONFIDENTIAL Opposition, Cancellation or Concurrent Use" form under the "File Documents in a Board Proceeding" option.

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proceedings relating thereto, should otherwise be available for public inspection.

Discovery and trial dates remain as reset in the Board's July 13, 2009 order.