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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

In Re: Adoption of Local Patent Rules

GENERAL ORDER NO. 10-3

The Court being vested with authority pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071 and Rule 83 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure to make and amend local rules; proposed Local Patent Rules having been submitted to the public for comment and those comments acknowledged; with recommendation of the Local Rules Advisory Committee and unanimous vote of the District Judges of the Southern District of Ohio; the attached Local Patent Rules are adopted.

Accordingly, effective June 1, 2010 these Local Patent Rules and Forms shall govern practice in all patent cases and patent proceedings in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Ohio.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Date: April 19, 2010

Susan J. Dlott

Chief United States District Judge