

Petition for Preliminary Injunctive Relief against Patent Infringement by Shin-Etsu Engineering Co., Ltd.

AIMECHATEC, Ltd. (hereinafter referred to as “the Company”) on March 16, 2020, petitioned a preliminary injunctive relief to the Tokyo District Court, wherein the Company demands suspension of manufacturing, selling and other forms of implementation of liquid crystal panel aligning and assembling equipment (Product name “AESUV”), against Shin-Etsu Engineering Co., Ltd. (Head office: 2-9, Kanda-Nishiki-Cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, hereinafter referred to as “Shin-Etsu Engineering”), for its alleged infringement of the Company’s patent (Patent No. 3458145) .

Regarding this case the Company had already filed a lawsuit based on the above patent right to the Tokyo District Court against Shin-Etsu Engineering demanding the injunction of manufacturing, selling etc. of AESUV and compensation for the damages incurred thereby. Recently the court has disclosed its impression that AESUV infringed the Company’s patent and will start the hearing for the damages based on the findings of infringement of the main suit. Such hearing, however, is supposed to take a long time, then a judgement will be rendered after some additional period of time. Given the situation, in order to suspend manufacturing, selling etc. of AESUV as soon as possible, we have petitioned for preliminary injunctive relief thereof this time.

The Company is positioning its intellectual property rights as important management resources and is determined to continue implementing appropriate measures against any acts infringing the Company’s intellectual property rights.

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