

Norcent Technology Violates Philips' Patented DVD Technology

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Philips Receives \$12.8 Million Jury Verdict in Final Judgment

U.S. Philips Corporation v. International Norcent Technology, et al.,
Case No. CV 06-01366 ER (PLAx) (C.D. Cal. 2007)

Philips filed suit in the United States District Court for the Central District of California against International Norcent Technology, Norcent Holdings, Inc., Shanghai Hongsheng Technology Co., Ltd., Hongpu International Development Co., Ltd. and Jennifer Long, for their willful infringement of Philips' intellectual property rights in its patented DVD technology.

Based on Philips' efforts, the Court entered a judgment (jury verdict) award of approximately \$12.8 million for Philips against the U.S. entities and individual.

Philips is seeking enhanced damages and attorneys' fees in addition to the \$12.8 million award.

Final Jury Verdict:
Court Ruling

\$12.8 Million Judgment Awarded:
Philips' Compensation

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 19 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
 20 WESTERN DIVISION

21 S. PHILIPS CORPORATION,
 Plaintiff,
 v.
 23 INTERNATIONAL NORCENT
 24 TECHNOLOGY; NORCENT
 25 HOLDINGS, INC.; and JENNIFER
 26 LONG,
 Defendants.

Case No.: CV 06-1366-ER (PLAx)

**PROPOSED ENTRY OF FINAL
 JUDGMENT ON JURY VERDICT**

Trial
 Date: August 28, 2007
 Time: 9:30 a.m.
 Place: Courtroom of the Honorable
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 Los Angeles, California 90012

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1 **TO ALL PARTIES AND COUNSEL OF RECORD:**

2 The jury having returned its verdicts in this matter,¹ the Court hereby enters
3 final judgment in favor of Plaintiff U.S. Philips Corporation ("Philips") and against
4 Defendants International Norcent Technology ("Norcent Technology"), Norcent
5 Holdings, Inc. ("Norcent Holdings"), and Jennifer Long ("Long") that:

- 6 1. Defendant Norcent Technology has directly infringed, has induced
7 infringement, or has contributed to infringement of Claims 1 and 6 of United
8 States Patent No. 5,677,903 ("the '903 patent"), and Claims 9 and 12 of United
9 States Patent No. 5,463,607 ("the '607 patent"); and such infringement was
10 willful.
- 11 2. Defendant Norcent Holdings has directly infringed, has induced infringement,
12 or has contributed to infringement of Claims 1 and 6 of the '903 patent, and
13 Claims 9 and 12 of the '607 patent; and such infringement was willful.
- 14 3. Defendant Long has directly infringed, has induced infringement, or has
15 contributed to infringement of Claims 1 and 6 of the '903 patent, and Claims 9
16 and 12 of the '607 patent; and such infringement was willful.
- 17 4. Claims 1 and 6 of the '903 patent, and Claims 9 and 12 of the '607 patent are
18 not invalid.
- 19 5. As a result of Norcent Technology's, Norcent Holdings', and Long's
20 infringement of the '903 and '607 patents, Norcent Technology, Norcent
21 Holdings, and Long are jointly and severally liable for and shall pay Philips
22 compensatory damages in the amount of \$12,853,793.
- 23 6. Defendants Norcent Technology's and Norcent Holdings' Counterclaims 1
24 through 6 are hereby dismissed with prejudice.

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27 ¹ Philips intends to file subsequent papers requesting a permanent injunction,
28 enhanced damages, attorneys' fees, and pre-judgment and post-judgment interest.

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7. Defendant Long's Counterclaims 1 through 4 are hereby dismissed with prejudice.


8. The Court reserves jurisdiction over all issues of the present case, including without limitation, enforcement of this Judgment. All present orders remain in effect unless otherwise provided by the Court.

9. The Court reserves its right to amend this Judgment to include further relief for Philips that the Court may deem appropriate. Such relief may include, without limitation, pre-judgment and post-judgment interest, and relief under 35 U.S.C. §§ 283, 284, and 285, which provide for the Court to enter permanent injunctive relief, to enhance the damage award, and to grant attorneys' fees.


JUDGMENT IS ENTERED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court shall serve, by United States mail, copies of this Entry of Judgment on counsel for the parties in this matter.

Dated: 9/18, 2007


Honorable Edward Rafeedie
United States District Court Judge

Respectfully submitted


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