

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION**

In the Matter of

RAMBUS INC.,

a corporation.

Docket No. 9302

**REQUEST BY RESPONDENT RAMBUS INC. FOR
DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF RAMBUS'S MOTION
TO COMPEL THE PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS IN
THE POSSESSION OF NEC'S PARENT COMPANY**

Respondent Rambus Inc. ("Rambus") respectfully requests that Your Honor dismiss, without prejudice, Rambus's motion to compel the production of documents in the possession of the parent company of third party NEC Electronics, Inc. ("NEC"), which motion was filed on or about December 20, 2002. This request is based upon certain agreements reached between counsel for Rambus and counsel for NEC with respect to the search for certain categories of documents by NEC's parent company in Japan. Rambus reserves the right to pursue its motion in the future if these issues are not successfully resolved, and NEC reserves its right to file opposition papers in response to any such renewed motion.

DATED: January __, 2003

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ORDER

Respondent Rambus Inc. (“Rambus”) has requested the dismissal, without prejudice, of its motion to compel the production of documents in the possession of the parent company of third party NEC Electronics, Inc., which motion was filed on or about December 20, 2002. Rambus states that it has reached certain agreements with NEC with respect to the search for certain categories of documents by NEC’s parent company. In consideration thereof, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Rambus’s motion to compel the production of documents in the possession of NEC’s parent company is hereby DISMISSED without prejudice.

Date: _____

James P. Timony
Chief Administrative Law Judge

PROOF OF SERVICE BY FACSIMILE/FEDERAL EXPRESS

I am employed in the County of Los Angeles, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within action. My business address is 355 South Grand Avenue, 35th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90071.

On January 14, 2003, I served the foregoing document described as: **REQUEST BY RESPONDENT RAMBUS INC. FOR DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF RAMBUS'S MOTION TO COMPEL THE PRODUCTION OF DOCUMENTS IN THE POSSESSION OF NEC'S PARENT COMPANY; ORDER** on the designated parties in this action by having a true copy thereof transmitted by facsimile machine to the number listed below. I caused the facsimile machine to print a record of the transmission, a copy of which is attached to this declaration.

On January 14, 2003, I also served a copy of the aforementioned document on the designated parties in this action by Federal Express overnight courier service. I am "readily familiar" with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for delivery to an employee of Federal Express. Under that practice it would be delivered to an employee of Federal Express on that same day at Los Angeles, California with charges to be billed to Munger, Tolles & Olson's account for delivery to the office of the addressee on January 15, 2003 in the ordinary course of business.

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I declare that I am employed in the office of a member of the bar of this court at whose direction the service was made.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is true and correct.

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