Remarks

The Applicant and the undersigned thank the Examiner for the careful review of this application. The Applicant appreciates the allowable subject matter indicated in Claims 21-40. The Applicant is filing a terminal disclaimer herewith in order to overcome the non-statutory obvious type double-patent rejection.

Claims 21, 30 and 38 are the three independent claims. The Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration and allowance of this application in view of the remarks provided below.

Non-Statutory Double Patenting

The Examiner has rejected Claims 21-40 on the ground of nonstatutory double patenting as being unpatentable over Claims 1-20 of U.S. Pat. No. 10,795,933 which is commonly owned by the corporate Applicant of the present application. The Applicant respectfully traverses this rejection in view of the attached terminal disclaimer and the remarks set forth below.

The Applicant has submitted a terminal disclaimer attached hereto in order to advance this case over the asserted double-patenting rejection. While the Applicant may not agree with the Examiner's position about the obviousness between the claims of the present application and the commonly owned U.S. Pat. No. 10,795,933, the Applicant desires to advance prosecution of this case without commenting on these obvious type double-patenting grounds of rejection made by the Examiner. Accordingly, reconsideration and withdrawal of these rejections are respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

The foregoing is submitted as a full and complete response to the Non-Final Office Action transmitted on September 21, 2021. The Applicant and the undersigned thank the Examiner for the consideration of these remarks. The Applicant respectfully submits that the present application is in condition for allowance. Such Action is hereby courteously solicited.

Should the Examiner have any comment regarding the Applicant's response or believe that a teleconference would expedite prosecution of the pending claims, Applicant requests that the Examiner telephone Applicant's undersigned registered patent lawyer listed below.

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