

NOTE: This order is nonprecedential.

**United States Court of Appeals
for the Federal Circuit**

NORTH STAR INNOVATIONS, INC.,
Appellant

v.

MICRON TECHNOLOGY, INC.,
Appellee

**ANDREI IANCU, Director, U.S. Patent and Trade-
mark Office,**
Intervenor

2020-1295, -1296

Appeals from the United States Patent and Trademark
Office, Patent Trial and Appeal Board in Nos. IPR2018-
00998 and IPR2018-00999.

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2020-1297

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2020-1298, -1299

Appeals from the United States Patent and Trademark
Office, Patent Trial and Appeal Board in Nos. IPR2018-
01004 and IPR2018-01005.

ON MOTION

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Before PROST, *Chief Judge*, NEWMAN and HUGHES, *Circuit Judges*.

NEWMAN, *Circuit Judge*.

O R D E R

North Star Innovations, Inc. moves to vacate the Patent Trial and Appeal Board's decisions and remand for new hearings in light of this court's recent decision in *Arthrex, Inc. v. Smith & Nephew, Inc.*, 941 F.3d 1320 (Fed. Cir. 2019). Micron Technology, Inc. opposes the motions. The Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office ("PTO") opposes.

Upon consideration thereof,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

(1) The motions to vacate and remand are granted. The Patent Trial and Appeal Board's decisions are vacated, and the cases are remanded to the Board for proceedings consistent with this court's decision in *Arthrex*.

(2) Each side shall bear its own costs.

FOR THE COURT

March 30, 2020
Date

/s/ Peter R. Marksteiner
Peter R. Marksteiner
Clerk of Court