



K.Mizra initiates lawsuit against Niantic in Germany (30 July 2021)

K.Mizra has filed a damage complaint for patent infringement with the Munich I Regional Court against Niantic Inc. and two of its European entities on 30 July 2021. The action is currently pending under the docket numbers 7 O 10368/21 and 7 O 13977/21.

K.Mizra alleges that Niantic's Augmented Reality Multiplayer platform "Pokémon Go" infringes the German designation of its patent 2 433 414 B1. The patent protects an invention that relates to simplifying and enhancing the way computer devices collaborate with each other in order to enable their users to engage in a multiuser experience. This includes, but is not limited to, a multiplayer online game. K.Mizra is convinced that Niantic uses the invention protected by K.Mizra's patent to enable Pokémon Go players to easily participate and interact with each other in the same shared AR Multiplayer session, which is enabled through using Google's cloud services in order to seize worldwide scalability and low latency.

K.Mizra licenses high-value, high quality patents acquired from global innovation leaders. In this case the patent originated with the Netherlands Organization for Applied Scientific Research ("TNO"). TNO is the largest fully independent Research, Development and Consultancy organization in the Netherlands with a staff of more than 2,500 people.