



## **Via Licensing Alliance Expands Qi Wireless Charging Patent Pool with Sony, Signaling Continued Momentum**

*With the Addition of Major Technology Company, Via's Wireless Charging Pool Momentum Continues to Increase*

**SAN FRANCISCO, Calif. (April 14, 2026)** – [Via Licensing Alliance](#) today announced that Sony has joined Via's Qi Wireless Power patent pool as both a licensor and licensee. The addition of the major technology company, which brings the number of new licensors and licensees entering the pool over the last six months to a total of nine, highlights the increasing momentum of Via's Qi Wireless Charging pool.

The pool represents more than 50% of all standard-essential patents (SEPs) in the Qi wireless charging space, making it the leading licensing solution for companies implementing the Qi standard.

“Sony's participation reinforces the growing industry alignment around collaborative licensing as wireless charging adoption continues to scale globally,” said Kevin Mack, President of Via Licensing Alliance. “As the Qi ecosystem expands, companies are increasingly turning to efficient, streamlined licensing models that reduce complexity and accelerate innovation. Bringing Sony into the pool as both a licensor and licensee further strengthens the program's depth and underscores its role as a leading solution for implementers worldwide.”

This growth comes at a time of increasing litigation in wireless charging, reinforcing the value of streamlined, collaborative licensing models in the space. Wireless charging applications continue to be increasingly deployed across a number of sectors, including automotive and consumer electronics.

For more information about the Qi Wireless Patent Pool, please visit [via-la.com](#).

### **About Via Licensing Alliance**

Via Licensing Alliance is the collaborative licensing leader, dedicated to accelerating global technology adoption, fostering participation, and generating return on innovation with balanced licensing solutions for innovators and manufacturers of all sizes around the globe. Via has operated dozens of licensing programs for a variety of technologies. Via is an independently managed company owned by industry-leading participants with over 25 years of intellectual property licensing leadership. For more information about Via, please visit [www.Via-LA.com](#).



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