

# Apple, Qualcomm Settle Bitter Dispute Over iPhone Technology



Apple and Qualcomm have dueled on three continents over the division of billions of dollars of smartphone profits and even how much consumers pay for their phones but as a trial on the issue began Tuesday, the two companies said they had essentially made up.

The *San Francisco Chronicle* **reports:**

The companies, one the maker of iPhones and the other one of the largest providers of mobile chips, said they had agreed to dismiss all litigation between them worldwide. They added that they had reached a six-year agreement for Cupertino's Apple to pay royalties on Qualcomm's patents, which was effective as of April 1.

**Read the *SF Chronicle* article.**