

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

McClinton Energy Group L.L.C.
Petitioner

v.

Magnum Oil Tools International, Ltd.
Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2013-00231
Patent 8,079,413

PETITIONER'S CONTINGENT REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Petitioner does not believe oral argument is necessary in this proceeding. To the extent the Board grants Patent Owner's Request (Paper No. 24), Petitioner requests oral argument and, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70, specifies the following issues to be argued:

I. Invalidity

- A. Are Claims 1-3, 5-8, 12, and 13 unpatentable under U.S.C. § 103(a) over the combination of Lehr, Cockrell, and Kristiansen?
- B. Are Claims 4 and 9-11 unpatentable under U.S.C. § 103(a) over the combination of Lehr, Cockrell, Kristiansen, and Slup?
- C. Are Claims 14 and 16 unpatentable under U.S.C. § 103(a) over the combination of Lehr, Cockrell, Kristiansen, and Streich;
- D. Is Claim 15 unpatentable under U.S.C. § 103(a) over the combination of Lehr, Cockrell, Kristiansen, Streich, and McKeachnie?
- E. Are Claims 17-19 unpatentable under U.S.C. § 103(a) over the combination of Lehr, Cockrell, Kristiansen, Slup, and Streich?
- F. Is Claim 20 unpatentable under U.S.C. § 103(a) over the combination of Lehr, Cockrell, Kristiansen, Slup, Streich, and McKeachnie?

- G. Has Patent Owner shown any secondary considerations of non-obviousness sufficient to overcome a strong *prima facie* case of obviousness?

Petitioner further reserves the right to address any arguments presented by Patent Owner.

Petitioner requests the ability to use audio visual equipment to display demonstrative exhibits, including the use of a projector and screen for PowerPoint display.

Respectfully submitted,

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Case No. IPR2013-00231	§	Real Party in Interest:	McClinton
Patent 8,079,413	§	Energy Group L.L.C.	
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U.S. Patent No. 8,079,413	§		
	§		
Issued: December 20, 2011	§		
	§		
Title: BOTTOM SET	§		
DOWNHOLE PLUG	§		

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.6, that service was made on the Patent Owner as detailed below.

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