

Filed on behalf of Game Show Network, LLC and WorldWinner.com, Inc.

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**BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD**

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**Game Show Network, LLC and WorldWinner.com, Inc.,**

Petitioners,

v.

Patent Owner of

**U.S. Patent 6,174,237 to Stephenson**

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**Case IPR2013-00289**

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**PETITIONERS' REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Scheduling Order (Paper 9), Petitioners Game Show Network, LLC and WorldWinner.com, Inc. request that the Patent Trial and Appeal Board hear oral argument on the following issues:

- 1) Whether challenged claims 1-19 of U.S. Patent No. 6,174,237 (Ex. 1001) are unpatentable for the grounds instituted.
  - a) Whether Claims 1-3, 5, and 8-19 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as anticipated by Walker (Ex. 1002).
  - b) Whether Claims 4, 6, and 7 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 as obvious over Walker (Ex. 1002).
- 2) The proper construction of the disputed claim limitations.
  - a) The proper construction of the claim phrase “evaluating the results of said qualifying round.”
  - b) The proper construction of the claim phrase “playing a game of skill in a qualifying round between a single player and the host computer.”
  - c) The proper construction of the claim phrase “wherein said performance level award increases as a player qualifies for higher performance level classifications.”

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Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of **PETITIONERS' REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT** is being served on May 23, 2014, via email pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e) per agreement of the parties, to counsel for Stephenson at the email address set forth below:

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