

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MAKO SURGICAL CORP.,
Petitioner,

v.

BLUE BELT TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,
Patent Owner.

IPR2015-00629
U.S. Patent No. 6,757,582

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Patent Owner hereby respectfully requests oral argument in the present *inter partes* review proceedings. Patent Owner specifies the following issues to be argued:

- Whether claims 1, 5, 6, 8, 9, 13, 14, 16, 17, 21–30, 34–42, 47, and 50–58 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as anticipated by Taylor (Ex. 1008);
- Whether claim 3 is unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as obvious over Taylor (Ex. 1008) in view of Glassman (Ex. 1009);
- Whether claims 48 and 49 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as obvious over Taylor (Ex. 1008) in view of Delp (Ex. 1011);
- Whether claim 7 is unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as obvious over Taylor (Ex. 1008) in view of DiGioia (Ex. 1010);
- Whether claim 11 is unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as obvious over Taylor (Ex. 1008);
- Whether Patent Owner’s Motion to Exclude should be granted;
- Response to any issues specified by Petitioner in its request for oral argument;
- Response to Petitioner’s presentation on all matters; and

- Any other issue briefed or presented by the parties throughout this trial.

Given the significant overlap of issues between IPR2015-00630 and IPR2015-00629, Patent Owner requests 60 minutes of cumulative argument time for these proceedings. In particular, Patent Owner proposes that Petitioner present argument on both IPR2015-00630 and IPR2015-00629, Patent Owner follow with its response, and that Petitioner use its remaining time for rebuttal.

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The undersigned certifies service pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e) of a copy of this Request for Oral Argument by electronic mail on March 9, 2016 on the counsel of record of the Petitioner:

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