

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

COALITION FOR AFFORDABLE DRUGS VI LLC,

PETITIONER,

V.

CELGENE CORPORATION,

PATENT OWNER.

Case No.: IPR2015-01103

Patent No. 6,315,720

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70, the Board’s October 27, 2015 Scheduling Order (Paper 23), Petitioner Coalition for Affordable Drugs VI LLC (“CFAD”) respectfully requests oral argument, which is currently scheduled for July 21, 2016. (Paper 23.)

Petitioner specifies the following issues to be argued:

1. Whether claims 1 – 32 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) over Mitchell and Dishman in view of Cunningham (Ex. 1008) and further in view of Mundt (Ex. 1017), Mann (Ex. 1018), Vanchieri (Ex. 1019), Shinn (Ex. 1020), Linnarsson (Ex. 1021), Grönroos (Ex. 1020), Soyka (ex. 1023), Hamera (Ex. 1024), Kosten (Ex. 1025), and Menill (Ex. 1026);
2. Whether Patent Owner’s alleged evidence of objective indicia is insufficient to overcome Petitioner’s showing of obviousness;
3. Any issues specified by Patent Owner Celgene Corporation in its Request for Oral Argument;
4. Rebuttal to Patent Owner’s presentation on all matters; and
5. Any other outstanding motions and pleadings, and other issues that the Board deems necessary for issuing a Final Written Decision.

CFAD requests it be permitted to argue first. Office Patent Trial Practice Guide, 77 Fed. Reg. 48,768 (Aug. 14, 2012) (“[A] petitioner to a hearing will go

first followed by the patent owner or respondent after which a rebuttal may be given by the petitioner.”) CFAD requests at least 60 minutes for its arguments with the opportunity to reserve time for a rebuttal.

CFAD further respectfully requests the ability to use audio visual equipment to display possible demonstratives and exhibits, including the use of a computer, projector, and screen.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), I certify that I caused to be served on the counsel for Patent Owner a true and correct copy of the foregoing Petitioner's Request for Oral Argument, by filing this document through the Patent Review Processing System, as well as by electronic means on June 16, 2016 at the following addresses of record:

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