

Case IPR2016-01096
Patent No. 6,667,061
Request for Oral Argument
Attorney Docket No. 9LUYE 7.1R-004

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

LUYE PHARMA GROUP LTD., LUYE PHARMA(USA) LTD., SHANDONG
LUYE PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD., and NANJING LUYE
PHARMACEUTICAL CO., LTD.,
Petitioners,

v.

ALKERMES PHARMA IRELAND LTD and
ALKERMES CONTROLLED THERAPEUTICS, INC.,
Patent Owners.

Patent No. 6,667,061 to Ramstack *et al.*
Issue Date: December 23, 2003
Title: PREPARATION OF INJECTABLE
SUSPENSIONS HAVING IMPROVED INJECTABILITY

Inter Partes Review No. IPR2016-01096

PETITIONERS' REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Board's November 30, 2016 Scheduling Order (Paper 15), Petitioners respectfully request that the Board hear oral argument on the instituted grounds of unpatentability in this proceeding.

Petitioners request that the each party be allocated 30 minutes for oral argument.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Petitioners specify the following issues to be argued:

1. Claims 1-13, 22, and 23 are rendered obvious by the combination of Johnson and Kino;
2. Claims 1-3, 6-9, 12, 13, and 17-23 are rendered obvious by the combination of Gustafsson, Ramstack, and the Handbook; and
3. Any motion to exclude or other motion or paper filed concurrently with or subsequent to this request.

Petitioners request the ability to use audio/visual equipment to display demonstrative exhibits and evidence of record, including a computer connectable projector and screen.

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Counsel for Petitioners have met and conferred with counsel for Patent Owners, and the parties have agreed to the provisions in this request with the exception of the length of time for oral argument.

Respectfully submitted,

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The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing
PETITIONERS' REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT was served on July 24,
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