## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

APPLE INC.,

Petitioner

v.

IMMERSION CORPORATION,

Patent Owner

Case IPR2016-01372

Patent 8,659,571

## IMMERSION CORPORATION'S REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Patent Owner Immersion Corporation ("Immersion") requests an oral hearing in this matter. In particular, Immersion requests 60 minutes of total argument time to address the following issues (without any intent to waive consideration of any issue not expressly requested):

- 1. The construction of relevant claim terms of U.S. 8,659,571 (the "'571 patent");
- 2. The patentability of claims 1-4, 6, 23-26, and 28 of the '571 patentin view of the references relied upon in the Petition;
- 3. The parties' motions to exclude;
- 4. Respond to any issues specified by Petitioner in its request for oral argument or otherwise presented by the Petitioner; and
- 5. Any additional issues on which the Board seeks clarification.

Immersion understands that oral argument will be held on October 5, 2017. Scheduling Order, Paper 8. Concurrently with this filing, Immersion is also requesting an oral hearing in IPR2016-01381, which is scheduled for the same day and before the same Board. Immersion respectfully requests that the oral hearing for this matter and for IPR2016-01381 be scheduled consecutively on October 5, 2017.

Immersion requests the ability to use audio/visual equipment to display demonstrative exhibits, including the use of a projector and screen for a



PowerPoint display. In accordance with the Trial Practice Guide, 77 Fed. Reg. at 48768, Immersion will contact the Board Trial Division paralegal to discuss this request.

Dated: August 28, 2017 Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6, the undersigned certifies that on August 28, 2017, a copy of the foregoing IMMERSION CORPORATION'S REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING was served by electronic mail, as agreed to by the

parties, upon the following:

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