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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES CORPORATION, EDWARDS
LIFESCIENCES LLC, AND EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES AG

Petitioners,

v.

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC SCIMED, INC.,

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-00060
Patent 8,992,608

Before the Honorable NEIL T. POWELL, JAMES A. TARTAL, and
ROBERT L. KINDER, *Administrative Patent Judges.*

**PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.70**

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Patent Owner Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc. hereby respectfully submits this Request for Oral Argument pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) on those issues for which the Board has granted *inter partes* review, including:

1. Whether Petitioner has carried its burden of showing that claims 1-4 of U.S. Patent No. 8,992,608 (the “‘608 patent”) are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Spenser and Elliot;

2. Whether Petitioner has carried its burden of showing that claims 1-4 of the ‘608 patent are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Spenser and Thornton;

3. Whether Petitioner has carried its burden of showing that claims 1-4 of the ‘608 patent are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Spenser and Cook; and

4. Whether Petitioner has carried its burden of establishing admissibility of the Declaration of Nigel P. Buller, M.D. (Ex. 1007) and Reply Declaration of Nigel P. Buller, M.D. (Ex. 1045).

Oral argument is currently scheduled for December 19, 2017. Patent Owner respectfully requests one hour for its argument regarding this proceeding.

Further, Patent Owner respectfully requests the ability to use audio/visual equipment at oral argument, including an Elmo, projector, and screen to display demonstratives and exhibits.

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