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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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KAWASAKI RAIL CAR, INC.,

Petitioner,

v.

SCOTT BLAIR,

Patent Owner

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Case IPR2017-00117

Patent 6,700,602

**PATENT OWNER SCOTT BLAIR'S REQUEST FOR ORAL  
ARGUMENT**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §42.70(a), Patent Owner requests oral argument currently scheduled for January 26, 2018 at 11 am. Patent Owner requests lead counsel, Jennifer Meredith, be brought in via teleconference and Mr. Dariush Keyhani, who is admitted *pro hac vice*, will attend in person.

The issues to be addressed at oral argument are requested to include:

- (1) Issues in Ground C on claims 1-4 and 6 of the '602 patent as unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. §103 over Namikawa, Sasao, Amano and Maekawa;
- (2) Issues addressed in Petitioner's Response;
- (3) Issues raised in the Motion for observation of reply witness Mr. Lowell Malo; and
- (4) Rebuttal to Petitioner's presentation and Papers.

Patent Owner requests 60 minutes and anticipates using demonstrative exhibits served five business days before the oral argument in electronic form.

Patent Owner also requests availability of:

- (1) A video projector with a VGA-type interface; and
- (2) Access to the audio system (if applicable).

Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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