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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

EDWARDS LIFESCIENCES CORPORATION,
Petitioner

v.

BOSTON SCIENTIFIC SCIMED, INC.,
Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2017-00444

Patent 6,915,560

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Scheduling Order (Paper 10), Petitioner Edwards Lifesciences Corporation requests that the Patent Trial and Appeal Board hear oral argument on the instituted grounds of unpatentability for U.S. Patent No. 6,915,560 (“the ’560 Patent”) and associated issues, including:

1. Proper construction of the relevant claim terms of the ’560 Patent.
2. Whether Claims 1, 2, 6, 8-11, 14, 15, 17-19, 23, 25-28, 31, 33-35, 37, 39, and 40 of the ’560 Patent would have been obvious over Yasumi, as taught in the embodiment of Figure 8, under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a).
3. Whether Claims 11, 17, 19, 26, 34, 35, and 39 of the ’560 Patent would have been obvious over Yasumi, as taught in the embodiment of Figure 8, and Morales under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a).
4. Responses to any issues raised by Patent Owner in its Request for Oral Argument, or any issues raised at the oral argument.
5. Any other issues the Board deems necessary for issuing a final written decision.

The Board has previously scheduled the oral argument for March 15, 2018, *see* Paper 10.

Petitioner believes 45 minutes of argument time for each party, including rebuttal by Petitioner, should be sufficient to address the issues in this IPR.

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Petitioner anticipates that approximately 4–7 people will attend the oral argument on its behalf.

Respectfully Submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of **PETITIONER’S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT** is being served on February 9, 2018, via electronic mail pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e) and with the consent of Patent Owner’s counsel, to counsel for Patent Owner’s at the addresses below:

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