UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

AMERICAN NATIONAL MANUFACTURING INC., Petitioner

v.

SLEEP NUMBER CORPORATION f/k/a SELECT COMFORT CORPORATION, Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2019-00500

Patent No. 9,737,154

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT



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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Revised Scheduling Order dated March 5, 2020 (Paper 84), Petitioner American National Manufacturing Inc. respectfully requests oral argument on the issues raised in the papers filed in this *Inter Partes* Review (IPR). Without waiving consideration of any issue not identified below, Petitioner specifies the following issues to be argued:

- 1. All grounds on which trial was instituted, and all issues raised in the Petition.
- 2. All issues the Board instructed the parties to address in the Institution of *Inter Partes* Review (Paper 11), including the construction of disputed claim terms.
- 3. All issues raised in Patent Owner's Response, Petitioner's Reply, and if filed, any sur-reply filed thereafter.
- 4. All issues raised in any Motions to Exclude Evidence and Oppositions to Motions to Exclude, and Replies to Oppositions to Motions to Exclude filed by either party.
- 5. Any issues properly raised by the Patent Owner in its Request for Oral Argument or at the oral argument.
- 6. The Preliminary Guidance, and any points and evidence raised in Patent Owner's Motion to Amend, Petitioner's Opposition to Patent Owner's Motion to



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Amend, Patent Owner's Reply to the Opposition to the Motion to Amend, and if

filed, any sur-reply filed thereafter.

The parties to this IPR are the same as the parties in IPR2019-00497 and

IPR2019-00514 ("related trials"). The Board has scheduled oral argument (New Due

Date 8) for May 20 2020, in this IPR as well as in IPR2019-00497 and IPR2019-

00514. Petitioner prefers all issues associated with IPR2019-00497 to be heard first

including motions to amend, followed by all issues associated with IPR2019-00500

including motions to amend, concluding with all issues associated with IPR2019-

00514. Petitioner requests one (1) hour of total time in this IPR and IPR2019-00497

to present arguments.

At the current time, the oral hearing will occur by video or telephone, and

Petitioner expects to display documents and/or exhibits.

https://www.uspto.gov/coronavirus (last visited Apr. 8, 2020). However, in the event

the oral hearing is held in person, Petitioner requests permission to use audio/visual

equipment at the oral hearing, including a projector screen for displaying documents

and/or exhibits.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT was served in its entirety on April 8, 2020, by electronic mail, as authorized by Patent Owner's Updated Mandatory Notices, directed to the attorneys of record for Patent Owner at the following correspondence address of record:

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