

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

YITA LLC,
Petitioner

v.

MACNEIL IP LLC,
Patent Owner

Case IPR2020-01139
U.S. Patent No. 8,382,186

**PETITIONER YITA LLC'S
REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70, the Board's January 13, 2021 Case Management and Scheduling Order (Paper 18), and the Board's April 29, 2021 Revised Scheduling Order (Paper 26), Petitioner Yita LLC ("Petitioner") respectfully requests oral argument, which is currently scheduled for October 12, 2021. Petitioner believes that a total of 45 minutes is an appropriate argument time for each side at the oral hearing to address the issues in this case and related case IPR2020-01142.

Petitioner specifies the following issues to be argued:

- The unpatentability of claims 1-7 of U.S. Patent No. 8,382,186 ("the '186 patent") as obvious over Rabbe, Yung, and Gruenwald;
- Any issues identified in Patent Owner's Request for Oral Argument;
- Rebuttal to Patent Owner's presentation on all matters;
- Any other issues raised in papers filed in this proceeding, including issues raised in papers yet to be filed, such as any Motions to Exclude and Oppositions to Motions to Exclude; and
- Any other outstanding motions and pleadings, and other issues that the Board deems necessary for issuing a Final Written Decision.

Petitioner recognizes that circumstances may require a telephonic hearing in light of the COVID-19 pandemic, subject to the Board's guidance. If the hearing is conducted in-person, Petitioner requests the ability to use audio-visual equipment

to display possible demonstratives and exhibits, including the use of an ELMO,
computer, projector, and screen.

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CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

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