

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

LIQUIDIA TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2021-00406
Patent 10,716,793

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Scheduling Order dated Aug. 11, 2021 (Paper 19), Patent Owner United Therapeutics Corporation (“UTC”) respectfully requests the opportunity to present oral argument on the issues identified in the Decision Instituting Inter Partes Review (Paper 18) (*e.g.*, the alleged unpatentability of issued claims 1-8 of the ’793 patent based on Grounds 1-6), as well as the issues remaining from the Petition for Inter Partes Review (Paper 2), Patent Owner’s Response (Paper 29), Petitioner’s Reply to Patent Owner’s Response (Paper 44), and Patent Owner’s Sur-Reply (Paper 55). UTC’s request for an oral argument (without intent to waive consideration of any issue not requested) is on all issues raised by the parties in the Petition, Patent Owner Response, Petitioner’s Reply, Patent Owner Sur-Reply, any issues raised by the Petitioner at (or prior to) the Oral Argument, the Parties’ respective papers identifying portions of exhibits and papers requested to be struck, and any additional issues on which the Board seeks information or clarification.

Pursuant to the Scheduling Order, UTC understands that Oral Argument is currently scheduled for May 13, 2022 (Paper 19, Due Date 8). UTC respectfully requests that the Oral Argument be held in the afternoon, if possible.

In view of the scope of the issues, Patent Owner requests 60 minutes for its oral argument. Patent Owner also requests authorization to use audio/visual

equipment and/or software to display demonstrative exhibits during the Oral Argument, e.g., via PowerPoint.

To the extent circumstances allow, UTC requests to participate live, in-person at the Oral Argument. However, if the Office's notice regarding oral hearings occurring after March 13, 2020 remains in effect, then UTC is available to participate via remote video and/or telephonically.

Date: March 30, 2022

Respectfully submitted,

/Stephen B. Maebius/
Stephen B. Maebius
Registration No. 35,264
Counsel for Patent Owner

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing Patent Owner's Request for Oral Argument was served on counsel of record on March 30, 2022, by filing this document through the PTAB E2E System as well as delivering a copy via email to the counsel of record for the Petitioner at the following address:

zLiquidiaIPR@cooley.com

ielrifi@cooley.com

emilch@cooley.com

dkannappan@cooley.com

ssukduang@cooley.com

Date: March 30, 2022

/Stephen B. Maebius/
Stephen B. Maebius
Foley & Lardner LLP