## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD CONFIGIT A/S, Petitioner v. VERSATA DEVELOPMENT GROUP, INC., Patent Owner Case IPR2021-01055 U.S. Patent No. 6,836,766 B1

## PATENT OWNER VERSATA DEVELOPMENT GROUP, INC.'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70, the Board's December 22, 2021 Scheduling Order (Paper 12), Patent Owner Versata Development Group, Inc. ("Patent Owner") respectfully requests oral argument, which is currently scheduled for September 20, 2022. Patent Owner 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.

Patent Owner specifies the following issues to be argued:

- The unpatentability of claims 1, 9, 10, 14, and 19 of U.S. Patent No. 6,836,766 ("the '766 patent") as obvious over Oracle1 and Oracle2;
- The unpatentability of claims 15 and 16 of the '766 patent as obvious over Oracle1, Oracle2, and SalesPlus;
- The unpatentability of claims 11-13 and 17 of the '766 patent as obvious over Oracle1, Oracle2, SalesPlus, and Yu;
- The unpatentability of claims 2 and 18 of the '766 patent as obvious over Oracle1, Oracle2, and Memon;
- The unpatentability of claims 3-5 of the '766 patent as obvious over Oracle1, Oracle2, Memon, and SalesPlus;
- Any issues identified in Petitioner's Request for Oral Argument;



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 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.

Patent Owner 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**

The undersigned hereby certifies that a true and correct copy of the

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**REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT** was served electronically via e-mail on

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