UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

BOX, INC., and DROPBOX, INC.,

Petitioners

v.

TOPIA TECHNOLOGY, INC.,

Patent Owner

Case IPR2023-00427

Patent 9,143,561

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Scheduling Order (Paper 18), Patent Owner Topia Technology, Inc. ("Patent Owner") respectfully requests an oral hearing. Patent Owner understands that the Board has already scheduled a consolidated oral hearing in this proceeding and in IPR2023-00433 for May 22, 2024, by video.

Patent Owner understands that the Board has allocated 90 minutes per side to present arguments in the consolidated oral hearing already scheduled. If the Board so chooses to modify the scheduled hearing, Patent Owner requests 90 minutes to present its argument, and to the extent the Board modifies the hearing to be less than or more than 180 minutes total, or provides further opportunity to address the issues (such as a closing statement), Patent Owner requests that it be given time equal to that given to Petitioners.

Patent Owner requests that it be allowed to reserve time for sur-rebuttal following any rebuttal arguments presented by Petitioner. See PTAB Consolidated Trial Practice Guide, Nov. 2019 Ed., at 83.

Patent Owner intends to discuss and display a limited amount of Petitioners' confidential information at the hearing. Patent Owner will confer with Petitioners regarding the procedure and will revert to the Board no later than 10 business days before the hearing as indicated in the Order Setting Oral Argument (Paper 41).

Patent Owner believes that there will be no more than six attorneys and

clients representatives present for this oral hearing on behalf of Patent Owner.

Patent Owner understands that the Board will provide a court reporter for the hearing already scheduled.

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Respectfully submitted,

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