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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

GENERAL MOTORS LLC

Petitioner

v.

EDWARD H. NORTRUP

Patent Owner

Case IPR2023-00994

Patent 10,444,028

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to the Board's November 29, 2023, Scheduling Order (Paper 10), Patent Owner Edward H. Nortrup ("Patent Owner") respectfully requests oral argument, currently scheduled for August 29, 2024. Patent Owner requests **one hour** in which to present its arguments. Under 37 C.F.R. § 42.70, and without intending to waive any issue not specifically identified, Patent Owner specifies the following issues to be argued:

1. Whether claims 1-7, 9-10, 12-21, 25-26, 29, and 31 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Knockeart and Feldman.
2. Whether claims 7 and 8 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Knockeart, Feldman, and Simske.
3. Whether claims 10-11 and 30 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Knockeart, Feldman, and Whitsell.
4. Whether claims 14 and 22-24 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Knockeart, Feldman, and Boies.
5. Whether claim 14 is unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Knockeart, Feldman, Boies, and Peterson.
6. Whether claims 27-28 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Knockeart, Feldman, and Peterson.

7. Whether claim 31 is unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Knockeart, Feldman, and Craine.
8. Any issues specified by Petitioner in its Request for Oral Argument; and
9. Any other issues the Board deems necessary for issuing a final written decision.

Patent Owner requests that the hearing be a **remote video** hearing. Patent Owner has conferred with counsel for Petitioner, and Petitioner does not oppose this request.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 16th day of July, 2024, a copy of Patent Owner's Request for Oral Argument has been served in its entirety via email on the following:

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