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Greetings,

Patent Owner's request that Andrew B. Turner be permitted to participate in the oral hearing as a LEAP practitioner is granted. Patent Owner is granted an additional fifteen minutes of argument time during the oral hearing, and reminded that the LEAP practitioner is required to have a meaningful and substantive opportunity to argue. For guidance regarding LEAP, please visit the USPTO website: www.uspto.gov/leap.

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Good morning,

Please see Leap request.

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Your Honors,

Please find attached LEAP Request for Oral Hearing Participation and Practitioner Verification Form for Andrew Turner as a LEAP practitioner in the upcoming September 17, 2024 oral argument for IPR2023-01039 and IPR2023-01040.

Andrew Turner (63,121) qualifies under the LEAP eligibility requirements and Patent Owner intends to have Mr. Turner argue a portion of the hearing.

Patent Owner also requests an additional 15 minutes of time to accommodate these arguments.

Should any additional information be required, please let us know.

Best,
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LEAP PRACTITIONER VERIFICATION FORM AND REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING PARTICIPATION

On behalf of Patent Owner Yechezkal Evan Spero, Andrew B. Turner requests to participate in the oral hearing in IPR2023-01039, IPR2023-01040 on its scheduled date, as noted below.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, Andrew B. Turner, certify that I am eligible to participate in the Legal Experience and Advancement Program (LEAP) program. I have three or fewer substantive oral hearing arguments before federal tribunals, including PTAB.

I certify/verify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States of America that the foregoing is true and correct.

Hearing Information	
Requesting Party:	Yechezkal Evan Spero
Appeal/Case/Control Number:	IPR2023-01039, IPR2023-01040
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