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Greetings,

Patent Owner's request that Patrick Lauppe 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](http://www.uspto.gov/leap).

Sincerely,

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Patent Owner writes in connection with the above proceeding (IPR2023-01421) to submit a request for Patrick Lauppe to conduct oral argument for Patent Owner at the December 17 hearing as part of the LEAP program. Mr. Lauppe's LEAP Verification Form and Request for Oral Hearing Participation is attached. Patent Owner requests 15 minutes of additional argument at the hearing in connection with this request.

Respectfully submitted,

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**LEAP PRACTITIONER VERIFICATION FORM AND REQUEST FOR ORAL  
HEARING PARTICIPATION**

On behalf of Patent Owner

Ouster, Inc.

Patrick Lauppe

requests to participate in the oral hearing in  
on its scheduled date, as noted below.

IPR2023-01421

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, Patrick Lauppe, 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: Ouster, Inc.

Appeal/Case/Control Number: IPR2023-01421

Hearing Date (mm/dd/yyyy): 12-17-2024

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