

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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VIZIO, INC.,  
Petitioner

v.

POLARIS POWERLED TECHNOLOGIES, LLC,  
Patent Owner

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Case IPR2024-00073  
U.S. Patent No. 7,843,148

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**PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

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Patent Trial and Appeal Board  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Pursuant to the Board's March 6, 2024 Scheduling Order (Paper 7), Patent Owner respectfully requests oral argument, currently scheduled for December 5, 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, 3, 7, 9, 10-12, 14, 17, 18, and 20-22 of U.S. Patent No. 7,843,148 ("the '148 patent") are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 102 over Thomas.
2. Whether claims 1, 3, 6, 7, 9-12, 14, 17, 18, and 20-22 of the '148 patent are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Thomas;
3. Whether claims 2, 13, and 15 of the '148 patent are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Thomas in view of alleged Applicant admitted prior art ("AAPA") and/or the knowledge of the POSITA;
4. Whether claims 8 and 19 of the '148 patent are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Thomas in view of Tatewaki;
5. Whether claims 1-4, 11, 12, 14, 17, and 22 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 102 over Zane;
6. Whether claims 1-4, 5, 11-17, and 22 are unpatentable under 35 U.S.C. § 103 over Zane;
7. Any issues specified by Petitioner in its Request for Oral Argument;

and

8. Any other issues the Board deems necessary for issuing a final written decision (e.g., any motion to exclude evidence and any motion to seal evidence).

Patent Owner requests that the hearing be held **virtually/remotely**. Because Patent Owner's Lead Counsel is located on the West Coast, Patent Owner respectfully requests an oral hearing start time after 12:00 p.m. Eastern / 9:00 a.m. Pacific.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE (37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e))**

I certify that the above-captioned **PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT** was served in its entirety on October 23, 2024, upon the following parties via electronic mail:

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