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Greetings,

Petitioner's request that Alexander T. Piala be permitted to participate in the oral hearing as a LEAP practitioner is granted. Petitioner 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.

Sincerely,

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Good afternoon,

Please see Leap request.

Thanks,
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Please see attached the combined LEAP Practitioner Request and Verification Form for IPR2024-00385.

Thanks and best regards,
Alex

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

On behalf of Petitioner

Scout Energy Management, LLC,

Alexander T. Piala

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

IPR2024-00385

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, Alexander T. Piala, 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: Scout Energy Management, LLC

Appeal/Case/Control Number: IPR2024-00385

Hearing Date (mm/dd/yyyy): 05/13/2025

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