UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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ILLUMINA INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

MOLECULAR LOOP BIOSCIENCES, INC.,
Patent Owner.

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Case No. IPR2024-00964
Patent No. 11,041,852

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**PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

The Board has scheduled oral argument in this proceeding for September 23, 2025. Paper 8. Petitioner Illumina Inc. requests oral argument be held in-person at the USPTO headquarters in Alexandria, VA.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Petitioner requests oral argument on all instituted grounds of unpatentability for claims 1-8 of U.S. Patent No. 11,041,852 and any other issues that may affect the Board's determination in this proceeding. Petitioner also requests hearing on any issues specified by Patent Owner in its request for oral argument and any issues that the Board deems necessary for issuing a final written decision.

Petitioner and Patent Owner have conferred and request that IPR2024-00964 and IPR2024-00965 be consolidated into one single hearing. Petitioner and Patent Owner request that Petitioner and Patent Owner each be allotted 60 minutes of argument time, including time for rebuttal (120 minutes of total argument). To the extent the Board schedules a different amount of time, Petitioner requests an amount of time equal to that granted to Patent Owner.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: August 11, 2025 By: /William B. Raich/

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## CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing **PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT** was served on August 11, 2025, via e-mail directed to counsel of record for the Patent Owner at the following:

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