

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CISCO SYSTEMS, INC.
Petitioner

v.

PORTSMOUTH NETWORK CORP.,
Patent Owner

IPR2024-01450
U.S. Patent No. 7,596,088

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Petitioner hereby requests an oral argument in the present *inter partes* review. Per the Board's Scheduling Order, the oral argument is currently scheduled for January 27, 2026. Scheduling Order, Paper 10, p. 12.

Petitioner requests an in-person hearing to be held in a Patent Trial and Appeal Board hearing room located at the United States Patent and Trademark Office headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia with 60 minutes of oral argument per side and the opportunity to address all issues raised in the papers, including:

- Claims 1 – 4, 6, 8-11, 13 and 15 - 20 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) (Pre-AIA) over Dzion and Sathyanath;
- Claims 7 and 14 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) (Pre-AIA) over Dziong, Sathyanath and Jensen;
- any other issues raised in any paper filed by the parties; and
- any responses to issues raised by the Board or Patent Owner at the oral argument.

If the Board has any questions or comments, the undersigned attorney respectfully requests a telephone conference.

Respectfully submitted,

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The undersigned certifies, under 37 C.F.R. § 42.6, that service was made on the Patent Owner as detailed below.

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