

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

WESTERN DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

GODO KAISHA IP BRIDGE 1,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2024-01493
Patent No. 10,680,167

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Patent Owner Godo Kaisha IP Bridge 1, by and through its attorneys, respectfully requests oral argument, currently scheduled for January 23, 2026. *See* Order Modifying Scheduling Order (Paper 33) at 2.

Oral argument is currently scheduled for the same day (January 23, 2026) in this proceeding (IPR2024-01493) and in IPR2024-01447 between the same parties. Patent Owner requests that IPR2024-01447 and IPR2024-01493 be heard together in a combined hearing given the overlapping issues. Patent Owner requests a total of 90 minutes to present its arguments, and requests the ability to reserve a portion of its total time for presenting a sur-rebuttal after the Petitioner's rebuttal. *See* November 2019 Consolidated Trial Practice Guide at 83.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R § 42.70(a), and without intending to waive any issue not specifically identified, Patent Owner requests the ability to present arguments on all instituted grounds of alleged unpatentability, any issues raised in the parties' papers in this trial and the Board's institution decision, and any other issues the Board deems necessary for issuing a final written decision.

Respectfully submitted,
Godo Kaisha IP Bridge 1

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