UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

LIBERTY ENERGY, INC. AND LIBERTY OILFIELD SERVICES LLC,
Petitioners,

v.

U.S. WELL SERVICES, LLC,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-00139
U.S. Patent No. 11,208,878 B2

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70 and the Board's Scheduling Order (Paper 15), Patent Owner requests oral argument in this *inter partes* review. Oral argument is currently scheduled for March 12, 2026, as set forth in the Scheduling Order. Paper 15 at 12.

Patent Owner respectfully requests 45 minutes per side (90 minutes total) to address issues in this proceeding. In addition, Patent Owner further proposes that such argument time for the hearing in this proceeding be inclusive of any rebuttal time either party wishes to reserve at the hearing. Patent Owner also requests a rebuttal to respond to all issues raised by Petitioners' argument. Patent Owner requests that oral argument be conducted in-person with the capability to display documents, including demonstratives and exhibits, to the Board.

Without intending to waive any issue not specifically identified, Patent Owner specifies that the arguments will address the instituted grounds of unpatentability; issues raised in the parties' substantive papers; issues raised in the Board's institution decision; arguments made by Petitioner at the oral hearing; and any other issues the Board deems necessary for issuing a final written decision.

This filing is timely, as it is being submitted no later than DUE DATE 4 (January 29, 2026), according to the Scheduling Order (Paper 15).

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 29th day of January, 2026, I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the foregoing "Patent Owner's Request for oral argument" on the following:

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