UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TROVE BRANDS, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

CAMELBAK PRODUCTS, LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2025-00140
U.S. Patent No. 11,851,250

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Scheduling Order (Paper 15), Patent Owner CamelBak Products, LLC ("Patent Owner" or "CamelBak") respectfully requests that the Board hear oral argument on the instituted grounds in IPR2025-00140 regarding U.S. Patent No. 11,851,250 ("'250 Patent"). The Board has currently scheduled oral argument for March 10, 2026. Paper 15, at 12. Pursuant to the notice in the Scheduling Order (Paper 15, at 7), Patent Owner submits its preference: (1) for an in-person hearing; and (2) that the hearing be conducted at the USPTO headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia.

Patent Owner requests oral argument to address the following issues (without waiving consideration of any issue not listed below):

The grounds on which trial was instituted, including all issues raised in the parties' briefing and evidence submitted in connection with the instituted grounds and the parties' briefing;

The proper claim constructions of the disputed claim terms of the '250 Patent;

Issues in any other briefing, such as any motion to exclude or other motion yet to be filed;

Any other issues the Board would like to discuss or deems necessary for issuing a final written decision; and

Any other issues raised by Petitioner.

Patent Owner believes 60 minutes per side would be sufficient time for oral argument. Patent Owner currently anticipates that no more than five (5) individuals will attend the oral argument on its behalf. Patent Owner requests permission to use audio/visual equipment to display demonstrative exhibits.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on January 27, 2026, a complete and entire copy of the foregoing Patent Owner's Request for Oral Argument was provided via electronic mail to Petitioner's counsel of record as follows:

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