

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

EMBODY, INC. AND ZIMMER BIOMET HOLDINGS, INC.,
Petitioner

v.

LIFENET HEALTH,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-00249
U.S. Patent No. 11,318,227

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT
37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a)

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and Due Date 4 of the Scheduling Order, Patent Owner LifeNet Health (“LifeNet” or “Patent Owner”) hereby requests oral argument in IPR2025-00249, to take place on May 6, 2026. Paper 14.

For this proceeding, Patent Owner requests 60 minutes of argument per party. To the extent the Board orders a consolidated hearing addressing both IPR2025-00248 and IPR2025-00249, Patent Owner requests a total of at least 90 minutes of argument per party.

Regarding IPR2025-00249, Patent Owner specifies the following issues to be argued:

1. The proper construction of the challenged claims of U.S. Patent Number 11,318,227 (“the ’227 patent”).
2. The patentability of claims 1-8 of the ’227 patent over the asserted grounds and prior art on which IPR2025-00249 was instituted.
3. Whether Petitioner has met its burden to show that claims 1-6 of the ’227 patent would have been obvious under 35 U.S.C. § 103 by Huang² and Kuo.
4. Whether Petitioner has met its burden to show that claims 1-6 of the ’227 patent would have been obvious under 35 U.S.C. § 103 by Lee and Kuo.

5. Whether Petitioner has met its burden to show that claims 7-8 of the '227 patent are anticipated under 35 U.S.C. § 102 by Huang2.
6. All other issues raised in the papers including, but not limited to, motivation to combine and reasonable expectation of success.
7. Petitioner's improper Reply arguments and evidence.
8. Any other evidence, issue, or motion filed and/or briefed by a party during the proceeding.
9. Any motion to exclude evidence that may be filed.
10. Any other issue that may arise during the hearing.
11. Any argument presented by Petitioner and/or any other issue the Board wishes to address during oral argument.

Patent Owner requests permission to use audio and visual equipment to display demonstratives, exhibits, and/or papers during the argument.

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