

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

X CORPORATION,
Petitioner,

v.

STERLING COMPUTERS CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2025-00299
U.S. Patent No. 7,716,217

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Petitioner X Corp. hereby requests oral argument pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and DUE DATE 4 of the Scheduling Order. *See* Paper No. 14. According to the Scheduling Order, oral argument in this proceeding will take place on March 11, 2026.

Petitioner request 60 minutes of argument per side. Petitioner request oral argument on the following issues:

- The appropriate construction of the claims of the U.S. Patent No. 7,716,217 (“’217 patent”)
- The obviousness of claims 1–3, 5–9, 13–15, 18, 19, 22 of ’217 patent based on Dumais.
- The obviousness of claims 1–3, 5–9, 13–15, 18, 19, 22 of ’217 patent based on Dumais in view of applicant admitted prior art.
- The obviousness of claims 1-22 of ’217 patent based on Dumais in view of Marston.
- The obviousness of claims 1–3, 5–9, 13–15, 18, 19, 22 of ’217 patent based on Kircher and Krug.
- The obviousness of claims 4, 10-12, 16-17, 20-21 of ’217 patent based on Kircher and Krug with Marston.
- The priority date of the ’217 patent including diligence, conception, and reduction to practice.
- All other issues raised in the papers including, but not limited to, the state of the art, addressing motivation to combine, reasonable expectation of success, how the prior art teaches all limitations of the claims, priority, and alleged secondary considerations;
- Any other evidence, issue, or motion that was filed and/or briefed by a

party during the course of the proceeding;

- Any motions to exclude evidence that may be filed;
- Any other issue that may arise during the course of the hearing; and
- Any arguments presented by Patent Owner and any other issues about which the Board wishes to hear arguments during oral argument.

Petitioner also requests permission to use audio and visual equipment to display demonstratives, exhibits, and/or papers during oral argument.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §42.6(e), I hereby certify that on this 28th day of January, 2026, I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the foregoing and any accompanying exhibits by express mail on the following counsel:

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