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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

POSCO CO. LTD.,
Petitioner,

v.

ARCELORMITTAL,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2025-00371
U.S. Patent No. 11,326,227

**PETITIONERS' AND PATENT OWNER'S
JOINT REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

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Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the July 24, 2025, Scheduling Order (Paper 12), Petitioner and Patent Owner (collectively, the “Parties”) jointly request that the Board grant oral argument in the present *inter partes* review (“IPR”) proceeding to address the instituted grounds, the arguments and evidence raised in Petitioner’s and Patent Owner’s Papers, and any outstanding procedural or evidentiary issues.

Currently, oral argument is scheduled for April 22, 2026, in two related IPR proceedings between Petitioner and Patent Owner: IPR2025-00370 and IPR2025-00371. The Parties propose a joint oral argument for the two proceedings, with each side allotted 60 minutes for argument. The Parties further request that the oral argument take place in person at the USPTO headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia.

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