

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CHARLES RIVER LABORATORIES, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

SEIKAGAKU CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2025-00440
Patent No. 11,236,318

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Petitioner Charles River Laboratories, Inc., by and through its attorneys, respectfully requests oral argument, currently scheduled for June 9, 2026.

Petitioner prefers the hearing to be held in-person at USPTO headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia. *See* Scheduling Order (Paper 15) at 7.

Oral argument is currently scheduled for the same day (June 9, 2026) in this proceeding (IPR2025-00440) and in PGR2025-00023 between the same parties. Petitioner requests that IPR2025-00440 and PGR2025-00023 be heard together and sequentially in view of the significant overlap in technical content but distinct patent claims and therefore distinct legal questions between the two cases.

In order to properly address the grounds of unpatentability raised in both cases, as well as to address Patent Owner's Revised Motion to Amend in IPR2025-00440, Petitioner requests a total of 90 minutes to present its arguments, and requests the ability to reserve a portion of its total time for presenting rebuttal arguments after Patent Owner's presentation. *See* Trial Practice Guide § II.M.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R § 42.70(a), and without intending to waive any issue not specifically identified, Petitioner requests the ability to present arguments on all instituted grounds of unpatentability, any issues raised in the parties' papers in this trial and the Board's institution decision, and any other issues the Board deems necessary for issuing a final written decision.

Respectfully submitted,
Charles River Laboratories, Inc.

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I certify that on April 27, 2026, a copy of the foregoing document, including any exhibits filed therewith, is being served via electronic mail, as previously consented to by Patent Owner, upon the following:

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