UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

INTEL CORPORATION,

Petitioner

v.

ADVANCED CLUSTER SYSTEMS, INC.,

Patent Owner.

Case IPR2025-00914

U.S. Patent No. 12,021,679

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Patent Owner Advanced Cluster Systems, Inc. ("Patent Owner") respectfully requests oral argument on all instituted grounds of the above-captioned proceeding, including all issues raised in the Petition, Patent Owner's Response, Petitioner's Reply, and Patent Owner's Sur-Reply, as well as any additional issues the Board deems necessary for its Final Written Decision. Pursuant to the Scheduling Order (Paper 17), the oral argument is currently scheduled for August 13, 2026 (DUE DATE 8).

This proceeding is one of four related *inter partes* reviews progressing on a substantially common record before the same panel: IPR2025-00913 (U.S. Patent No. 11,570,034), IPR2025-00914 (U.S. Patent No. 12,021,679), IPR2025-00915 (U.S. Patent No. 11,563,621), and IPR2025-00916 (U.S. Patent No. 11,811,582). By email dated June 23, 2026, Petitioner's counsel indicated Petitioner's intent to request a single consolidated hearing of 60 minutes per side covering all four proceedings. Patent Owner agrees, and likewise respectfully requests that the Board conduct a single consolidated hearing of all four above-listed proceedings, with 60 minutes per side total.

Patent Owner takes no position on whether the consolidated hearing should be held in person at the USPTO Headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia, or remotely by video conference, and will abide by the Board's preference. To the extent the

Board holds the hearing in person, Patent Owner requests the use of a projector and screen for the display of demonstrative exhibits. Patent Owner does not presently anticipate that more than five (5) individuals will attend on its behalf.

June 25, 2026

Respectfully submitted,
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certifies that pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), a copy of the foregoing PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT was served via email to lead and backup counsel of record for Petitioners as follows:

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