

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CENTRALSQUARE TECHNOLOGIES, LLC,

Petitioner,

v.

CARBYNE, LTD,

Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2025-01179

U.S. Patent No. 11,689,383

JOINT REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Petitioner CentralSquare Technologies, LLC and Patent Owner Carbyne, Ltd. respectfully and jointly request oral argument to address the following issues:

1. The patentability challenge to U.S. Patent No. 11,689,383 for the reasons addressed in the Petition and subsequent briefing:

Ground	Claims	Basis	Prior Art
1A	1–6, 8–13, and 15–19	§ 102	Ramanujaiaha
1B		§ 103	
2	1–20	§ 103	Ramanujaiaha and Krishnan

2. Forthcoming motion(s) to exclude (if any).¹
3. Any additional issues on which the Board seeks information or clarification.

The parties jointly request that oral arguments be heard in person at the USPTO’s headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia, and that each party be allowed a total of sixty (60) minutes for its argument. Petitioner may reserve a portion of its time for rebuttal.

The parties further jointly request the ability to use audio-visual equipment to assist arguments and to display demonstrative exhibits, including the use of a

¹ The deadline for a party to file a motion to exclude evidence pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.64(c) is August 13, 2026. *See* Paper 12 (Scheduling Order).

computer, projector, document camera, and/or screen. The parties also jointly request that the attorneys at counsel's table be allowed to use computers.

The parties request the ability for non-presenting individuals to remotely view the oral argument via video.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing **JOINT REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT** was served on August 6, 2026 via email directed to counsel of record for the Patent Owner at the following:

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