

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

COMMISSARIAT À L'ENERGIE ATOMIQUE ET AUX ENERGIES
ALTERNATIVES,
Petitioner,

v.

SILICON GENESIS CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2016-00831 (Patent 6,162,705)
Case IPR2016-00832 (Patent 6,013,563)
Case IPR2016-00833 (Patent 6,103,599)

Before JONI Y. CHANG, J. JOHN LEE, and SHEILA F. McSHANE,
Administrative Patent Judges.

LEE, *Administrative Patent Judge.*

ORDER
Conduct of Proceeding
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

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A conference was held with the parties on May 17, 2017, regarding the above-captioned proceedings. At the conference, the parties provided an update regarding the motions authorized by our April 10, 2017 Order (Paper 32¹). Specifically, Petitioner Commissariat à L'Energie Atomique et aux Energies Alternatives indicated that a delay in finalization of its agreement with third party Soitec S.A., which must be filed in each of these proceedings pursuant to our April 10, 2017 Order, is expected to be resolved by June 16, 2017. Thus, the parties expect to be ready to file the authorized motions and related exhibits shortly after that date. Patent Owner Silicon Genesis Corporation, however, wishes to reserve its rights to request oral argument in the event that further developments prevent the parties from requesting termination as authorized by our April 10, 2017 Order.

The Scheduling Order provided that requests for oral argument were due on April 26, 2017, and the oral hearing, if requested, will be held on May 31, 2017. Paper 15, 6. In light of the present circumstances, we hereby modify the case schedule to change the due date for requests for oral argument (37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a)) to June 22, 2017, and the date for the oral hearing, if requested, to be determined later should it become necessary. Nonetheless, the parties remain authorized to instead file the motions and papers previously authorized in our April 10, 2017 Order.

¹ All citations refer to IPR2016-00831. Similar papers were filed in all three of the above-captioned proceedings.

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Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that DUE DATE 4 of our Scheduling Order in each of the above-captioned proceedings is changed to June 23, 2017, only as to requests for oral argument;

FURTHER ORDERED that DUE DATE 7 in each proceeding is suspended.

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