

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

POWER INTEGRATIONS, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

SEMICONDUCTOR COMPONENTS INDUSTRIES, LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-01328
Patent 6,845,019 B2

Before BRIAN J. McNAMARA, JOHN F. HORVATH and
KAMRAN JIVANI, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

JIVANI, Administrative Patent Judge.

ORDER
Trial Hearing
35 U.S.C. § 316(a)(10) and 37 C.F.R. § 42.70

The Scheduling Order in this proceeding sets the date for oral hearing to July 19, 2018, if a hearing is requested by the parties and granted by the Board. Paper 14. The parties have each requested oral hearing pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70. Papers 28, 30. The parties' requests are *granted*.

The hearing will commence at 1:00 PM Eastern Time, on July 19, 2018, on the 9th floor of Madison Building East, 600 Dulany Street, Alexandria, Virginia (Hearing Room A). One or more judges of the panel will attend remotely. The Board will provide a court reporter for the hearing and the reporter's transcript will constitute the official record of the hearing. The hearing will be open to the public for in-person attendance that will be accommodated on a first-come, first-served basis. There are no motions to seal pending in the present proceeding, but if the parties have any concern about disclosing confidential information, they are to contact the Board as soon as practicable, but not less than three business days before the hearing, to discuss the matter.

Each party will have a total of forty-five (45) minutes to present any arguments relating to this case. Petitioner bears the ultimate burden of proof that the claims under review in this case are unpatentable. Therefore, Petitioner will proceed first, and Patent Owner will follow. Petitioner will present its opening argument and may reserve time for rebuttal. Thereafter, Patent Owner will respond to Petitioner's case. Petitioner may then use any time Petitioner reserved for rebuttal.

The Board expects lead counsel for each party to be present at the oral hearing, although any counsel of record may make the actual presentation in whole or in part. The parties are reminded that the presenter must identify clearly and specifically any demonstrative exhibit (e.g., by slide or screen

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number) referenced during the hearing to ensure the clarity and accuracy of the reporter's transcript and the ability of all judges to follow the presenter's arguments.

The parties shall serve any demonstrative exhibits upon each other at least seven (7) *calendar* days prior to the hearing. The parties also shall provide the demonstrative exhibits to the Board at least two (2) business days prior to the hearing by emailing them to Trials@uspto.gov. The parties shall not file any demonstrative exhibits in this case without prior authorization. Demonstrative exhibits are not evidence, but merely a visual aid for use at the hearing. The parties are directed to *St. Jude Medical, Cardiology Division, Inc. v. The Board of Regents of the University of Michigan*, Case IPR2013-00041, (PTAB Jan. 27, 2014) (Paper 65), for guidance regarding the appropriate content of demonstrative exhibits.

Any requests regarding special equipment or needs, such as for audio/visual equipment, should be directed to Trials@uspto.gov. Requests for special equipment will not be honored unless presented in a separate communication directed to the identified email address not less than five (5) business days before the hearing.

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