

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

LIQUIDIA TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,
Petitioner

v.

UNITED THERAPEUTICS CORPORATION,
Patent Owner

Case No. IPR2020-00770
U.S. Patent No. 9,604,901

PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Petitioner's Request for Oral Hearing
IPR2020-00770

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a), Petitioner Liquidia Technologies, Inc., requests an oral hearing on all grounds of unpatentability raised in this proceeding. Petitioner also requests oral hearing on any issues raised by Patent Owner in its Request for Oral Hearing, any procedural or evidentiary issues raised by the parties, and any additional issues or questions raised by the Board or the parties before or during the oral argument.

Petitioner requests 60 minutes total to address all the issues involved in this proceeding. *See* PTAB Consolidated Trial Practice Guide, Nov. 2019 Ed., 81-82 (“Practice Guide”) (“The Board expects to ordinarily provide for an hour of argument per side for a single proceeding, but a party may request more or less time depending on the circumstances of the case.”). To the extent the Board schedules the hearing to last more than 120 minutes total, however, Petitioner requests that it should be given half the length of the hearing to address these issues. Petitioner further requests that it be permitted to speak first at oral argument as the party bearing the burden of showing the unpatentability of the challenged claims, and that it be permitted to reserve time for rebuttal following Patent Owner’s allotted argument time.

Pursuant to the notice regarding oral hearings occurring after March 13, 2020, Petitioner requests to participate via remote video and/or telephonically, unless the

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Board or the USPTO notifies otherwise. Petitioner further requests authorization to present demonstrative slides during oral argument and, to the extent a live hearing is conducted, the use of audio-visual equipment suitable to display papers of record and demonstrative exhibits, including a computer-connectable projector, an ELMO, and a screen.

Petitioner further requests the services of a court reporter to transcribe the proceeding.

Dated: May 3, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§42.6(e)(4)(i) *et seq.*, a complete copy of the attached **PETITIONER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING**, is being served via email on the 3rd day of May 2021, upon Patent Owner's attorneys of record:

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