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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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TAIWAN SEMICONDUCTOR MANUFACTURING COMPANY, LTD. and  
GLOBALFOUNDRIES U.S. INC.,  
Petitioners,

v.

GODO KAISHA IP BRIDGE 1,  
Patent Owner.

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Case No. IPR2016-01376<sup>1</sup>  
Patent Number 6,197,696

Before JUSTIN T. ARBES, MICHAEL J. FITZPATRICK, and  
JENNIFER MEYER CHAGNON, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

**PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT**

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<sup>1</sup> GlobalFoundries U.S. Inc., who filed Petition IPR2017-00921, has been joined as a petitioner in this proceeding.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.70(a) and the Scheduling Order issued on January 18, 2017, Patent Owner Godo Kaisha IP Bridge 1 (“Patent Owner”) respectfully requests the opportunity to present oral argument on the instituted grounds of unpatentability for claims 13 and 15 of U.S. Patent No. 6,197,696 under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) and associated issues.

The Scheduling Order provides a common date, September 12, 2017, for each of the four separate proceedings before the Panel: IPR2016-01376, IPR2016-01377, IPR2016-01378, and IPR2016-01379. To address the disputed issues across all four proceedings, Patent Owner respectfully proposes forty-five (45) minutes of total argument time for Patent Owner and forty-five (45) minutes of total argument time for Petitioners in connection with the foregoing issues and proceedings. These proceedings share certain disputed claims and prior art references.

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