

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

LIFECORE FITNESS, INC. d/b/a
ASSAULT FITNESS,

Petitioner,

v.

WOODWAY USA, INC.

Patent Owner.

IPR2023-00836
U.S. Patent No. 9,039,580

PATENT OWNER'S REQUEST FOR ORAL ARGUMENT

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §42.70(a) and the Board's Scheduling Order dated October 24, 2023 (Paper 7), Patent Owner Woodway USA, Inc. ("Patent Owner") respectfully requests in-person oral argument at the USPTO headquarters in Alexandria, Virginia on issues related to the patentability of the challenged claims of U.S. Patent No. 9,039,580 on the instituted grounds set forth in the Board's October 24, 2023 Institution Decision (Paper 6), and on any issues specified in any motions to exclude or any other pending motions or briefing filed.

Petitioner and Patent Owner have met and conferred and respectfully request the Board consolidate oral argument in this proceeding with oral argument in IPR2023-00843 and IPR2023-00849, which involve related patents and overlapping prior art, with each side having 120 minutes (40 minutes per each IPR) to present their arguments.

Patent Owner requests permission to use a computer, projector, and screen to display demonstratives and exhibits if the oral arguments are held in person.

Patent Owner expects no more than four people to attend on behalf of Patent Owner provided the argument is conducted in person and the Board can accommodate this number of attendees.

Dated: June 11, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing **Patent Owner's Request for Oral Argument** was served on June 11, 2024, by email to Petitioner's counsel of record:

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