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GIBSON GUITAR CORP.)
309 Plus Park Blvd.)
Nashville, Tennessee 37217)
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Petitioner,)
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v.)
)
J. D'ADDARIO & CO., INC.)
595 Smith Street)
Farmingdale, New York 11735)
)
Registrant.)

Cancellation Nos: 92041175
and 92041688 (Consolidated)

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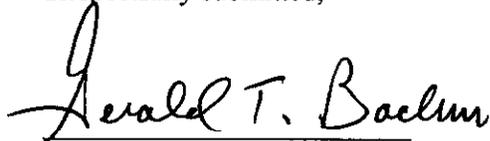
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §2.129(a), Registrant, J. D'Addario & Company, Inc., hereby requests an oral argument at final hearing in the above-identified consolidated cancellation proceeding.

This Request is being filed in triplicate.

If there are any costs associated with this Request, it is respectfully requested that such fee be

charged to Deposit Account No. 502335.

Respectfully submitted,

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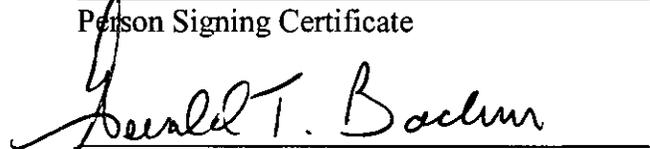
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