

ANLAGE 4**VORLAGEN AN DIE GROSSE
BESCHWERDEKAMMER¹****Vorlagen der Beschwerdekammern****ANNEX 4****REFERRALS TO THE
ENLARGED BOARD OF
APPEAL¹****Referrals by boards of appeal****ANNEXE 4****QUESTIONS SOUMISES À LA
GRANDE CHAMBRE DE
RECOURS¹****Questions soumises par les
chambres de recours**

In accordance with Article 112(1)(a) EPC, Technical Board of Appeal 3.5.02 has referred the following point of law to the Enlarged Board of Appeal by interlocutory decision of 12 March 2021 in case T 1807/15:

Is the conduct of oral proceedings in the form of a videoconference compatible with the right to oral proceedings as enshrined in Article 116(1) EPC if not all of the parties to the proceedings have given their consent to the conduct of oral proceedings in the form of a videoconference?

The case is pending under **G 1/21**.

¹ Die Vorlagen an die Große Beschwerdekammer erscheinen in der Anlage 4 nur in der Verfahrenssprache.

¹ The referrals to the Enlarged Board of Appeal are published in Annex 4 in the language of the proceedings only.

¹ Les questions soumises à la Grande Chambre de recours ne sont publiées dans l'Annexe 4 que dans la langue de la procédure.