

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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UNIKEY TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,  
Petitioner,

v.

ASSA ABLOY AB,  
Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2015-01440  
Patent 7,706,778

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Before RAMA G. ELLURU, BEVERY M. BUNTING, and  
CHRISTOPHER G. PAULRAJ, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

BUNTING, *Administrative Patent Judge*

ORDER

*Granting Patent Owner's Motion for  
Pro Hac Vice Admission of Ronald P. Oines  
37 C.F.R. § 42.10*

On July 21, 2015, Patent Owner filed a Motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Ronald P. Oines along with a supporting declaration by Mr. Oines. *See* Paper 6; Declaration of Ronald P. Oines in Support of Patent Owner's Motion ("Oines Decl.") attached thereto. Petitioner has not opposed the Motion.

Patent Owner's lead counsel, Benjamin Deming, is a registered practitioner. Paper 6, 3. Patent Owner has shown by its Motion and Mr. Oines's declaration that Mr. Oines is an experienced litigating attorney and has an established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in the proceedings. *See* Paper 6, 3; Oines Decl., ¶¶ 1–8. Mr. Oines therefore has satisfied the requirements for *pro hac vice* admission in this proceeding.

In consideration of the foregoing, it is

ORDERED that Patent Owner's unopposed Motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Mr. Oines is *granted*; Mr. Oines is authorized to represent Patent Owner only as back-up counsel in this proceeding;

FURTHER ORDERED that Patent Owner is to continue to have a registered practitioner represent it as lead counsel for this proceeding;

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Oines is to comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules of Practice for Trials, as set forth in Part 42 of Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Oines is to be subject to the Office's disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a), and the USPTO Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et. seq.*

Case IPR2015-01441  
Patent 8,150,374 B2

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