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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

UNDER ARMOUR, INC., Petitioner,

v.

ADIDAS AG, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2015-01528 (Patent 8,721,502 B2) Case IPR2015-01532 (Patent 8,652,009 B2)

Before JENNIFER S. BISK, MICHAEL J. FITZPATRICK, and JUSTIN BUSCH, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

BUSCH, Administrative Patent Judge.

DECISION Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Jonathan D. Olinger 37 C.F.R. § 42.10



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Patent Owner filed a Motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Jonathan D. Olinger. Paper 7.¹ Patent Owner also filed a declaration in support. *Id.* (following the Motion).² Patent Owner states that the Motions are unopposed. *Id.*.

Having reviewed the Motions and the accompanying declaration, we conclude that Mr. Olinger has sufficient qualifications to represent Patent Owner in this proceeding and that Patent Owner has shown good cause for Mr. Olinger's *pro hac vice* admission. Mr. Olinger will be permitted to appear *pro hac vice* in this proceeding as back-up counsel only. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c).

It is

ORDERED that Patent Owner's Motions for *pro hac vice* admission of Jonathan D. Olinger are *granted*, and Mr. Olinger is authorized to represent Patent Owner only as back-up counsel in these proceedings;

FURTHER ORDERED that Patent Owner is to continue to have a registered practitioner as lead counsel in these proceedings;

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

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Olinger is subject to the USPTO's disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a), and the USPTO's Rules of Professional Conduct set forth at 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101–11.901.

² Paper 7 has no printed page numbers.



¹ Patent Owner filed substantially identical Motions in both cases.

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