

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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COMMISSARIAT À L'ENERGIE ATOMIQUE  
ET AUX ENERGIES ALTERNATIVES,  
Petitioner,

v.

SILICON GENESIS CORPORATION,  
Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2016-00831 (Patent 6,162,705)  
Case IPR2016-00832 (Patent 6,013,563)  
Case IPR2016-00833 (Patent 6,103,599)<sup>1</sup>

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Before J. JOHN LEE, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER  
Granting Admission *Pro Hac Vice*  
37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)

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<sup>1</sup> This Order addresses issues that are identical in all of these cases. Therefore, we exercise our discretion to issue one order to be filed in each case. The parties, however, are not authorized to use this style heading in any subsequent papers without prior authorization.

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Patent Owner Silicon Genesis Corporation moves for the admission *pro hac vice* of attorney George C. Summerfield in each of the above-captioned cases. *E.g., Commissariat à l'Energie Atomique et aux Energies Alternatives v. Silicon Genesis Corp.*, Case IPR2016-00831, Paper 18 (PTAB Oct. 10, 2016). The Board may recognize counsel *pro hac vice* during a proceeding upon a showing of good cause, subject to the condition that lead counsel be a registered practitioner. 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c).

Lead counsel for Patent Owner in each of the above proceedings is Kent Tobin, a registered practitioner. In support of each of the *pro hac vice* motions, Patent Owner submits a Declaration of George C. Summerfield. *E.g., Commissariat à l'Energie Atomique*, Case IPR2016-00831, Ex. 2010. Upon consideration of the facts set forth in the *pro hac vice* motions and Mr. Summerfield's declarations, Patent Owner has shown good cause for Mr. Summerfield to be admitted *pro hac vice* to appear in each of these proceedings.

#### ORDER

It is

ORDERED that Patent Owner's Unopposed Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of George C. Summerfield in each of the above-captioned cases is granted;

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Summerfield is authorized to appear as back-up counsel for Patent Owner in each of the above proceedings, but he may not act as lead counsel;

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FURTHER ORDERED that a registered practitioner must remain as lead counsel throughout the proceedings;

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

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

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