Paper 24

Entered: June 29, 2018

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

CASCADES CANADA ULC and TARZANA ENTERPRISES, LLC, Petitioner,

v.

ESSITY HYGIENE AND HEALTH AB, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2017-01902 (Patent 8,597,761 B2) Case IPR2017-01921 (Patent 9,320,372 B2)¹

Before JO-ANNE M. KOKOSKI, KRISTINA M. KALAN, and JON B. TORNQUIST, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

KOKOSKI, Administrative Patent Judge.

ORDER

Granting Petitioner's Unopposed Motions for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Michael R. Annis

37 C.F.R. § 42.10

¹ This Order addresses issues that are the same in both proceedings. We exercise our discretion to issue one Order to be entered in each case. The Parties are not authorized to use this style heading in their papers.



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On June 6, 2018, Petitioner filed unopposed motions for *pro hac vice* admission of Michael R. Annis in each of the above-listed proceedings. IPR2017-01902, Paper 24; IPR2017-01921, Paper 23. Petitioner additionally filed declarations of Mr. Annis in support of the motions. IPR2017-01902, Ex. 1035; IPR2017-01921, Ex. 1039. Petitioner asserts that Patent Owner does not object to the motions. IPR2017-01902, Paper 24, 1; IPR2017-01921, Paper 23, 1.

We have reviewed Petitioner's submissions and determine that the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 42.10 have been met and there is good cause to admit Mr. Annis *pro hac vice*.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that Petitioner's unopposed motions for *pro hac vice* admission of Mr. Michael R. Annis are *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Annis is authorized to represent Petitioner in the above-identified proceedings as back-up counsel only;

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Annis 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;

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

FURTHER ORDERED that, within seven (7) business days of the date of this Order, Petitioner must submit a Power of Attorney for Mr. Annis in each of the above-identified proceedings in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(b); and



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FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner shall file an updated mandatory notice in each of the above-identified proceedings in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3), identifying Mr. Annis as back-up counsel.

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