

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MOBILE TECH, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

INVUE SECURITY PRODUCTS INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2018-00481 (Patent 9,576,452 B2)
Case IPR2018-01138 (Patent 9,659,472 B2)¹

Before JUSTIN T. ARBES, STACEY G. WHITE, and
DANIEL J. GALLIGAN, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

WHITE, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Granting Petitioner's Motion to Withdraw Counsel
37 C.F.R. § 42.10

¹ This Order addresses an issue that is identical in both cases. We, therefore, 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.

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On August 29, 2018, Petitioner filed an “Unopposed Motion to Withdraw Robert D. Gerlach as Mobile Tech, Inc.’s Counsel” in each of the above-identified proceedings, requesting that the Board withdraw Robert D. Gerlach. Paper 11 (“Motion”).^{2, 3} Petitioner represents that “Mr. Gerlach has taken an in-house position and is no longer employed at Thompson Coburn LLP.” Motion 2. Petitioner attests that “MTI will continue to be represented by attorneys at Thompson Coburn, including Alan H. Norman as Lead Counsel and Anthony F. Blum as Back-up Counsel.” *Id.* Mr. Norman and Mr. Blum are registered practitioners. *Id.* Petitioner also indicates that Patent Owner does not oppose the Motion. *Id.*

Accordingly, it is:

ORDERED that Petitioner’s motions are *granted*, and Mr. Gerlach is allowed to withdraw as counsel for Petitioner in the above-identified proceedings; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner shall file in each of the above-identified proceedings within 10 business days updated Mandatory Notices identifying current lead and back-up counsel in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3).

² For purposes of expediency, we refer to the paper filed in Case IPR2018-00481. A similar motion was filed in Case IPR2018-01138 (Paper 8).

³ Filing of the Motion was authorized via e-mail correspondence from the Board on August 28, 2018.

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