

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD., AND
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.
Petitioner,

v.

SEVEN NETWORKS, LLC.
Patent Owner.

Cases IPR2018-01106 and IPR2018-01108
Patent 9,516,127 B2¹

Before THU A. DANG, JONI Y. CHANG, and
JACQUELINE T. HARLOW, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

CHANG, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

DECISION

Granting Patent Owner's Motions for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* of
Nobu Lowenstein
37 C.F.R. § 42.10

¹ This Order addresses the same issue for the above-identified 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.

Patent Owner filed a Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Mr. Nobu Lowenstein (Paper 6²), supported by a Declaration of Mr. Lowenstein (Ex. 2001), in each of the above-identified proceedings. Petitioner has not opposed the Motions.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c), we 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. In authorizing motions for *pro hac vice*, we require the moving party to provide a statement of facts showing there is good cause for us to recognize counsel *pro hac vice*, and an affidavit or declaration of the individual seeking to appear in the proceedings.

Upon review of Patent Owner's Motions and supporting evidence, we determine that Patent Owner has demonstrated that Mr. Lowenstein has sufficient legal and technical qualifications to represent Patent Owner in these proceedings. We also recognize that there is a need for Patent Owner to have Mr. Lowenstein be involved in the proceedings at issue. Accordingly, Patent Owner has established that there is good cause for admitting Mr. Lowenstein.

We note Patent Owner filed mandatory notices including Mr. Lowenstein in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.8(b)(3) and a Power of Attorney including Mr. Lowenstein in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(b). Paper 3, 2; Paper 4.

² All citations are to IPR2018-01106 unless otherwise noted.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that Patent Owner's Motions for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Mr. Lowenstein are *granted*; Mr. Lowenstein is authorized to represent Patent Owner as back-up counsel in the above-identified proceedings;

FURTHER ORDERED that Patent Owner is to continue to have a registered practitioner represent it as lead counsel for these proceedings; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Lowenstein 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 as updated by the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide August 2018 Update, 83 Federal Register 39,989 (Aug. 13, 2018); and he 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.*

IPR2018-01106 and IPR2018-01108
Patent 9,516,127 B2

For PETITIONER:

W. Karl Renner
Jeremy Monaldo
Roberto Devoto
Kim Leung
FISH & RICHARDSON P.C.
Axf-ptab@fr.com
jim@fr.com
devoto@fr.com
leung@fr.com

For PATENT OWNER:

Kenneth J. Weatherwax
Nathan Lowenstein
Edward Hsieh
Parham Hendifar
LOWENSTEIN & WEATHERWAX LLP
weatherwax@lowensteinweatherwax.com
Lowenstein@lowensteinweatherwax.com
hsieh@lowensteinweatherwax.com
hendifar@lowensteinweatherwax.com