Paper 12

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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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US ENDODONTICS, LLC, Petitioner,

V.

GOLD STANDARD INSTRUMENTS, LLC Patent Owner.

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Case IPR2015-00632 Patent 8,727,773 B2

Before JOSIAH C. COCKS, HYUN J. JUNG, and TIMOTHY J. GOODSON, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

COCKS, Administrative Patent Judge.

DECISION Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission 37 C.F.R. § 42.10



As authorized by the Notice of Filing Date Accorded to the Petition (Paper 3), Gold Standard Instruments, LLC ("Patent Owner") filed a "Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Steven Lieberman." Paper 6.<sup>1</sup> US Endodontics, LLC ("Petitioner") has filed no opposition to the motion. The motion is *granted*. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c); *see also* IPR2013-00639, Paper 7<sup>2</sup> (setting forth requirements for *pro hac vice* admission).

It is

ORDERED that Patent Owner's Motion for *pro hac vice* admission is *granted*, and Mr. Lieberman is authorized to represent Petitioner as back-up counsel in IPR2015-00632;

FURTHER ORDERED that Patent Owner is to continue to have a registered practitioner as lead counsel in this *inter partes* review proceeding; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Lieberman 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 that Mr. Lieberman is 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*.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Available at <a href="http://www.uspto.gov/ip/boards/bpai/ptab\_trials.jsp">http://www.uspto.gov/ip/boards/bpai/ptab\_trials.jsp</a>, "Representative Orders, Decisions, and Notices," "Other Representative Orders and Decisions"). Supersedes IPR2013-00010, "Order – Authorizing Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission." Paper 8.



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Patent Owner also has submitted a "Declaration of Steven Lieberman in Support of Patent Owner's Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice*." Paper 7.

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