

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

GOOGLE INC.,

Petitioner

v.

AT HOME BONDHOLDERS' LIQUIDATING TRUST

Patent Owner

Case IPR2015-No. 00660

U.S. Patent No. 6,286,045

**DECLARATION OF AUDREY MANESS IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION TO APPEAR *PRO HAC VICE* ON BEHALF OF
PATENT OWNER AT HOME BONDHOLDERS' LIQUIDATING TRUST**

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Declaration of Audrey Maness
In Support of Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission

I, Audrey Maness, declare as follows:

1. I am an experienced litigation attorney with more than eight years of experience. I have been litigating patent cases for approximately seven years.

2. Lead counsel in this proceeding is Garland Stephens, who is registered to practice before the United States Patent and Trademark Office and holds Registration No. 37,242. Back up counsel is Justin Constant (Reg. No. 66,884). With respect to this proceeding, I will work closely with Mr. Stephens and Mr. Constant.

3. I am a member in good standing of the Texas State Bar and am admitted to practice in the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth, Eighth and Federal Circuits, and the United States District Courts for the Eastern and Northern Districts of Texas.

4. I have never been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body.

5. I have never had an application for admission to practice before any court or administrative body denied.

6. I have not had sanctions or contempt citations imposed against me by any court or administrative body.

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7. I am familiar with the subject matter at issue in this proceeding, including the patent-at-issue, based on my work as lead counsel in the pending district court case *Richard A. Williamson, On Behalf of and as Trustee for At Home Bondholders' Liquidating Trust v. Google Inc.*, No. 3:15-cv-00966-JD (N.D. Cal. March 3, 2015).

8. I am actively involved in all aspects of the pending district court case, which was originally filed in the District of Delaware (Case No. 1:14-cv-00216-GMS) on February 19, 2014 before getting transferred to the Northern District of California on March 2, 2015, including the issue of validity of the patent-in-suit, which include the patent at issue in this proceeding. Patent Owner also asserted the related U.S. Patent No. 6,014,698 in this litigation. In view of my legal experience and familiarity with the issues in the present matter, Patent Owner has requested my services in this proceeding. Denial of my appearance in this case would create an undue burden for the Patent Owner.

9. I have read and will comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules of Practice for Trials set forth in part 42 of the C.F.R.

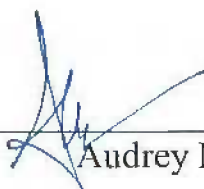
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10. I agree to be subject to the USPTO Code of Professional Responsibility set forth in 37 C.P.R. §§10.20 et seq., and to disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a).

11. I have not applied to appear *pro hac vice* before this office before.

Executed on June 26, 2015, at Houston, Texas.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.



Audrey Maness

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on June 26, 2015, a copy of the DECLARATION OF JARED BOBROW IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO APPEAR *PRO HAC VICE* ON BEHALF OF PATENT OWNER AT HOME BONDHOLDERS' LIQUIDATING TRUST was served by filing this document through the Patent Review Processing System as well as delivering a copy via electronic mail to counsel of record for Petitioner Google at the following addresses:

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