

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ALLSTEEL INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

DIRTT ENVIRONMENTAL SOLUTIONS LTD.,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2015-01691
Patent 8,024,901 B2

Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

DECISION

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

On February 4, 2016, Petitioner filed a motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Timothy M. Sullivan. The motion is unopposed. The motion is *granted*.

Upon consideration, Petitioner has demonstrated that Mr. Sullivan possesses sufficient legal and technical qualifications to represent Petitioner in this proceeding, and the Board recognizes that there is a need for Petitioner to have Mr. Sullivan as back-up counsel. Accordingly, Petitioner has established good cause for Mr. Sullivan's admission. Mr. Sullivan will be permitted to appear *pro hac vice*

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in the proceedings as back-up counsel only. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c).

It is

ORDERED that Petitioner's motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Mr. Timothy M. Sullivan is *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Sullivan is authorized to represent Petitioner as back-up counsel only;

FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner is to continue to have a registered practitioner represent Petitioner as lead counsel for this proceeding; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Sullivan 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, and 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.*

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