

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

TWILIO INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

TELESIGN CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

IPR2016-00360 (US 7,945,034 B2)
IPR2016-00450 (US 8,462,920 B2)
IPR2016-00451 (US 8,867,038 B2)¹

Before SALLY C. MEDLEY, JUSTIN T. ARBES, and KIMBERLY
MCGRAW, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

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DECISION

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

¹ This decision addresses issues common to the above identified cases. Therefore, we exercise our discretion to issue one order to be filed in each case. The parties are not authorized to use this style heading for any papers.

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As authorized by the Board in e-mail correspondence of October 4, 2016, counsel for Petitioner filed, in each proceeding, Petitioner's Unopposed Motion for Withdrawal of Counsel. Paper 30.² Petitioner previously appointed Wayne Stacy, then of Cooley LLP, as lead counsel and Mikaela Stone, Carrie Richey, and Britton Davis, also of Cooley LLP, as its backup counsel. *Id.* at 1. Petitioner states that Wayne Stacy is now of Baker Botts L.L.P. and requests withdrawal of backup counsel Mikaela Stone, Carrie Richey, and Britton Davis. *Id.* Petitioner states Patent Owner does not oppose the Motion. *Id.*

Petitioner concurrently filed, in each proceeding, an updated power of attorney and an updated mandatory notice listing Eliot D. Williams and Sarah J. Guske as back-up counsel, as well as a motion for Ms. Guske to appear *pro hac vice* on behalf of Petitioner. Papers 31, 32, 33.

Based upon consideration of the motion and the record before us, we grant Petitioner's motion to withdraw.

It is therefore ORDERED that Petitioner's motion to withdraw Mikaela Stone, Carrie Richey, and Britton Davis as counsel is *granted*.

² For convenience, paper and exhibit numbers refer to IPR2016-00360; corresponding papers may be found in the record of IPR2016-00450 and IPR2016-00451.

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