

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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**BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD**

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AMIT AGARWAL  
Petitioner

v.

IMMERSION CORPORATION  
Patent Owner

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CASE IPR2016-00807  
Patent 8,773,356

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**PATENT OWNER'S UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR  
ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* OF JOSEPH LIPNER  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.10**

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## I. RELIEF REQUESTED

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10 (c) and the Board's the Board's Order entered April 4, 2016, Paper 2, granting authorization to file motions for *pro hac vice* admission under 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c), Patent Owner Immersion Corporation requests that the Board admit Joseph Lipner *pro hac vice* in this proceeding.

## II. STATEMENT OF FACTS

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c), the Board

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 and to any other conditions as the Board may impose. For example, where the lead counsel is a registered practitioner, a motion to appear *pro hac vice* by counsel who is not a registered practitioner may be granted upon showing that counsel is an experienced litigating attorney and has an established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in the proceeding.

37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c). The facts, supported by the Declaration of Joseph Lipner in Support of Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* ("Lipner Decl.", Ex. 2001), establish good cause to admit Joseph Lipner *pro hac vice* in this proceeding.

1. Lead counsel Michael R. Fleming is a registered practitioner and is experienced in *inter partes* proceedings before the USPTO.

2. Backup counsel Babak Redjaian is a registered practitioner and experienced in *inter partes* proceedings before the USPTO.

3. Joseph Lipner is an experienced litigating attorney. Joseph Lipner has extensive experience in patent law and has been litigating patent cases for nearly twenty years. Lipner Decl. ¶ 9. Mr. Lipner is a member in good standing of the California State Bar and the Massachusetts and New York State Bars, with no suspensions or disbarments from practice, nor any application for admission to practice denied. Mr. Lipner is also admitted to practice before the United States Supreme Court, the United States Courts of Appeals for the Federal, Fourth and Ninth Circuits, and the United States District Courts for the Central District of California, Northern District of California, Southern District of California, and the United States District Court for the District of Colorado.

4. Mr. Lipner has familiarity with the subject matter at issue in this proceeding.

5. Mr. Lipner has read and will comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules for Practice for Trials set forth in Title 42 of the C.F.R., and he agrees to be subject to the USPTO Code of Professional Responsibility set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et seq.*, and to disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a).

6. Mr. Lipner has not appeared *pro hac vice* before the United States Patent and Trademark Office before this matter.

### **III. ANALYSIS**

The facts contained in the Statement of Facts above, and contained in the Lipner Declaration, establish that there is good cause to admit Joseph Lipner *pro hac vice* in this proceeding under 37 C.F.R. § 42.10. Lead and backup counsel are registered practitioners, Mr. Lipner is an experienced litigating attorney, and Mr. Lipner has an established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in the proceeding.

### **IV. NO OPPOSITION TO THIS MOTION**

Petitioner has confirmed with Patent Owner that Petitioner does not oppose the present motion.

### **V. CONCLUSION**

For the foregoing reasons, Immersion Corporation respectfully requests that the Board admit Joseph Lipner *pro hac vice* in this proceeding.

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