

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

H&S MANUFACTURING COMPANY, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

OXBO INTERNATIONAL CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2016-00950
Patent 8,166,739 B2

Before PHILLIP J. KAUFFMAN, JAMES A. TARTAL, and
KEVIN W. CHERRY, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

TARTAL, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER

Patent Owner's Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice*
of Shane A. Brunner and Thomas R. Johnson
37 C.F.R. § 42.10

As authorized by the Notices of Filing Date Accorded to the Petition (Paper 3), Patent Owner Oxbow International Corporation filed a Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Shane A. Brunner and Thomas R. Johnson. (Paper 13).¹ Petitioner H&S Manufacturing Company did not file an opposition to the motion. Patent Owner's Motion is *granted*. See 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c); see also *Unified Patents, Inc. v. Parallel Iron, LLC*, IPR2013-00639, Order Authorizing Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission, Paper 7 (October 15, 2003) (setting forth requirements for *pro hac vice* admission).²

It is

ORDERED that Patent Owner's Motion for *pro hac vice* admission is *granted*, and Mr. Brunner and Mr. Johnson are authorized to represent Patent Owner as back-up counsel in IPR2016-00950.

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. Brunner and Mr. Johnson are 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. Brunner and Mr. Johnson are 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.*

¹ Patent Owner also a Declaration of Shane A. Brunner (Ex. 2003) and a Declaration of Thomas R. Johnson (Ex. 2004) in support of the Motion.

² Available at <http://www.uspto.gov/patents-application-process/appealing-patent-decisions/decisions-and-opinions/representative-orders>.

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