## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

MICROSOFT CORPORATION
Petitioner

v.

WINDY CITY INNOVATIONS, LLC, Patent Owner

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Case No. IPR2016-01155 U.S. Patent No. 8,694,657

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DECLARATION OF JOHN W. McBRIDE IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION



- I, John W. McBride, being duly sworn and upon oath, hereby attest to the following:
  - 1. I am a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of Illinois.
- 2. I have not been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body.
- 3. I have never had an application for admission to practice before any court or administrative body denied.
- 4. No sanctions or contempt citations has been imposed against me by any court or administrative body.
- 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 37 C.F.R.
- 6. I will be subject to the USPTO Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et seq.* and disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a).
- 7. I have not appeared *pro hac vice* before the Office in the last three (3) years.
- 8. I am an experienced litigation attorney, with 9 years of experience litigating patent cases in federal courts. My experience includes representing a wide range of clients in complex intellectual property litigation. I have



appeared as counsel for Microsoft in a number of litigation matters over the span of my career.

- 9. I have worked with lead counsel in most aspects of his participation in this proceeding. As such, I have reviewed and am very familiar with (i) U.S. Patent No. 8,694,657 the patent at issue in this matter, (ii) the prior art relied upon in Microsoft's Petition, (iii) the legal and factual arguments made by Microsoft, and (iv) the developments in this proceeding after the filing of Microsoft's Petition as well as the developments in related matters before the Board. I have also been involved in a number of other proceedings before the Board and I am familiar with its established practices.
- 10. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code.

Dated: February 14, 2017	/John W. McBride/
	John W. McBride

