UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

RUBICON COMMUNICATIONS, LP Petitioner,

V.

LEGO A/S Patent Owner.

Case IPR2016-01187 Patent 8,894,066

DECLARATION OF ELIZABETH A. ALQUIST IN SUPPORT OF PATENT OWNER'S MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION

LEGO A/S Ex. 2001 Rubicon Communications, LP v. LEGO A/S



Declaration of Elizabeth A. Alquist

- I, Elizabeth A. Alquist, declare the following:
 - I am a member in good standing of the Bar of Connecticut. I am also admitted in the United States District Courts for the District of Connecticut and Southern District of New York, and the United States Courts of Appeals for the Federal Circuit and Second Circuit.
 - 2. I have never been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body.
 - 3. I have never been denied admission to practice before any court or administrative body.
 - 4. I have never been subject to sanctions or contempt citations imposed by any court or administrative body.
 - 5. 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 Code of Federal Regulations.
 - 6. I agree to be subject to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 11.101 *et seq.* and to disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a).
 - 7. I have not applied to appear *pro hac vice* for any other proceeding before the Office in the last three (3) years.



- 8. I am an experienced litigation attorney with over 12 years of patent litigation experience. I have represented clients, including LEGO System A/S and LEGO A/S, in many cases involving a wide range of technologies.
- 9. I am familiar with the legal and technical subject matter at issue in this proceeding. I am counsel of record in the related action involving the challenged patent, *LEGO System A/S v. Rubicon Communications, LP dba Smallworks and Smallworks, LLC*, No. 3:15-cv-00823 (D. Conn. filed May 29, 2015). I have reviewed the challenged patent, underlying technology at issue, the Petition, and the accompanying exhibits and have deep understanding of the validity of the challenged patent.

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 the 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 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patents issued thereon.



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