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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SONY CORPORATION, SONY MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS (USA) INC., SONY MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS AB, and SONY MOBILE COMMUNICATIONS INC., Petitioner,

v.

CREATIVE TECHNOLOGY LIMITED, Patent Owner.

Case IPR2016-01407 Patent 6,928,433

Before THOMAS L. GIANNETTI, PATRICK M. BOUCHER, and MELISSA A. HAAPALA, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

HAAPALA, Administrative Patent Judge.

ORDER
Decision on Motion
37 C.F.R. § 42.10



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Petitioner has filed a motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Michael D. Saunders in this proceeding. Paper 16. The motion is supported by a declaration of Mr. Bramhall, which accompanied the motion. *Id.* The motion states that it is unopposed and no opposition has been filed.

The Board has reviewed the submissions and determined that the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 42.10 have been met and there is good cause to admit Mr. Saunders *pro hac vice*.

It is, therefore,

ORDERED that Patent Owner's motion for admission of Michael D. Saunders *pro hac vice* is granted;

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Saunders is to comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules of Practice for Trials, as set forth in Part 42 of the C.F.R., and to be subject to the Office's Code of Professional Responsibility set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et seq.*, and disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a); and

FURTHER ORDERED that Patent Owner is to continue to have a registered practitioner represent it as lead counsel in this proceeding.



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