

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG BIOEPIS CO., LTD., CELLTRION INC,
and BIOCON BIOLOGICS INC.
Petitioner,

v.

REGENERON PHARMACEUTICALS, INC.,
Patent Owner.

Patent No. 11,253,572

Inter Partes Review No. IPR2023-00884¹

**PATENT OWNER'S MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION OF
JEREMY COBB UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)**

¹ IPR2024-00260 and IPR2024-00298 are joined with IPR2023-00884.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c) Patent Owner Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Inc. (“Patent Owner”) hereby files this motion for Mr. Jeremy Cobb to appear *pro hac vice* on its behalf before the Patent Trial and Appeal Board in this proceeding. As required by the Board’s Notice of Filing Date Accorded to Petition (Paper 3) this motion for *pro hac vice* admission under 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c) is being “filed in accordance with the ‘Order -- Authorizing Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission’ in Case IPR2013-00639” (“IPR2013-00639 Order”). (Paper 3 at 2). Patent Owner conferred with Petitioners Samsung Bioepis Co., Ltd., Celltrion Inc., and Biocon Biologics Inc. (“Petitioners”), and Petitioners do not oppose the Motion for Admission *pro hac vice*.

I. STATEMENT OF FACTS

The following facts, along with the attached Declaration of Jeremy Cobb (Cobb Decl.) support admission of Mr. Cobb *pro hac vice* in this proceeding.

1. Lead Counsel Adam Brausa (Reg. No. 60,287) is the counsel of record for Patent Owner. Mr. Brausa is an experienced patent attorney who has worked with Mr. Cobb in this proceeding, and will continue to do so.

2. Mr. Cobb has significant familiarity with the subject matter in this proceeding and has substantive knowledge of the patent-at-issue (Patent No. 11,253,572 (the “’572 Patent”)) by virtue of his preparation for this proceeding. (Cobb Decl. ¶ 10). Mr. Cobb has conducted a detailed review of the ’572 Patent, the relevant prior art, and the prosecution history and related patents. In fact, a significant amount of Mr. Cobb’s time since October 2021 has been spent working on issues related to the ’572 Patent, related patents, and Patent Owner’s commercial product, Eylea[®]. (Cobb Decl. ¶ 11). Therefore, Mr. Cobb has significant experience with the subject matter of this proceeding.

II. REASONS FOR GRANTING THE MOTION

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.” 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c). As set forth above, lead counsel in this proceeding, Adam Brausa, is a registered practitioner. Moreover, as set forth above and in the accompanying Cobb declaration, Mr. Cobb is a patent litigation attorney and has an established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in the proceeding. (Cobb Decl. ¶¶ 3, 11).

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III. CONCLUSION

Because this motion and the accompanying declaration meet all of the Board's requirements, Patent Owner respectfully requests that the Board admit Mr. Jeremy Cobb *pro hac vice*, in this proceeding.

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Respectfully Submitted,

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I hereby certify that the attached PATENT OWNER'S MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION OF JEREMY COBB UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(C) and THE SUPPORTING DECLARATION OF JEREMY COBB, were served on the date listed below via email (by agreement) upon the following counsel of record for

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