

**AFFIDAVIT OF MR. AARON FOUNTAIN IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION**

I, Aaron Fountain, being duly sworn and upon oath, hereby attest to the following:

1 I am a member in good standing of the State Bar of Texas, as well as the following Federal Courts:

- a) U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit;
- b) U.S. Court of Appeals for the 5th Circuit; and
- c) United States District Courts for the Eastern, Western, Northern, and Southern Districts of Texas.

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 sanction or contempt citation has been imposed against me 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 C.F.R.;

6. I will be subject to the USPTO Code 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. In the last three (3) years, I have appeared *pro hac vice* before the Office in the following proceedings:

- Southside Bancshares, Inc. v. St. Isidore Research, LLC, CBM2016-00026
- Southside Bancshares, Inc. v. St. Isidore Research, LLC, CBM2016-00027
- Southside Bancshares, Inc. v. St. Isidore Research, LLC, IPR2016-01586
- Southside Bancshares, Inc. v. St. Isidore Research, LLC, IPR2016-01587
- EMRG, LC v. Fatboy the Original B.V., PGR2017-00004
- Luminex Corp. v. Irori Techs., Inc., IPR2014-00929
- Luminex Corp. v. Irori Techs., Inc., IPR2014-00930
- Luminex Corp. v. Irori Techs., Inc., IPR2014-00931
- Luminex Corp. v. Irori Techs., Inc., IPR2014-00932
- Luminex Corp. v. Irori Techs., Inc., IPR2014-00933; and

8. I am a technically trained analytical chemist and an experienced patent litigation attorney. I am a former Federal Circuit law clerk with experience in numerous patent infringement litigation matters in the federal court system. I have experience in trials, *Markman* hearings, and Federal Circuit oral arguments.

I have represented Q2 Software, Inc. a number of years and am counsel for Hanmi Bank in the co-pending litigation in which U.S. Patent No. 6,963,866 is asserted against Petitioner's customer, Hanmi Bank. I have an established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in this proceeding. In the co-pending litigation I am a principal attorney responsible for the representation of Hanmi Bank. I am heavily involved with the review of prior art references, the development of invalidity positions and preparation of invalidity contentions, and the claim construction process, all of which are relied on in the petition requesting covered business method review of U.S. Patent No. 6,963,866.

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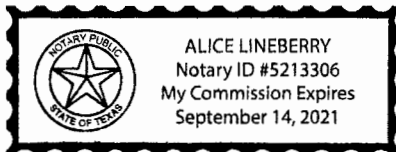
STATE OF TEXAS)
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COUNTY OF TRAVIS)

On February 8, 2018, before me, the undersigned notary, on this day personally appeared Aaron G. Fountain, known to me or proved to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same in his authorized capacity, and that by his signature on the instrument the person, or the entity upon behalf of which the person acted, executed the instrument.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF I have hereunto set my hand and official seal.

NOTARY PUBLIC

(Seal or stamp)



Alice Lineberry
Notary Signature

Alice Lineberry
Print/Type Name
Notary Public in and for the State of Texas

My appointment expires 9-14-21