

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

GOOGLE, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

NETWORK-1 TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2015-00343 (Patent 8,640,179 B1)
Case IPR2015-00345 (Patent 8,205,237 B2)
Case IPR2015-00347 (Patent 8,010,988 B2)
Case IPR2015-00348 (Patent 8,656,441 B1)¹

Before KEVIN F. TURNER, LYNNE E. PETTIGREW, and
JON B. TORNQUIST, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

PETTIGREW, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER

Patent Owner's Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of
Mr. Greg Dovel
37 C.F.R. § 42.10

¹ We use this caption in this paper to indicate that this Order applies to, and is entered in, all four cases. The parties are not authorized to use this caption.

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Patent Owner, Network-1 Technologies, Inc., filed a motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Mr. Greg Dovel. Paper 10.² Patent Owner also filed a declaration from Mr. Dovel in support of its motion. Ex. 2004. Petitioner, Google, Inc., indicated in the initial conference call for these proceedings that it does not oppose the motion. *See* Paper 13, 2.

Having reviewed the Motion and the declaration of Mr. Dovel, we conclude that Mr. Dovel has sufficient qualifications to represent Patent Owner in this proceeding and that Patent Owner has shown good cause for Mr. Dovel's *pro hac vice* admission. *See Unified Patents, Inc. v. Parallel Iron, LLC*, IPR2013-00639 (PTAB Oct. 15, 2013) (setting forth the requirements for *pro hac vice* admission) (Paper 7). Mr. Dovel will be permitted to appear *pro hac vice* in this proceeding as back-up counsel only. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c).

ORDER

ORDERED that Patent Owner's motion for *pro hac vice* admission of Greg Dovel is *granted*, and Mr. Dovel is authorized to represent Patent Owner only as back-up counsel in this proceeding;

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

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Dovel is to comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules of Practice for Trials, as set forth in Title 37, Part 42 of the Code of Federal Regulations; and

² Citations are to papers in IPR2015-00343.

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FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Dovel is subject to the USPTO's disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a), and the USPTO's Rules of Professional Conduct set forth at 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101–11.901.

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