

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO. LTD,
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA, INC.,
SAMSUNG SEMICONDUCTOR, INC., and
SAMSUNG AUSTIN SEMICONDUCTOR LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

HOME SEMICONDUCTOR CORPORATION,
Patent Owner.

Cases IPR2015-00459 (Patent 6,150,244)
IPR2015-00460 (Patent 6,146,997)
IPR2015-00466 (Patent 6,030,893)
IPR2015-00467 (Patent 6,040,893)¹

Before JONI Y. CHANG, JON B. TORNQUIST, and BETH Z. SHAW,
Administrative Patent Judges.

SHAW, *Administrative Patent Judge.*

¹ This Decision addresses the same issues in the above-identified *inter partes* reviews. Therefore, we issue one Decision to be filed in the identified cases. The parties, however, are not authorized to use this style of filing in subsequent papers.

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DECISION

Granting Patent Owner's Motions for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Jerry
Chen

37 C.F.R. § 42.10

Home Semiconductor Corporation ("Patent Owner") filed a Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Jerry Chen (Paper 15²), supported by a Declaration of Mr. Chen (Ex. 2001), in each of the above-identified proceedings. The Motions are unopposed. Paper 15, 2.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c), we 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. In authorizing motions for *pro hac vice*, we require the moving party to provide a statement of facts showing there is good cause for us to recognize counsel *pro hac vice*, and an affidavit or declaration of the individual seeking to appear in the proceedings.

Upon review of Patent Owner's Motions and supporting evidence, we determine that Patent Owner has demonstrated that Mr. Chen has sufficient legal and technical qualifications to represent Patent Owner in these proceedings. We also recognize that there is a need for Patent Owner to have Mr. Chen be involved in the proceedings at issue. Accordingly, Patent Owner has established that there is good cause for admitting Mr. Chen.

² All citations are to IPR2015-00459, as representative, unless otherwise noted.

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Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that Patent Owner's Motions for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission of Jerry Chen are *granted*; Mr. Chen is authorized to represent Patent Owner as back-up counsel in the above-identified proceedings;

FURTHER ORDERED that Patent Owner is to continue to have a registered practitioner represent it as lead counsel for these proceedings;

FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Chen 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 Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations; and they are to be subject to the Office's disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R.

§ 11.19(a), and the USPTO Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et. seq.*

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