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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

WILLIAM HILL U.S. HOLDCO, INC. and BRANDYWINE BOOKMAKING LLC, Petitioner,

v.

CG TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT, LLC, Patent Owner.

IPR2019-00317 (Patent 9,269,224 B2) IPR2019-00319 (Patent 9,240,098 B2) IPR2019-00320 (Patent 10,096,207 B2)¹

Before MITCHELL G. WEATHERLY, GEORGE R. HOSKINS, and TIMOTHY G. MAJORS, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

HOSKINS, Administrative Patent Judge.

ORDER

Granting Patent Owner's Motion to Withdraw and Substitute New Counsel 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.5 & 42.10

¹ This order is being filed in each proceeding listed in the caption. The parties may use this style caption only if the paper includes a statement certifying that the identical paper is being filed in each proceeding listed in the caption.

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In an e-mail communication dated August 26, 2019, in response to a request from Patent Owner's counsel Mr. Scott Allen, we authorized Patent Owner to file a Motion to Substitute Lead Counsel in each of these three proceedings, as follows:

Patent Owner may file a Motion to Substitute Lead Counsel in these proceedings. The Motion should, at minimum, clearly identify the new lead counsel and all back-up counsel that Patent Owner desires to represent Patent Owner in these proceedings going forward — in particular, Patent Owner should specify whether Mr. Goldberg seeks to withdraw (see 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(e)). It would be helpful, although it is not required, if the Motion further specifies whether Petitioner objects to the Motion.

Patent Owner filed the authorized Motion, in each of the three proceedings, as a Motion to Withdraw as Counsel and Substitute New Counsel. *See, e.g.*, IPR2019-00317, Paper 17 ("the Motion").²

Patent Owner "requests authorization to withdraw lead counsel Joshua L. Goldberg and replace him with Timothy P. McAnulty" in each of the three proceedings. *See, e.g., id.* at 2. Patent Owner notes the Power of Attorney of record (Paper 3) appoints "the Practitioners associated with Customer Number 22,852 and Robert F. Shaffer as its attorneys." Paper 3; Paper 17, 2. Patent Owner also notes its new counsel, Timothy P. McAnulty, is associated with Customer Number 22,852. Paper 17, 2. Further, Joshua L. Goldberg will not remain as back-up counsel. *Id.* Patent Owner represents that Petitioner's counsel has stated Petitioner does not oppose the Motion. *Id.* Finally, Patent Owner has filed Updated Mandatory

² For convenience, we cite herein only to Papers filed in IPR2019-00317, which are representative of Papers filed in the other two proceedings.

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Notices, identifying Mr. McAnulty as lead counsel, and Mr. Shaffer,

Mr. Allen, and Mr. Hamadi as back-up counsel. Id. at 2–3; Paper 18.

In light of the foregoing, it is:

ORDERED that, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(e), Mr. Goldberg may withdraw from representing Patent Owner in these proceedings; and

ORDERED that, Patent Owner's Motions are each *granted*, such that Mr. McAnulty is Patent Owner's lead counsel, and Mr. Shaffer, Mr. Allen, and Mr. Hamadi are Patent Owner's back-up counsel.

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