

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PALO ALTO NETWORKS, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

TAASERA LICENSING LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2023-00573
Patent 8,955,038 B2

REVISED
DECLARATION OF MICHAEL R. RUECKHEIM IN SUPPORT OF
MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.68, I, Michael R. Rueckheim, attest to the following:

1. I am a member in good standing of the Bars of the State of Texas, California, New York and admitted to practice in the following Federal Courts:

- a. United States Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit;
- b. United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit;
- c. United States District Court for the Western District of Texas;
- d. United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas;
- e. United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas;
- f. United States District Court for the Southern District of Texas;
- g. United States District Court for the Northern District of California;
- h. United States District Court for the Southern District of New York;
- i. United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois; and
- j. United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin.

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. I have never had sanctions or contempt citations imposed by any court or administrative body imposed against me.

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.P.R.

6. I will be subject to the USPTO Code of Professional Responsibility set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et seq.*, and to disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a).

7. In the last three years, I have appeared *pro hac vice* before the Board, Case Nos. IPR2020-00859, IPR2020-01081, IPR2020-01383, IPR2021-00343, IPR2021-00344, IPR2021-00345, IPR2021-00940, IPR2021-00941, IPR2021-00942, IPR2022-00418, IPR2022-00236, IPR2022-00744, and IPR2022-00745, IPR2023-00405, and IPR2023-00406. I am concurrently applying to appear *pro hac vice* in another related matter before the Board, specifically, Case No. IPR2023-00574.

8. I am a litigation attorney who has been involved in multiple patent infringement cases in federal district courts. I have experience in various aspects of patent infringement matters and have participated in multiple patent cases in federal courts, including trials and claim construction hearings. I have obtained substantial familiarity with the involved patent, the prior art, and the various issues raised in this proceeding. I have reviewed the Petition, and the cited materials, and am familiar with the subject matter involved in this proceeding.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

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Date: October 17, 2023

/Michael R. Rueckheim/
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