

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

ZHUHAI COSMX BATTERY CO., LTD.,
Petitioner,

v.

NINGDE AMPEREX TECHNOLOGY LIMITED,
Patent Owner.

IPR2023-00585 (Patent 11,329,352 B2)
IPR2023-00586 (Patent 10,833,363 B2)
IPR2023-00587 (Patent 10,964,987 B2)¹

Before DONNA M. PRAISS, KRISTINA M. KALAN, and
JEFFREY W. ABRAHAM, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

KALAN, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Granting Petitioner's Motion to Withdraw and Substitute Counsel
37 C.F.R. § 42.10

¹ This Order addresses the same issue for the above-identified proceedings. We therefore exercise our discretion to issue one order to be filed in each case. These cases have not been joined or consolidated. The parties are not authorized to use this filing style.

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Zhuhai CosMX Battery Co., Ltd. (“Petitioner”) filed an “Unopposed Motion for Withdrawal and Substitution of Counsel” that requests the Board to “authorize the withdrawal of back-up counsel Richard Hildreth, III and the appointment of Anthony A. Hartmann as back-up counsel” because “Mr. Hildreth is no longer employed by Finnegan.” Paper 6 (“Motion”), 1;² *see also id.* (“Patent Owner does not oppose the filing of this motion.”). As Petitioner states, the “Board authorized the filing of the present motion in a May 19, 2023 e-mail” and “Mr. Hartmann is a registered practitioner associated with [Finnegan’s] Customer Number 22,852, which Petitioner’s power of attorney . . . designated as counsel in this matter.” *Id.* at 1. We add that Petitioner has filed an Updated Mandatory Notice designating Mr. Hartmann as back-up counsel. Paper 7.

It is

ORDERED that Petitioner’s Motion is *granted*.

² We cite to papers filed in IPR2023-00585. Similar papers were filed in IPR2023-00586 and IPR2023-00587.

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