

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

AFFORDABLE WIRE MANAGEMENT, LLC,
Petitioner,

v.

CAMBRIA COUNTY ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND AND
HANDICAPPED, INC.,
Patent Owner.

Case No. IPR2024-00182
U.S. Patent No. 11,349,291 B2

**UNOPPOSED MOTION OF AFFORDABLE WIRE MANAGEMENT, LLC
TO WITHDRAW AND SUBSTITUTE LEAD COUNSEL**

I. Statement of Precise Relief Requested

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(e), and as authorized by the Board via an email dated January 12, 2024 (*see* 37 C.F.R. § 42.20(b)), Petitioner Affordable Wire Management, LLC (“Petitioner”) respectfully moves to withdraw Serge Subach as counsel for Petitioner in this *inter partes* review proceeding. Counsel for Patent Owner has indicated that Patent Owner does not oppose this motion.

II. Statement of Reasons for Substitution of Lead Counsel

Serge Subach, who is presently listed as lead counsel for Petitioner, has left the firm of Mintz Levin. Kevin C. Amendt (Reg. No. 69,361) will be designated as new lead counsel in this proceeding on behalf of Petitioner in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(a).

No extensions of time will be needed upon grant of this motion. It is believed that granting this motion will not hinder the economy, the integrity of the patent system, the efficient administration of the Office, or the ability of the Office to complete this proceeding in a timely manner. *See* 35 U.S.C. § 316(b).

An updated mandatory notice and power of attorney are being filed with this motion.

For the foregoing reasons, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Board grant this motion, allow Serge Subach to withdraw from this proceeding, and permit Petitioner to designate Kevin C. Amendt as lead counsel.

Dated: January 16, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the Unopposed Motion by Affordable Wire Management, LLC to Withdraw and Substitute Lead Counsel was served by electronic mail on the following counsel of record:

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