

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

META PLATFORMS, INC.,
Petitioner,

v.

MOBILE DATA TECHNOLOGIES LLC,
Patent Owner.

IPR2024-00246 (Patent 8,793,336 B2)
IPR2024-00247 (Patent 8,825,801 B2)
IPR2024-00248 (Patent 9,032,039 B2)
IPR2024-00249 (Patent 9,619,578 B2)
IPR2024-00250 (Patent 9,922,348 B2)¹

Before CHRISTOPHER M. KAISER, KEVIN C. TROCK, and
SCOTT B. HOWARD, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

HOWARD, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Granting Patent Owner's Motions for
Withdrawal of Counsel
37 C.F.R. § 42.10

¹ This order addresses an issue common to the above cases. The parties may not use this style caption unless authorized.

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On November 27, 2024, with prior authorization from the Board via email, Patent Owner filed an “Unopposed Motion for Withdrawal of Counsel.” Paper 29 (collectively “Motions” or “Mot.”).² Patent Owner also filed updated Mandatory Notices reflecting the requested withdrawal. Paper 30.

For the reasons provided below, the Motions are *granted*.

In the Motions, Patent Owner requests “withdrawal of counsel Erik Dykema (admitted *Pro Hac Vice*), Serge Krimnus (Reg. No. 66,392), and Ariel Reinitz (Reg. No. 65,220).” Mot. 1. Patent Owner states that good cause for this withdrawal exists because “[r]emaining counsel are registered practitioners presently representing Patent Owner in this proceeding” and the withdrawal “will not have an adverse effect on the parties, or hinder the Office’s timely, fair, and efficient conduct of this proceeding.” *Id.* at 2. Patent Owner also states that Petitioner does not oppose the Motions. *Id.* at 3.

In consideration of the foregoing, it is hereby

ORDERED that Patent Owner’s Motions are *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that Erik Dykema, Serge Krimnus, and Ariel Reinitz shall be withdrawn from these proceedings, effective as of the date of this Order

² For purposes of expediency, we cite to Papers and Exhibits filed in IPR2024-00246. Petitioner filed similar Papers and Exhibits in IPR2024-00247, IPR2024-00248, IPR2024-00249, IPR2024-00250, and IPR2024-00251.

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