

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

PROVISUR TECHNOLOGIES, INC.,

Petitioner,

v.

WEBER FOOD TECHNOLOGY GMBH,

Patent Owner

Case IPR2024-00269

U.S. Patent No. 11,331,823 B2

**PATENT OWNER'S MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* UNDER 37
C.F.R. § 42.10(C)**

I. INTRODUCTION

Patent Owner Weber Food Technology GmbH (“Patent Owner”) respectfully requests the Board recognize Christina Canino, Esq., as counsel *pro hac vice* during the above captioned proceeding. Patent Owner files this Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* in accordance with the Board’s December 14, 2023, Notice of Filing Date (Paper 5) and 37 C.F.R. §§ 42.10(c) and 42.22. The Petitioner does not oppose this motion.

II. CONDITIONS FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION ARE MET

The conditions outlined in 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c) and the Order – Authorizing Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission in case IPR2013-00639, Paper 7 are met. Patent Owner is filing this motion more than 21 days after December 7, 2023, the date of service of the Petition.

Lead Counsel for Patent Owner (Adam P. Seitz, Reg. No. 52,206) is registered to practice before the Board and is actively participating in this IPR. 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c).

Good cause exists to permit Christina Canino to be admitted *pro hac vice* for this proceeding. Christina Canino has established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in this proceeding, including knowledge of U.S. Patent No. 11,331,823 (“the ’823 Patent”), the Petition, and the prior art submitted in the instant Petition. Exhibit 2006, *Declaration of Christina Canino* at ¶ 8. Christina Canino solely

practices in patent litigation and IPRs and has been involved in several patent litigations before the federal courts and assisted on many IPRs. *Id.* at ¶ 9. She has experience litigating patents and participating in IPRs where the patents related to both the electrical and mechanical fields. *Id.* She has argued before the relevant tribunals in patent litigation proceedings, assisted with depositions, and discussed these areas in-depth with expert witnesses and engineers. *Id.* Therefore, Christina Canino's knowledge would be of substantial benefit to Patent Owner in this proceeding.

Counsel for Petitioner does not oppose Christina Canino appearing *pro hac vice* during this proceeding.

III. AFFIDAVIT OR DECLARATION OF INDIVIDUAL SEEKING TO APPEAR

A Declaration of Christina Canino as Exhibit 2006 accompanies Patent Owner's Motion for *Pro Hac Vice* Admission.

IV. FEES

Patent Owner approves the \$250.00 fee in accordance with 42.15(e) for *pro hac vice* admission may be charged to deposit account 50-6159.

V. CONCLUSION

Patent Owner respectfully requests that the Board recognize Christina Canino as counsel *pro hac vice* during this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE ON PATENT OWNER

UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 42.105(a)

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on August 23, 2024, the foregoing *Patent Owner's Motion For Admission Pro Hac Vice Under 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(C)* was served via electronic filing with the Board and via Electronic Mail on the following practitioners of record for Patent Owner:

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