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Western District of Texas (Austin)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 1:24−cv−00101−RP

Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC v. Western Digital Corporation et al
Assigned to: Judge Robert Pitman
Cause: 35:271 Patent Infringement

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Jury Demand: Plaintiff
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Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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Western Digital Technologies, Inc.

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01/30/2024	1	COMPLAINT *for Patent Infringement* (Filing fee $ 405 receipt number ATXWDC−18359653), filed by Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet, # 2 Exhibit A, # 3 Exhibit B, # 4 Exhibit C)(Dacus, Deron) (Attachment 1 replaced on 1/30/2024 to flatten document) (kp). (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/30/2024	2	RULE 7 DISCLOSURE STATEMENT filed by Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (Dacus, Deron) (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/30/2024	3	REQUEST FOR ISSUANCE OF SUMMONS by Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (Attachments: # 1 Summons)(Dacus, Deron) (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/30/2024	4	Notice of Filing of Patent/Trademark Form (AO 120). AO 120 forwarded to the Director of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office. (Dacus, Deron) (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/30/2024		Case assigned to Judge Docket II − Austin. CM WILL NOW REFLECT THE JUDGE INITIALS AS PART OF THE CASE NUMBER. PLEASE APPEND THESE JUDGE INITIALS TO THE CASE NUMBER ON EACH DOCUMENT THAT YOU FILE IN THIS CASE. (kp) (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/30/2024		If ordered by the court, all referrals and consents in this case will be assigned to Magistrate Judge Susan Hightower. (kp) (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/30/2024		DEMAND for Trial by Jury by Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (kp) (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/30/2024	5	Summons Issued as to Western Digital Corporation, Western Digital Technologies, Inc.. (kp) (Entered: 01/30/2024)
01/31/2024	6	MOTION to Appear Pro Hac Vice by Deron R Dacus *on behalf of Robert F. Kramer* (Filing fee $ 100 receipt number ATXWDC−18366015) by on behalf of Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order)(Dacus, Deron) (Entered: 01/31/2024)
02/05/2024	7	ORDER GRANTING 6 Motion to Appear Pro Hac Vice as to ROBERT F. KRAMER. Pursuant to our Administrative Policies and Procedures for Electronic Filing, the attorney hereby granted to practice pro hac vice in this case must register for electronic filing with our court within 10 days of this order. Registration is managed by the PACER Service Center Signed by Judge Robert Pitman. (cc3) (Entered: 02/05/2024)
02/05/2024	8	MOTION to Appear Pro Hac Vice by Deron R Dacus *on behalf of David Alberti* (Filing fee $ 100 receipt number ATXWDC−18382137) by on behalf of Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order)(Dacus, Deron) (Entered: 02/05/2024)
02/05/2024	9	MOTION to Appear Pro Hac Vice by Deron R Dacus *on behalf of Sal Lim* (Filing fee $ 100 receipt number ATXWDC−18382279) by on behalf of Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order)(Dacus, Deron) (Entered: 02/05/2024)
02/06/2024	10	ORDER GRANTING 8 Motion to Appear Pro Hac Vice as to DAVID ALBERTI. Pursuant to our Administrative Policies and Procedures for Electronic Filing, the attorney hereby granted to practice pro hac vice in this case must register for electronic

		filing with our court within 10 days of this order. Registration is managed by the PACER Service Center Signed by Judge Robert Pitman. (cc3) (Entered: 02/06/2024)
02/06/2024	11	ORDER GRANTING 9 Motion to Appear Pro Hac Vice as to SAL LIM. Pursuant to our Administrative Policies and Procedures for Electronic Filing, the attorney hereby granted to practice pro hac vice in this case must register for electronic filing with our court within 10 days of this order. Registration is managed by the PACER Service Center Signed by Judge Robert Pitman. (cc3) (Entered: 02/06/2024)
02/06/2024	12	MOTION to Appear Pro Hac Vice by Deron R Dacus *on behalf of Russell Tonkovich* (Filing fee $ 100 receipt number ATXWDC−18388606) by on behalf of Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order)(Dacus, Deron) (Entered: 02/06/2024)
02/08/2024	13	ORDER GRANTING 12 Motion to Appear Pro Hac Vice as to RUSSELL TONKOVICH. Pursuant to our Administrative Policies and Procedures for Electronic Filing, the attorney hereby granted to practice pro hac vice in this case must register for electronic filing with our court within 10 days of this order. Registration is managed by the PACER Service Center Signed by Judge Robert Pitman. (cc3) (Entered: 02/08/2024)
02/09/2024	14	SUMMONS Returned Executed by Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. Western Digital Corporation served on 1/31/2024, answer due 2/21/2024. (Kramer, Robert) (Entered: 02/09/2024)
02/09/2024	15	SUMMONS Returned Executed by Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC. Western Digital Technologies, Inc. served on 1/31/2024, answer due 2/21/2024. (Kramer, Robert) (Entered: 02/09/2024)
02/16/2024	16	Unopposed MOTION for Extension of Time to File Answer re 1 Complaint, by Western Digital Corporation, Western Digital Technologies, Inc.. (Attachments: # 1 Proposed Order)(Emerson, John) (Entered: 02/16/2024)
02/20/2024		Text Order GRANTING 16 Unopposed Motion for Extension of Time to Answer entered by Judge Robert Pitman. IT IS ORDERED that Defendants shall answer or otherwise respond to Plaintiff's complaint on or before April 8, 2024. (This is a text−only entry generated by the court. There is no document associated with this entry.) (jmlc) (Entered: 02/20/2024)
02/21/2024		Reset Answer Deadline: Western Digital Corporation and Western Digital Technologies, Inc. answer due 4/8/2024. (cc3) (Entered: 02/21/2024)
04/05/2024	17	NOTICE of Voluntary Dismissal by Polaris PowerLED Technologies, LLC (Kramer, Robert) (Entered: 04/05/2024)
04/08/2024		Case reassigned to Judge Robert Pitman. Judge Docket II − Austin no longer assigned to the case. (cc3) (Entered: 04/09/2024)
04/09/2024	18	ORDER CLOSING CASE. Signed by Judge Robert Pitman. (cc3) (Entered: 04/09/2024)