

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

BeiGene USA, Inc. and BeiGene, LTD.,
Petitioners,

v.

Pharmacyclics LLC
Patent Owner.

PGR2024-00009
U.S. Patent No. 11,672,803

**PETITIONERS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR
PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION OF KEVIN HOAGLAND-HANSON
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)**

Petitioners BeiGene USA Inc. and BeiGene Ltd. hereby file this motion pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c), as authorized in the Board's Notice at Paper 3, for Kevin Hoagland-Hanson to appear *pro hac vice* on their behalf before the Board in PGR2024-00009.

I. STATEMENT OF FACTS

Good cause exists for this motion based on the following facts:

1. Petitioners' lead counsel, David I. Berl (Reg. No. 72,751) is a registered practitioner before the Board.
2. As set forth in the accompanying Declaration of Kevin Hoagland-Hanson, Ex. 1159, Mr. Hoagland-Hanson is an experienced attorney at Williams & Connolly LLP with established familiarity with the subject matter at issue in this proceeding. Mr. Hoagland-Hanson has reviewed in detail the filings and exhibits relied on by Petitioners and Patent Owner, and the relevant case law and legal authority related to this matter, as well as engaged in extensive strategic and substantive discussions regarding this Petition with lead counsel. Ex. 1159 ¶ 9. Mr. Hoagland-Hanson also represents Petitioners and has entered an appearance on their behalf in the related matter in which Patent Owner has asserted the patent at issue in this proceeding in federal district court, *Pharmacyclics LLC v. BeiGene USA, Inc.*, Civ. No. 23-646 (D. Del.). Ex. 1159 ¶ 9(a).

3. Mr. Hoagland-Hanson is (i) a member in good standing of the bars of Pennsylvania and the District of Columbia, Ex. 1159 ¶ 3, (ii) has never been suspended or disbarred from practice before any court or administrative body, Ex. 1159 ¶ 4, (iii) has never had an application for admission to practice denied before any court or administrative body, Ex. 1159 ¶ 5, (iv) has never had any sanctions or contempt citations imposed by any court or administrative body, Ex. 1159 ¶ 6, (v) has read and will comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board's Rules of Practice for Trials set forth in part 42 of 37 C.F.R., Ex. 1159 ¶ 7, and (vi) will be subject to the USPTO Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et. seq.* and disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a), Ex. 1159 ¶ 8.

4. Mr. Hoagland-Hanson has not previously been admitted to practice *pro hac vice* before the Office or the Board. Ex. 1159 ¶ 10.

II. GOOD CAUSE EXISTS FOR THE *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION OF MR. HOAGLAND-HANSON IN THIS PROCEEDING.

The Board may recognize counsel *pro hac vice* during a proceeding upon a showing of good cause, subject to the condition that lead counsel be a registered practitioner and to any other conditions as the Board may impose. 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)(1). Petitioners' Lead Counsel, David I. Berl, is a registered practitioner before the Board. Based on the facts set forth above, including Mr. Hoagland-Hanson's familiarity with the matters at issue in this proceeding and his satisfaction

of the requirements set out in Case IPR2013-00639, Paper 7, as supported by Mr. Hoagland-Hanson's declaration, Ex. 1159, good cause exists to admit Mr. Hoagland-Hanson *pro hac vice* in this proceeding.

In view of Mr. Hoagland-Hanson's knowledge of the subject matter at issue in this proceeding, Petitioners have a substantial need for Mr. Hoagland-Hanson's *pro hac vice* admission and his involvement in the continued prosecution of this proceeding.

Patent Owner does not oppose this motion.

III. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, Petitioners respectfully request that Mr. Hoagland-Hanson be admitted *pro hac vice* in this proceeding.

The Board is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this filing to Deposit Account No. DA506403.

Dated: December 17, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), the undersigned certifies that on December 17, 2024, a true and correct copy of **PETITIONERS' UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION OF KEVIN HOAGLAND-HANSON PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 42.10(c)** was served via electronic mail, upon the following:

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