

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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XINGMAI INNOVATION TECHNOLOGY (SUZHOU) CO., LTD.  
D/B/A BEATBOT

Petitioner,

v.

AIPER GLOBAL PTE. LTD.

Patent Owner.

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Case PGR2026-00012  
U.S. Patent No. 12,221,196

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**PATENT OWNER'S UNOPPOSED  
MOTION TO WITHDRAW COUNSEL**

## **I. RELIEF REQUESTED**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.10, and the Board’s February 25, 2026 authorization to file this Motion, Patent Owner AIPER GLOBAL PTE. LTD. (“Patent Owner”), respectfully requests the Board permit prior lead counsel Ryan W. O’Donnell (Reg. No. 53,401) and back-up counsel Daniel H. Golub (Reg. No. 33,701), Wesley T. McMichael (Reg. No. 56,982), Michael F. Snyder (Reg. No. 58,347), and Patrick S. Griffin (Reg. No. 69,369) of Volpe Koenig, to withdraw from this post grant review (“PGR”) proceeding in view of Patent Owner’s substitution of counsel of the following attorneys from the law firm of DLA Piper LLP:

Gianni Minutoli (Reg. No. 41,198) (lead counsel);

Matthew Satchwell (Reg. No. 58,870) (back-up counsel); and

Joseph Wolfe (Reg. No. 73,173) (back-up counsel).

As detailed further below, Petitioner does not oppose this Motion. Patent Owner’s new counsel information, including new lead counsel, was reflected in the updated Mandatory Notices filed on February 18, 2026.

## **II. STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR WITHDRAW OF COUNSEL**

Patent Owner seeks to substitute new counsel for representation in this PGR proceeding. Patent Owner has conferred with Petitioner, and Petitioner does not oppose this Motion. Patent Owner’s new counsel at DLA Piper LLP has already filed its Power of Attorney and updated Mandatory Notices in this PGR proceeding, with

an updated designation of lead counsel and backup counsel. Therefore, Patent Owner will continue to have representation by counsel upon the attorneys from Volpe Koenig being withdrawn. Given the early stage of proceedings, this Motion is not expected to cause any delay.

### III. CONCLUSION

For the foregoing reasons, Patent Owner respectfully requests the Board permit Ryan W. O'Donnell (Reg. No. 53,401), Daniel H. Golub (Reg. No. 33,701), Wesley T. McMichael (Reg. No. 56,982), Michael F. Snyder (Reg. No. 58,347), and Patrick S. Griffin (Reg. No. 69,369) of Volpe Koenig to withdraw as counsel in this proceeding.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned certifies that pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 42.6(e), a copy of the foregoing **PATENT OWNER'S MOTION TO WITHDRAW COUNSEL** was served via email (as consented to by counsel) on **February 26, 2026** to lead and backup counsel of record for Petitioner as follows:

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