

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

SHENZHEN QIANFENYI INTELLIGENT TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD.,
Petitioner,

v.

WACOM CO. LTD.,
Patent Owner.

IPR2025-01596
Patent 10,108,277 B2

Before KALYAN K. DESHPANDE, *Acting Chief Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER

Granting Petitioner's Motions for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* of
Erin Kolter and William Cravens
37 C.F.R. § 42.10

Shenzhen Qianfenyi Intelligent Technology Co., Ltd. (“Petitioner”) filed unopposed motions requesting admission *pro hac vice* of Erin Kolter (Paper 6) and William Cravens (Paper 8) and supporting declarations (Papers 7, 9).¹ Petitioner’s motions are granted.

Accordingly, it is:

ORDERED that Petitioner’s motions are *granted*;

FURTHER ORDERED that Erin Kolter and William Cravens will be authorized to represent Petitioner as back-up counsel only; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Erin Kolter and William Cravens be familiar with the PTAB Trial Practice Guide,² comply with the Board’s Rules of Practice for Trials set forth in 37 C.F.R. part 42, and be subject to the Office’s disciplinary jurisdiction under 37 C.F.R. § 11.19(a) and the USPTO Rules of Professional Conduct set forth in 37 C.F.R. §§ 11.101 *et seq.*³

¹ Petitioner filed the declarations as papers. This oversight is excused; however, Petitioner is reminded that affidavits and declarations must be filed as exhibits. *See* 37 C.F.R. § 42.63(a) (“Evidence consists of affidavits, transcripts of depositions, documents, and things. All evidence must be filed in the form of an exhibit.”).

² Patent Trial and Appeal Board, Trial Practice Guide (Dec. 2025), *available at* <https://www.uspto.gov/patents/ptab/trial-practice-guide>.

³ The declarations state that “I have 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 the C.F.R.” (*e.g.*, Paper 7, ¶ 8), but an individual seeking *pro hac vice* admission must attest that “[t]he individual seeking to appear has read and will comply with the Office Patent Trial Practice Guide and the Board’s Rules of Practice for Trials set forth in 37 CFR part 42.” Paper 5, 4 (Notice of Filing Date Accorded) (emphasis added). This oversight is excused.

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