

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE TRADEMARK TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

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GAPARDIS HEALTH AND BEAUTY, INC.	x	
and XAVIER P. TANCOGNE	x	
	x	Opposition No. 91188973
Opposers	x	Serial No. 77/248780
v.	x	
	x	Interlocutory Attorney
GULAM NASSER	x	Angela Lykos
Applicant	x	
	x	
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**REQUEST FOR PERMISSION TO
WITHDRAW AS ATTORNEY OF RECORD**

This responds to the Office Action mailed August 31, 2009 by Interlocutory Attorney Angela Lykos.

Undersigned counsel respectfully requests to withdraw as Applicant's attorney of record in this case, under Trademark Rule 10.40 (b) (4) which states that "A practitioner representing a client before the office shall withdraw from employment if...The practitioner is discharged by the client."

Regarding the requirements set forth in the Interlocutory Attorney's Office Action:

(1) On March 31, 2009, Applicant's outside counsel (Ashfords, of Exeter, U.K.) instructed me to take no further action with respect to Application Serial No. 77/248,780 or to the opposition filed thereto (Opposition No. 91188973), and advised that Applicant had instructed another law firm to represent him. On April 4, 2009, Applicant directly filed an answer to Opposition No. 91188973 which he signed electronically. Thereafter, Applicant's outside counsel confirmed that my services were no longer required with respect to the subject application and opposition.

(2) I confirm that I notified Applicant on April 17, 2009 that I would request withdrawal as attorney of record with respect to the subject application and opposition. This was done in response to Applicant's discharging me from the case.

(3) All papers and property that relate to this proceeding, and to which Applicant is entitled, have been delivered to Applicant's outside counsel.



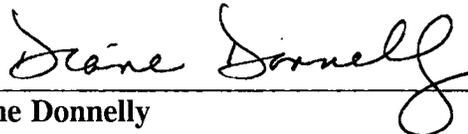
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(4) No fees were paid by Applicant in advance.

(5) Copies of this Request for Permission to Withdraw as Attorney of Record are being served upon Applicant and Opposing Counsel, as certified in the attached Certificate of Service.

Undersigned counsel respectfully requests that this motion to withdraw as attorney of record be granted.

Respectfully Submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of this Request for Permission to Withdraw as Attorney of Record is being forwarded by U.S. First Class Mail to the following on the date shown below:

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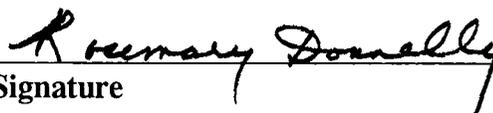
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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this response to Office Action mailed August 31, 2009 by the Interlocutory Attorney is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: United States Patent and Trademark Office, Trademark Trial and Appeal Board, P.O. Box 1451, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1451 on the date shown below:

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