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Wolff & Samson ("W&S"), attorneys for Applicant, Franklin Loufrani ("Loufrani"), hereby request to withdraw as Attorneys of record in connection with the above captioned application.

In accordance with TMEP §602.04(a) and 37 CFR 10.40, W&S has taken all reasonable steps to avoid foreseeable prejudice to the rights of Loufrani, including: giving due notice to Loufrani of W&S' decision to withdraw as counsel; allowing time for Loufrani to employ substitute counsel, delivering to Loufrani all papers and property to which Loufrani is entitled, and complying with all applicable laws and rules.

As grounds for this Request to Withdraw as Counsel, W&S submits that Loufrani's conduct has rendered it impossible for W&S to carry out the employment

effectively. Additionally, Loufrani has failed to pay bills rendered by W&S for an unreasonable period of time.

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Respectfully submitted,



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