

**UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
Trademark Trial and Appeal Board
P.O. Box 1451
Alexandria, VA 22313-1451**

Mailed: December 31, 2013

Opposition No. 91204409

POM Wonderful LLC

v.

Ali Kimiai dba Caspian
International

Clara Vela, Paralegal Specialist:

On December 4, 2013, applicant's attorneys filed a request to withdraw as applicant's counsel of record in this case.^{1 2} The request to withdraw as counsel is in compliance with the requirements of Trademark Rule 2.19(b) and Patent and Trademark Rule 11.116, and is accordingly granted. The law firm of Mark D. Kimball no longer represents applicant in this proceeding.³

In view of the withdrawal of applicant's counsel, and in accordance with standard Board practice, proceedings herein are suspended, and applicant is allowed until thirty days from the

¹ A copy of said request has been placed in both the opposition file and the application file.

² Applicants' change of correspondence (filed on December 26, 2013) is noted and made of record.

³ Opposer's motion to suspend proceedings pending civil action filed December 2, 2013 is noted.

mailing date of this order to appoint new counsel, or to file a paper stating that applicant chooses to represent itself. If applicant files no response, the Board may issue an order to show cause why default judgment should not be entered against applicant based on applicant's apparent loss of interest in the case.

The parties will be notified by the Board when proceedings are resumed.

A copy of this order has been sent to all persons listed below.

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