

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
BEFORE THE FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION

Before the Honorable Stephen J. McGuire
Administrative Law Judge

In the Matter of)
)
ASPEN TECHNOLOGY, INC.,)
a corporation)
_____)

Docket No. 9310

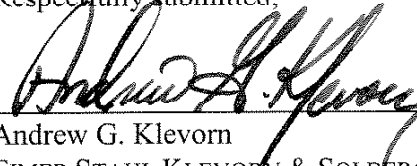
NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

I hereby enter my appearance as counsel for non-party Praxair, Inc. ("Praxair") in this matter. I am a member in good standing of the bar of Illinois (No. 6194597).

Service of documents with respect to Praxair should be directed to me at the address below.

Dated: April 29, 2004

Respectfully submitted,



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