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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA

In Re: JAMIE K. TRACT) CASE No. PR-06-0422
Petitioner.) AMENDED PETITION TO WAIVE MPRE
) REQUIREMENT IN APPLICATION
) FOR ADMISSION BY MOTION
) TO MONTANA STATE BAR

Jamie K. Tract ("Petitioner") respectfully petitions this Honorable Court to waive the three-year Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination ("MPRE") test requirement for admission to the State Bar of Montana by Motion. In support, Petitioner states as follows:

Petitioner previously submitted a Petition dated as of July 19, 2021 respectfully petitioning for a waiver of the MPRE test requirement. In the Petition, Petitioner accidentally and erroneously stated that her admission to the State Bar of Nevada in 2014 required Petitioner to retake the MPRE exam, when instead the State Bar of Nevada accepted Petitioner's passing score from the State of California in 2013 for admission. Petitioner has taken and passed the MPRE exam for purposes of the State Bar of California and State Bar of Colorado admissions. This Amended Petition is intended to correct the previous error and to respectfully restate Petitioner's petition.

Petitioner is seeking admission to the State Bar of Montana by motion. She has submitted the NCBE Character & Fitness Application and the Montana Application for the Montana Bar of Bar Examiners & Commission on Character & Fitness. She has not taken the MPRE within the last three years.

Petitioner was required to take the bar exam and MPRE when originally seeking her license to practice law in the State of California in 2013, and then again when seeking her license to practice law in the State of Colorado in 2015. The State Bar of Nevada required Petitioner to take

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the bar exam in Nevada, but accepted Petitioner's MPRE exam scores originally obtained when seeking admission to the State Bar of California in 2013. Petitioner's scaled score on the March 28, 2015 MPRE exam was 112. California has a minimum passing score of 86, Nevada has a minimum passing score of 85, and Colorado has a minimum passing score of 85. Montana's minimum passing score is 80. Petitioner passed all three bar exams, passed the MPRE for admission to the State Bar of California and again for admission to the State Bar of Colorado, and used her passing score on the MPRE taken for purposes of the State Bar of California to satisfy the State Bar of Nevada MPRE requirements.

Since being admitted to the bars, Petitioner:

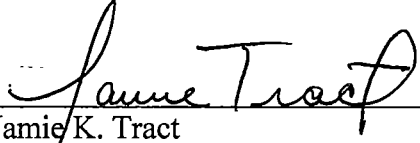
- Is and has at all times been a member in good standing of the State Bar of California since 2013, State Bar of Nevada since 2014, and State Bar of Colorado since 2015;
- Is and has at all times been an Active member of the State Bar of California;
- Is and has been an Active member of the State Bar of Nevada since 2020, and was an Inactive member of the State Bar of Nevada from 2014 through 2019;
- Is and has been an Inactive member of the State Bar of Colorado since 2015;
- Practiced law continuously as a civil litigator, in-house counsel, corporate lawyer, and then sole practitioner since admission to the State Bar of California in 2013, without any ethical or disciplinary action in any jurisdiction where licensed or admitted to practice law.

Petitioner has additionally ordered and submitted Certificates of Good Standing and Disciplinary History from the State Bar of California, Nevada, and Colorado. Please note that Petitioner's name on the Certificates is "Jamie Kristine Rinehart" instead of "Jamie Kristine Tract." Petitioner was married, has recently received her legal name change documentation from

the Social Security Administration, and has submitted name change requests to all jurisdictions, and will submit a copy of her Marriage Certificate to the State Bar of Montana along with her application by Motion.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner respectfully requests that the Court enter an order waiving the three-year MPRE test requirement for admission to the Montana Bar, and set a hearing in this matter, and for such other relief as this Honorable Court deems appropriate.

Dated this 4 day of August, 2021.



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