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RE:

Montana Pro Hac Vice Application

Dear Clerk:

Enclosed is a copy of an application to appear pro hac vice before your court or agency from the attorney listed below.

Jennifer H. Weddle Greenberg Traurig LLP 1144 15th St., Ste. 3300 Denver, CO 80207

The attorney has complied with the rules governing a pro hac vice appearance and is currently in good standing with the other state or jurisdiction(s) in which they are admitted. Further, the Montana counsel listed in the application is in good standing with the State Bar of Montana.

This is the 1st appearance for the attorney and the 3rd appearance for the firm. under the pro hac vice rules. Section VI(C) of the Rules for Admission to the State Bar of Montana states: Except upon a showing of good cause, no attorney or firm may appear pro hac vice in more than two actions or proceedings in any state court or administrative agency in Montana. Please provide my office with a copy of your decision to grant or deny this application. Please contact me at (406) 447-2204 if you have questions or need further information.

Sincerely,

Bar Admissions Assistant

Enclosure

cc:

Jennifer H. Weddle April D. Youpee-Roll 0921-0395

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B. Federal Courts: Please see attached.

of my pro hac vice admission.

7.	Are you currently suspended, disbarred, or otherwise not licensed to practice in any of the above courts? If so, attach copies of all relevant court documents or disciplinary documents. Yes X No					
8.	Are you subject to <u>pending</u> disciplinary proceedings in any jurisdiction? Yes X No If so, attach a description of the nature and status of each pending disciplinary proceeding.					
9.	Do you maintain a residence in Montana? Yes X No					
10.	Are you regularly employed in Montana? Yes _X No					
11.	Are you regularly engaged in the practice of law or in substantial business or professional activities in Montana? _X Yes No					
12.	Do you have an application for admission to the State Bar of Montana pending? Yes X No					
13.	List the title of each <u>state</u> court and cause in Montana in which you <u>OR YOUR FIRM</u> have filed an application to appear as counsel pro hac vice, the date of each application, and whether it was granted or denied. (Do not list Federal court pro hac vice appearances.)					
	List the current title, court, and cause number for which you are applying.					
	Title, Court, Cause # County Date Granted: (Yes, No)					
A.	Previous Cases: MT IST NO. SME OF MT V. CONOCO PHILLIPS et al., BDV 2012 - 640 GR					
	Montana First Judicial District Court, Lewis and Clark County, State of Montana ex rel., Tim Fox v. Philip Morris Inc., et al.; Cause No. BDV-1997-306 / Hon. Michael McMahon; applied June 18, 2020; Granted (Gregory E. Ostfeld, Elli Leibenstein, Thomas E. Dutton)					
В.	CURRENT Case: (please include County)					
	L.B. individually and on behalf of D.B., a minor, v. United States of America, et al.					
	Supreme Court of the State of Montana; No. OP 21-0395					
14.	I agree to comply with the applicable statutes, laws, and procedural rules of the State of Montana. I further agree to be bound by the Montana Rules of Professional Conduct (except as to Rules 6.1-6.4) and will submit to the jurisdiction of the Montana courts, the Montana disciplinary process, and the State Bar of Montana with respect to acts and omissions occurring during admission under this application.					
15.	I understand that a lawyer not admitted to practice in Montana is subject to the disciplinary authority of Montana for conduct that constitutes a violation of the Montana Rules of Professional Conduct and that: a) involves the practice of law in Montana by that lawyer; or b) involves that lawyer holding himself or herself out as practicing law in Montana; or c) involves the practice of law in Montana by another lawyer over whom this lawyer has the obligation of supervision or control.					
16.	I state that payment has been made to the State Bar of Montana in accordance with the requirements of Section IV of the Rules for Admission and in accordance with the requirements of Rule 6 of the Rules for Lawyer Disciplinary Enforcement.					
17.	I understand I have an on-going obligation to advise the State Bar of Montana and court/administrative agency if my standing or status changes in any of the jurisdictions in which I am admitted during the term					

- 18. I agree to provide the State Bar of Montana with the court or administrative agency's order to grant or deny this application. (All applications will be counted as an appearance unless the State Bar of Montana is advised the application was denied by the Court.)
- 19. I agree to notify the State Bar of Montana of any appeals if the case is referred to a higher court. (If the above action proceeds to a court of higher jurisdiction, I understand the appealed case will not be counted as an additional appearance.)
- 20. I agree to provide current certificates of good standing from the jurisdiction(s) in which I am admitted.

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the pro hac vice rules, the Montana Rules of Professional Conduct, and the Montana Rules for Lawyer Disciplinary Enforcement.

Signature of Applicant Date

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me this ______ day of _____ day of ______ day of ______ day of ______ day of ______ day of _______ day of ________ day of _________ day of _________ day of _________ day of _________ day of __________ day of __________ day of ______________________

MELISSA HOPE WATKINS
NOTARY PUBLIC
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NOTARY ID 20074022558
MY COMMISSION EXPIRES JULY 25, 2023

Notary Signature: // // // // // Printed Name of Notary: M. Hope Watkins
Notary Public for the State of: Colorado
Residing in: Littleton, CO

My commission expires: July 25, 2023

ATTACH: Certificate(s) of Good Standing \$495.00 Pro Hac Vice Fee

Rules and information about pro hac vice are available on the State Bar's website at www.montanabar.org. Please direct questions to Sean O'Connor: soconnor@montanabar.org or (406) 447-2204.

Jennifer Weddle

Jurisdiction	Bar#	Date Admitted
Colorado	32068	10/16/2000
United States District Court, District of Colorado	n/a	10/18/2000
United States District Court, District of New Mexico	19-163	10/18/2000
United States District Court, District of Columbia	CO0077	09/09/2019
United States Court of Appeals, 4th Circuit	n/à	01/22/2003
United States Court of Appeals, 6th Circuit	n/a	07/16/2013
United States Court of Appeals, 8th Circuit	n/a	06/26/2003
United States Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit	n/a	02/29/2010
United States Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit	n/a	01/10/2010
United States Court of Appeals, District of Columbia	n/a	11/30/2010
United States Supreme Court	n/a	12/12/2011