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March 19, 2024

VIA HAND DELIVERY

Matthew Pollack, Esq. Clerk of the Law Court Maine Supreme Judicial Court 205 Newbury Street, Room 139 Portland, Maine

RE:

Peter Masucci, et al. v. Judy's Moody LLC, et al.,

Law Court Docket No. CUM-2024-82

Dear Mr. Pollack:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced matter, please find an original and one copy of the following:

- Motion for Admission of Visiting Attorney *Pro Hac Vice* With Incorporated Memorandum of Law
- 2. Affidavit In Support of Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* (of Paige Gilliard, Esq.)

Also enclosed is a check in the amount of the required filing fee (\$700).

Copies of the enclosed are being served via electronic service and via U.S. Mail upon the *pro se* party noted below.

Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Sincerely,

David P. Silk, Bar No. 3136

Enclosures

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STATE OF MAINE

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT SITTING as the Law Court Docket No. CUM-24-82

PETER AND KATHY MASUCCI,		
et al.,) MOTION FOR ADMISSIO	N
) OF VISITING ATTORNE	Y
Plaintiffs/Appellants,) PRO HAC VICE	
) WITH INCORPORATED)
V.) MEMORANDUM OF LA	W
JUDY'S MOODY LLC, et al.,)	
	(Title to Real Estate Involve	ed)
Defendants/Appellees.)	
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The undersigned local counsel for Defendant, Appellee, and Cross-Appellant Judy's Moody LLC in this action, hereby moves this Court, pursuant to 4 M.R.S. § 802, Rule 2A(b)(2)(C) of the Maine Rules of Appellate Procedure, and Rule 89(b) of the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, for an order admitting Paige Elizabeth Gilliard of the law firm Pacific Legal Foundation, 3100 Clarendon Boulevard, Suite 1000, Arlington, VA 22201, email: pgilliard@pacificlegal.org, a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of California and an attorney admitted before the courts of the California Supreme Court and all trial courts, the United States District Court, Central District of California, the United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit, and the United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit, to appear in this appeal as a visiting attorney *pro hac vice* on behalf of Defendant, Appellee, and Cross-Appellant Judy's Moody, LLC.

I certify that I am a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of Maine and that am actively associated with Paige Elizabeth Gilliard, Esq. in this appeal.

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Clerk's Office Maine Supreme Judicial Court This motion is supported by the affidavit of Paige Elizabeth Gilliard filed contemporaneously herewith.

WHEREFORE, Defendant, Appellee and Cross-appellant Judy's Moody LLC respectfully moves for the admission of Paige Elizabeth Gilliard, Esq. as a visiting attorney to work in association with the undersigned in this appeal.

Dated: March 19, 2024

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned certified that on March 19, 2024, I caused a copy of the foregoing MOTION FOR ADMISSION OF VISITING ATTORNEY *PRO HAC VICE* be served on counsel for the parties listed below, pursuant to Rule 10(b) of the Maine Rules of Appellate Procedure and Rule 5(b) of the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, via electronic mail, addressed as follows:

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A copy of the foregoing has been served upon the following *pro se* party via U.S. Mail, as follows:

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Dated: March <u>1</u> 2024

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STATE OF MAINE

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT SITTING as the Law Court Docket No. CUM-24-82

PETER AND KATHY MASUCCI, et al.,) AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF
Plaintiffs/Appellants,) MOTION FOR ADMISSION) PRO HAC VICE
V.) (Title to Real Estate Involved)
JUDY'S MOODY LLC, et al.,	
Defendants/Appellees.)

- I, Paige Elizabeth Gilliard of Virginia, hereby state under oath as follows:
- 1. I am an attorney residing in Alexandria, Virginia, and a member of the law firm of Pacific Legal Foundation. I am a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of California, and have been admitted to practice in the following courts as of the date indicated in parentheses:
 - California Supreme Court and all trial courts (2020)
 - United States District Court, Central District of California (2022)
 - United States Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit (2022)
 - United States Court of Appeals, Ninth Circuit (2022)
 - 2. I have not been suspended or disbarred in any court.
- 3. In the course of this representation of defendant, appellee, and cross-appellant Judy's Moody LLC, I will be associated with David P. Silk of the law

firm Curtis Thaxter LLC, One Canal Plaza, Suite 1000, P. O. Box 7320, Portland, Maine 04112-7320. Attorney Silk will serve as local counsel with authority to act as attorney of record for all purposes.

Dated: March 15, 2024

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March 15, 2024

Personally appeared before me, Paige Elizabeth Gilliard, who, after being duly sworn, made oath that the foregoing statements made by her on personal knowledge are true and correct and, where based on information and belief, he/she believes them to be true.

Notary Public/Attorney-At-Law

Commission Expires: 6/50

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The undersigned certified that on March 19, 2024, I caused a copy of the foregoing AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* be served on counsel for the parties listed below, pursuant to Rule 10(b) of the Maine Rules of Appellate Procedure and Rule 5(b) of the Maine Rules of Civil Procedure, via electronic mail, addressed as follows:

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