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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

Securities and Exchange Commission,

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

Matthew Wade Beasley, et al.,

Defendant(s).

Case # 2:22-cv-00612-JCM-EJY

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

FILING FEE IS \$250.00

John Giardino, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of
Pryor Cashman LLP

(firm name)

with offices at 7 Times Square,
(street address)

New York, New York, 10036,
(city) (state) (zip code)

212-326-0829, jgiardino@pryorcashman.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by
Christopher Madsen and ACAC LLC to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

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3. That since February 5, 1983, Petitioner has been and presently is a
 (date)
 member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of New York
 (state)
 where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or
 from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular
 possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying
 the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District
 Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts
 of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good
 standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
U.S. District Court for EDNY	April 3, 2020	n/a
U.S. District Court for NDNY	April 25, 1997	n/a
U.S. Second Circuit Court of Appeals	December 1, 2010	n/a

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner,
 nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory
 or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or
 disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

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6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

none

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

American Bar Association
Federal Bar Council

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
None			

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.


10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

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That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.


STATE OF New York)
COUNTY OF New York)



Petitioner's signature

 John Giardino , Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:


That the foregoing statements are true.



Petitioner's signature

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

 16th day of June , 2023 .



Notary Public or Clerk of Court

EMILY CARLINO
Notary Public, State of New York
Registration #01CA6273649
Qualified In ~~Nassau County~~ Nassau County
Commission Expires December 17, 2024

DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Jonathan D. Blum, Esq. , (name of local counsel) Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of said designated Nevada counsel is:

 1050 Indigo Drive, Suite 200B
(street address)


 Las Vegas , Nevada , 89145
(city) (state) (zip code)

 702-910-3329 , jblum@wileypetersenlaw.com
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.

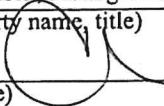
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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**

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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Jonathan D. Blum, Esq. as
8 his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.
(name of local counsel)

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(party's signature)

11 Christopher Madsen, Manager of ACAC LLC
12 (type or print party name, title)

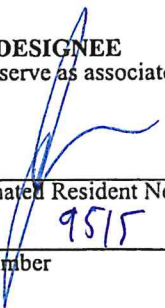
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15 Christopher Madsen
16 (type or print party name, title)

17 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

18 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

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Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

21 9515
22 Bar number

jblum@wiley-peterson-law.com
23 Email address

24 APPROVED:

25 Dated: this _____ day of _____, 20__.

26 _____
27 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE



*Appellate Division of the Supreme Court
of the State of New York
Fourth Judicial Department*

I, Ann Dillon Flynn, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Fourth Judicial Department, do hereby certify that

John J. Giardino

*was duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all the courts of this State on **February 15, 1983**, has duly taken and subscribed the oath of office prescribed by law, has been enrolled in the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors at Law on file in this office, is duly registered with the Administration Office of the Courts, and according to the records of this Court is currently in good standing as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.*

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand in the City of Rochester on December 19, 2022.



Ann Dillon Flynn

Clerk of the Court