

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA**

MIAMI DIVISION

CASE NO. 16-21224-CIV-MORENO

MASTER SGT. ANTHONY R. EDWARDS,
USAF, RETIRED; MASTER SGT. SALVATORE
CAPACCIO, USAF; GATOR CAPITAL
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CARMODY; MATT HILL; JOSEPH WASKE;
MARYAM MOINFAR; WAYNE OLSON; RICH
KIVELA; CHRIS WOSSILEK; and MATTHEW
REED,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

PRICEWATERHOUSECOOPERS, LLP,

Defendant.

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**MOTION TO APPEAR *PRO HAC VICE*,
CONSENT TO DESIGNATION, AND REQUEST TO
ELECTRONICALLY RECEIVE NOTICES OF ELECTRONIC FILING**

In accordance with Local Rules 4(b) of the Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorneys of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, the undersigned respectfully moves for the admission *pro hac vice* of Andrew C. Baak, of the law firm of BARTLIT BECK HERMAN PALENCHAR & SCOTT LLP, 1899 Wynkoop St., Suite

800, Denver, Colorado 80202, (303) 592-3100, for purposes of appearance as co-counsel on behalf of Defendant PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP in the above-styled case only, and pursuant to Rule 2B of the CM/ECF Administrative Procedures, to permit Andrew C. Baak, Esquire, to receive electronic filings in this case, and in support thereof states as follows:

1. Andrew C. Baak is not admitted to practice in the Southern District of Florida and is a member in good standing of the Bars of Illinois and Colorado and the following courts: U.S. Supreme Court; U.S. Court of Appeal, Ninth Circuit; U.S. Court of Appeal, Tenth Circuit; U.S. Court of Appeal, Federal Circuit; U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois; U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin; the Illinois Supreme Court and the Colorado Supreme Court.

2. Movant, Ramón A. Abadin, Esquire, of the law firm of Sedgwick, LLP, Two South Biscayne Boulevard, Suite 1500, Miami, Florida 33131, phone: 305-670-4777, is a member in good standing of The Florida Bar and the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida, maintains an office in this State for the practice of law, and is authorized to file through the Court's electronic filing system. Movant consents to be designated as a member of the Bar of this Court with whom the Court and opposing counsel may readily communicate regarding the conduct of the case, upon whom filings shall be served, who shall be required to electronically file all documents and things that may be filed electronically, and who shall be responsible for filing documents in compliance with the CM/ECF Administrative Procedures. *See* Section 2B of the CM/ECF Administrative Procedures.

3. In accordance with the local rules of this Court, Andrew C. Baak, Esquire, has made payment of this Court's \$75 admission fee. A certification in accordance with Rule 4(b) is attached hereto as **Exhibit A**.

4. Andrew C. Baak, Esquire, by and through designated counsel and pursuant to Section 2B CM/ECF Administrative Procedures, hereby requests the Court to provide Notice of Electronic Filings to Andrew C. Baak, Esquire at email address: andrew.baak@bartlit-beck.com.

WHEREFORE, Ramón A. Abadin, Esquire, moves this Court to enter an Order for Andrew C. Baak to appear before this Court on behalf of Defendant PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP for all purposes relating to the proceedings in the above-styled matter and directing the Clerk to provide notice of electronic filings to Andrew C. Baak, Esquire, at andrew.baak@bartlit-beck.com.

Date: July 12, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on July 12, 2016, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was filed electronically with the Clerk of the Court, by using the CM/ECF system, causing a true and correct copy to be served on all counsel of record.

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/s/Ramón A. Abadin
 Ramón A. Abadin

Exhibit A

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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The Honorable Federico A. Moreno


Case No.: 16-CV-21224-FAM

CERTIFICATION OF ANDREW C. BAAK, ESQUIRE

Andrew C. Baak, Esquire, pursuant to Rule 4(b) of the Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorneys, hereby certifies that (1) I have studied the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida; and (2) I am a member in good standing of the Bars of Illinois and Colorado and the following courts: U.S. Supreme Court; U.S. Court of Appeal, Ninth Circuit; U.S. Court of Appeal, Tenth Circuit; U.S. Court of Appeal, Federal Circuit; U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Illinois; U.S. District

Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin; the Illinois Supreme Court and the Colorado Supreme Court.

Dated: July 7, 2016

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "A C Baak", written over a horizontal line.

Andrew C. Baak

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**ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO APPEAR
PRO HAC VICE, CONSENT TO DESIGNATION AND REQUEST TO
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THIS CAUSE having come before the Court on the Motion to Appear *Pro Hac Vice* for Andrew C. Baak, Esquire, Consent to Designation, and Request to Electronically Receive Notice of Electronic Filing (the “Motion”), pursuant to the Special Rules Governing the Admission and Practice of Attorneys in the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida and

Section 2B of the CM/ECF Administrative Procedures. This Court having considered the motion and all other relevant factors, it is hereby

ORDERED AND ADJUDGED that:

The Motion is GRANTED. Andrew C. Baak, Esquire may appear and participate in this action on behalf of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP. The Clerk shall provide electronic notification of all electronic filings to Andrew C. Baak, Esquire, at andrew.baak@bartlit-beck.com.

DONE AND ORDERED in Chambers at Miami, Florida, this _____ day of July, 2016.

FEDERICO A. MORENO
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Copies furnished to: All Counsel of Record