

SUPREME COURT OF LOUISIANA

ORDER

Acting in accordance with Article V, Sections 1 and 5 of the 1974 Louisiana Constitution, and the inherent power of this Court, and considering the need to add as an appendix to Rule XVII a form application which attorneys may use to apply for *pro hac vice* admission in Louisiana,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED THAT:

Out-of-state attorneys who wish to appear *pro hac vice* in Louisiana shall include the information contained in the attached form application when they apply for *pro hac vice* admission to state courts or state agencies in Louisiana. The attached application shall be included as Part C of the Appendix to Louisiana Supreme Court Rule XVII.

This Order shall become effective on August 1, 2004, and shall remain in full force and effect thereafter, until amended or changed through future Order of this Court.

New Orleans, Louisiana, this _____ day of _____, 2004.

FOR THE COURT:

Pascal F. Calogero, Jr., Chief Justice

APPLICATION FOR *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSION IN LOUISIANA¹

1. Full name of Applicant: _____

2. Full name, address and telephone number of law firm in which the applicant practices:

3. Applicant's residence address and telephone number:

4. Name of case in which admission is sought: _____

5. Court or agency and docket number of case: _____

6. Name, address and phone number of each client sought be to represented:

¹ If the spaces are not sufficient to allow for complete responses, please append any additional responses to this Application.

7. Please list the courts before which you have been admitted to practice, the respective period(s) of admission and your bar roll or other identifying number before the courts

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

8. Please check the appropriate box indicating whether you:

(a) have been denied admission *pro hac vice* in this state
9 yes 9 no

(b) had admission *pro hac vice* revoked in this state
9 yes 9 no

(c) have otherwise formally been disciplined or sanctioned by any court in this state
9 yes 9 no

If you answered affirmatively to these questions, please specify:

The nature of the allegations: _____

The name of the authority bringing such proceedings: _____

The caption of the proceedings: _____

The date filed: _____

What findings were made: _____

What action was taken in connection with those proceedings: _____

9. Have you ever been publicly disciplined by any lawyer disciplinary committee, state or federal court, or lawyer disciplinary agency in any other jurisdiction?
9 yes 9 no

If you answered affirmatively, as to each such discipline, please provide the following:

A summary of the allegations against you: _____

The name of the state or federal authority bringing such proceedings: _____

The date the discipline was imposed: _____

The style of the proceedings: _____

The findings made and discipline imposed in connection with the proceedings: _____

(A copy of any public Order of lawyer discipline imposed against the applicant shall be appended to this Application)

10. Please state whether you have been held formally in contempt or otherwise sanctioned by any court in a written order in the last five (5) years.
9 yes 9 no

If you answered affirmatively, as to each occurrence, please provide the following:

The nature of the allegations: _____

The name of the court before which such proceedings were conducted: _____

The date of the contempt order or sanction: _____

The caption of the proceedings: _____

The substance of the court's rulings (a copy of the written order or transcript of the oral rulings shall be attached to this Application): _____

11. Please state whether you have been convicted of any crimes (other than minor, non-alcohol related traffic violations).
9 yes 9 no

If you answered affirmatively, as to each occasion, please provide the following:

The substance of the criminal charge(s) _____

The name of the court before which the proceeding was conducted: _____

The approximate date the proceeding was concluded: _____

The outcome of the proceeding: _____

(A copy of any such Judgment or Order of Conviction shall be appended to this Application.)

12. Are there any criminal charges (other than minor, non-alcohol related traffic violations) or lawyer disciplinary complaints or proceedings presently pending against you?
9 yes 9 no

If you answered affirmatively, as to each such pending criminal charge or lawyer disciplinary complaint or proceeding, please provide the following:

The name and address of the court or agency before which the criminal proceeding or lawyer disciplinary complaint or proceeding is pending: _____

The substance and nature of any criminal charge or lawyer disciplinary complaint or proceeding pending against you: _____

(A copy of any pending lawyer discipline complaint(s) or proceeding(s), or criminal charge(s), shall be appended to this Application.)

13. Please state the name and address of each court or agency and a full identification of each proceeding in which the applicant has moved a Louisiana Court or agency, and/or filed an application

to appear *pro hac vice*, or appeared *pro hac vice*, in this state within the preceding two years; the date of each application; and the outcome of the application.

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_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____

14. Please list the name, address, telephone number and bar number of an active member in good standing of the bar of this state who will sponsor your *pro hac vice* request. The bar member preferably will be the attorney of record for the client(s) you seek to represent.

_____	_____
Name	Bar number

Address	
_____	_____
	Telephone number

15. Please list your prior or continuing representation in other matters of one or more of the clients you propose to represent and any relationship between such other matter(s) and the proceeding for which you seek admission.

16. Please list any special experience, expertise, or other factor deemed to make it particularly desirable that you be permitted to represent the client(s) you propose to represent.

17. Please attach to this application a current certificate of good standing in the state(s) you are presently licensed to practice in.

VERIFICATION

Our signatures serve as verification that (1) the information contained in this application is true and correct, to the best of our information and belief; (2) the application fee required by Louisiana’s *pro hac vice* admission rule been remitted to the Louisiana Attorney Disciplinary Board (unless an exemption is applicable); (3) the out-of-state attorney is “temporarily present in this state” pursuant to R.S. 37:214; (4) in the event this application is approved, all documents requiring the signature of counsel for a party may not be signed solely by the out-of-state attorney, but also must bear the signature of the Louisiana associated counsel; (5) this application has been or will be served upon all parties and upon the Louisiana Attorney Disciplinary Board; and (6) we are familiar with the Louisiana Rules of Professional Conduct, the rules of discipline of the Louisiana Attorney Disciplinary Board, and the local rules and court procedures of the court or agency before which the applicant is seeking to practice.

Business Address and Phone Number
of Applicant

Business Address, Phone Number,
and Bar Roll Number of
Louisiana Associated Attorney

Full Name of Applicant

Signature of Applicant

Full Name of Louisiana
Associated Attorney

Signature of Louisiana
Associated Attorney