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Plaintiffs,	DOCKET NO. MON-C-000078-23
vs. MARLBORO TOWNSHIP BOARD OF EDUCATION and MARLBORO TOWNSHIP PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT,	MOTION FOR ADMISSION <i>PRO HAC</i> <i>VICE</i>
Defendants.	

I, Justin A. Meyers, an attorney in good standing of the State of New Jersey and authorized to practice in this state, hereby move the Superior Court of New Jersey, Monmouth County, Chancery Division – General Equity in accordance with <u>Rule</u> 1:21-2 to permit the appearance of Adam C. Shelton, a member of the bar of the State of Arizona, to appear *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter. An affidavit is attached and is relied upon in support of this motion.

I hereby certify that copies of this motion and the attached affidavit have been served upon all parties in the above-captioned matter.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 14th day of August, 2023 by:

<u>/s/ Justin A. Meyers</u> Justin A. Meyers (041522006) LAW OFFICES OF G. MARTIN MEYERS justin@gmeyerslaw.com

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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August 14, 2023

VIA JEDS

Hon. David F. Bauman, Ch. J. Superior Court, Chancery Division 71 Monument Street, Floor 2 Freehold, New Jersey 07728

Re: Matthew J. Platkin, Attorney General of the State of New Jersey, et al., v. Marlboro Township Board of Education, et al. Docket No. MON-C-0078-23

Dear Judge:

Please accept for filing the enclosed Motion to Intervene in the above referenced matter, along with the Intervenor's accompanying motions for admission *pro hac vice*.

The proposed Intervenor respectfully requests an opportunity to be heard at tomorrow's hearing, if such opportunity presents itself.

Respectfully submitted,

<u>/s/ Justin Meyers</u> Justin A. Meyers (041522006)

LAW OFFICES OF G. MARTIN MEYERS, P.C. *Attorneys for Plaintiff*

cc: Goldwater Institute

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Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY CHANCERY DIVISION, GENERAL EQUITY –MONMOUTH COUNTY

DOCKET NO. MON-C-000078-23

AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* I, Adam C. Shelton, duly sworn according to law, depose and say:

- I am an attorney in good standing admitted to practice in the Supreme Court of the State of Arizona and District of Columbia. My office address is 500 East Coronado Road, Phoenix, Arizona 85004; my office phone number is 602-462-5000. I am not admitted to practice in New Jersey.
- I am associated in this matter with New Jersey counsel of record, Justin Meyers, who is qualified to practice law in this state pursuant to N.J.R. Ct. 1:21-1. The address for New Jersey counsel is 35 West Main Street, Suite 106, Denville, New Jersey 07834; the phone number is 973-625-0838.
- 3. Proposed Intervenor, Angela Tycenski, has requested my representation in this matter.
- I am not now the subject of any pending disciplinary proceedings in any jurisdiction nor have I been previously in any jurisdiction.
- 5. There is good cause for my admission *pro hac vice* in that this case involves a complex field of constitutional law. I have experience in litigating the area of constitutional law that this lawsuit involves.
- I will pay to the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection and Ethics Financial Committee the fees required by N.J.R. Ct. 1:28-2 and 1:20-1(b) within ten (10) days of the Court's granting of the Motion for Admission.
- 7. If this application to appear pro hac vice is granted, I agree to:
 - a. Abide by all applicable New Jersey court rules, including all disciplinary rules;
 - b. Consent to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against me or my firm that may arise out of my participation in this matter;

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- c. Notify the Court immediately of any matter affecting my standing at the bar of any court; and
- d. Have all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed with the Court signed by the attorney

of record. Adam C. Shelton, Esq.

8/14/73 Date

State of Arizona County of Maricopa

Subscribed and sworn before me this 14^{th} day of <u>August</u>, 2023 by Adam C. Shelton.



Notary Public

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This matter being opened to the court by Justin Meyers, a New Jersey attorney and the attorney of record for Proposed Intervenor Angela Tycenski to permit Adam C. Shelton, an attorney admitted to the practice of law in the State of Arizona, to participate with other counsel for Proposed Intervenor in all phases of the trial, and it appearing that Adam C. Shelton is a licensed attorney in good standing in the State of Arizona and District of Columbia and it appearing that this case involves a complex field of constitutional law in which Adam C. Shelton is a specialist:

It is on this ______ day of ______, 20___, ORDERED that Adam C. Shelton be and hereby is admitted *pro hac vice* and is authorized to appear and participate with other counsel for Proposed Intervenor in all phases of the trial, subject to the following conditions:

- Adam C. Shelton shall abide by the *New Jersey Court Rules* including all disciplinary rules, <u>Rule</u> 1:20-1 and <u>Rule</u> 1:28-2.
- Adam C. Shelton shall, and hereby does, consent to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as his agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against Adam C. Shelton that may arise out of his participation in the matter.
- 3. Adam C. Shelton shall immediately notify the court of any matter affecting his standing at the Bar of any other jurisdiction.
- 4. Adam C. Shelton shall have all pleadings, briefs and other papers filed with the court signed by an attorney of record authorized to practice in New Jersey, who shall be held responsible for them, the conduct of the litigation and the attorney admitted herein.
- 5. Adam C. Shelton cannot be designated as trial counsel.
- 6. No discovery, motion, trial or any other proceeding delay shall occur or be requested by reason of the inability of Adam C. Shelton to be in attendance.

- Adam C. Shelton must, within ten (10) days, pay the fees required by <u>Rule</u> 1:20-1(b) and <u>Rule</u> 1:28-2 and submit an affidavit of compliance.
- 8. *Pro hac vice* admission will automatically terminate for failure to make the initial and any annual payment required by <u>Rule</u> 1:20-1(b) and <u>Rule</u> 1:28-2.
- 9. Non-compliance with any of the terms of this order shall constitute ground for removal.
- 10. A copy of this order shall be served on all parties within seven (7) days of the date hereof.

Judge of the New Jersey Superior Court