

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF OHIO

STATE OF OHIO,	:
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APPELLEE,	:
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	: CASE No. 2015-0677
	:
v.	: ON APPEAL FROM THE MONTGOMERY
	: COUNTY COURT OF APPEALS, SECOND
	: APPELLATE DISTRICT
MATTHEW AALIM	:
	: C.A. CASE No. 26249
	:
APPELLANT.	:

MOTION OF ATTORNEY NADIA N. SEERATAN FOR PERMISSION TO APPEAR

PRO HAC VICE

Pursuant to Gov. Bar R. XII and S.Ct.Prac.R. 2.02, Nadia N. Seeratan, attorney for the National Juvenile Defender Center, hereby moves the Supreme Court of the State of Ohio to grant her permission to appear *pro hac vice* and participate as *amicus curiae* in support of Appellant Matthew Aalim.

Movant represents that the following is a list of jurisdictions in which she has ever been licensed to practice law, including dates of admission to practice, resignation, or retirement, and any attorney registration numbers:

- State of New York (409 9354, Admitted Jan. 23, 2003),
- State of New Jersey and U.S. District Court of New Jersey (2008 00354, Admitted June 11, 2008).

Movant represents that she has never been disbarred and is not currently under suspension nor has ever resigned with discipline pending in any jurisdiction she has ever been admitted. *See* attached Gov. Bar. R. XII(2)(A)(6) affidavit representing the same.

Movant represents that she has not been granted permission to appear *pro hac vice* in more than three proceedings before Ohio tribunals in the current calendar year pursuant to Gov. Bar R. XII(2)(A)(5).

Jeffrey M. Gamso, Ohio Bar No. 0043869, an active attorney in good standing, has agreed to associate with Movant on this case.

The affidavit required by Gov. Bar R. XII(2)(A)(6), a copy of Movant's certificate of *pro hac vice* registration furnished by the Supreme Court of Ohio Office of Attorney Services, and a certificate indicating service of this Motion on all known parties and attorneys of record are attached. Movant understands that if this Motion is granted, Movant must file a Notice of Permission to Appear *Pro Hac Vice* and a copy of the order granting permission with the Supreme Court of Ohio Office of Attorney Services within thirty days of the Order.

Respectfully,

/s/ Nadia N. Seeratan
Nadia N. Seeratan
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Dated: January 11, 2016

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 11th day of January, 2016, I caused copies of the foregoing document to be sent via U.S. Mail to:

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THE SUPREME COURT *of* OHIO

OFFICE OF ATTORNEY SERVICES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

Nadia Seeratan

FOR PRO HAC VICE REGISTRATION

per Gov. Bar R. XII, Section 2(A)(3)

Nadia Seeratan

Certificate of
PRO HAC VICE
REGISTRATION

2016

Registration Number:
PHV- 1749-2016

_____, having met the requirements of, and found to be in full compliance with, Section 2(A)(3) of Rule XII of the Rules for the Government of the Bar of Ohio, is hereby issued this certificate of pro hac vice registration in the state of Ohio.

To receive permission to appear pro hac vice in an Ohio proceeding, a motion requesting such permission must be filed with the tribunal in accordance with Section 2(A)(6) of Rule XII of the Rules for the Government of the Bar of Ohio.



Susan B. Christoff
Director, Attorney Services

Expires December 31, 2016

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF

Nadia Natasha Seeratan (1749-2016)

AFFIDAVIT OF APPLICANT
Gov. Bar R. XII, Section 2(A)(3)

FOR PRO HAC VICE REGISTRATION

Nadia Natasha Seeratan, being first duly cautioned, swears or affirms as follows:

- a. I have never been disbarred from the practice of law.
- b. I have been admitted to the practice of law in the following jurisdictions (attach additional page if necessary):

New York

New Jersey

- c. Choose one:

- I am not currently suspended from the practice of law in any jurisdiction where I have been admitted to practice.
- I am currently suspended from the practice of law in the following jurisdictions:

- d. Choose one:

- I have not resigned from the practice of law with discipline pending in any jurisdiction where I have been admitted to practice.
- I have resigned from the practice of law with discipline pending in the following jurisdiction(s):



[Signature]
SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT

Sworn to or affirmed before me and subscribed in my presence the 8th day of January, 2016, in the state of City Washington, D.C. and county of [Signature].

[Signature]
SIGNATURE OF NOTARY PUBLIC

*Notary public's stamp/seal and commission expiration date are required.

District of Columbia, Notary Public
My Commission Expires
November 14, 2016