



United States District Court
Eastern District of California

O. Z. MARTIN

Plaintiff(s)

Case Number: 2:20-cv-1536-WBS-CKD P

V.

DR. PETRAS, DR. OTA, DR. LIU, MERCK & CO, INC. and MERCK SHARP & DOHME CORP.

Defendant(s)

APPLICATION FOR PRO HAC VICE
AND PROPOSED ORDER

Pursuant to Local Rule 180(b)(2) of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of California,
W. MCDONALD PLOSSER hereby applies for permission to appear and participate as
counsel in the above entitled action on behalf of the following party or parties:
MERCK & CO., INC. and MERCK SHARP & DOHME CORP.

On _____ (date), I was admitted to practice and presently in good standing in the
See Exhibit A (court). A certificate of good standing from that court is
submitted in conjunction with this application. I have not been disbarred or formally censured by a court of
record or by a state bar association; and there are not disciplinary proceedings against me.

I have I have not concurrently or within the year preceding this application made a pro hac vice
application to this court. (If you have made a pro hac vice application to this court within the last year, list
the name and case number of each matter in which an application was made, the date of application and
whether granted or denied.)

Date: 07/16/2021

Signature of Applicant: /s/ W. MCDONALD PLOSSER

Pro Hac Vice Attorney

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I hereby designate the following member of the Bar of this Court who is registered for ECF with whom the Court and opposing counsel may readily communicate regarding the conduct of the case and upon whom electronic notice shall also be served via the Court's ECF system:

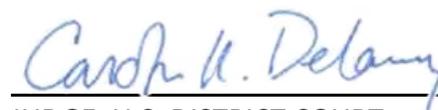
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ORDER

The Pro Hac Vice Application is APPROVED. The Pro Hac Vice Attorney is DIRECTED to request filing access through PACER.

Dated: July 19, 2021



JUDGE, U.S. DISTRICT COURT

EXHIBIT A

Supreme Court of Tennessee
Certificate of Good Standing

I, James M. Hivner, Clerk of the Supreme Court of the State of Tennessee, do hereby certify that

William McDonald Plosser

is a licensed and practicing attorney of the Courts of this State, having been admitted to practice on November 13, 2014, and is presently in good standing. The Supreme Court is the Court of last resort in Tennessee.

In testimony whereof, I have set my hand and affixed the seal of the Court on this the 5th day of November, 2020.

James M. Hivner
Clerk of the Supreme Court of Tennessee

By: 

Adam F. Bennett, D.C.

EXHIBIT TO APPLICATION FOR ADMITTANCE PRO HAC VICE

W. MCDONALD PLOSSER ADMITTANCES

- Tennessee – 11/13/2014
- U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit – 11/2020
- U.S. District Court for the Western District of Tennessee – 2015