

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ROBERT PAYNE and STEVE)
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) Plaintiff)
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) vs.)
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) MENU FOODS, INC., et al.)
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) Defendant)

Case No. 07cv0705 JAH (CAB)
PRO HAC VICE APPLICATION
Menu Foods, Inc.
Party Represented

I, Edward B. Ruff, III hereby petition the above entitled court to permit
(Applicant)
me to appear and participate in this case and in support of petition state:

My residence address 5814 Giddings, Hinsdale, IL 60521
and phone number are: (630) 789-6627
My firm name is: Pretzel & Stouffer, Chartered
My office address and phone number are: One South Wacker Drive, Suite 2500, Chicago ILL 60606
(312) 578-7507

That on SEE ATTACHED LIST (Attachment A) I was admitted to practice before
SEE ATTACHED LIST (Attachment A); and am currently in good standing and eligible to practice
(Name of Court)
in said court:

That I am not currently suspended or disbarred in any other court:

That I (have) (have not) concurrently or within the year preceding this application made any pro have vice
application to this court.

(If previous application made, complete the following)

Title of case _____
Case number _____ Date of application _____
Application _____ granted _____ denied

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MAY 15 2007
CLERK U.S. DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
BY _____ DEPUTY

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

PRETZEL & STOFFER, Chartered
Edward B. Ruff, III
(Signature of Applicant)
EDWARD B. RUFF, III

DESIGNATION OF LOCAL COUNSEL

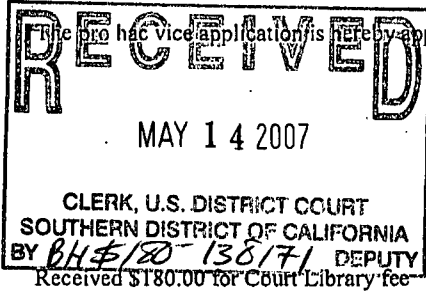
I hereby designate the below named as associate local counsel.

SUSAN M. HACK
HIGGS, FLETCHER & MACK LLP (619) 236-1551
(Name) (Telephone)
401 WEST A STREET, SUITE 2600, SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA 92101
(Street) (City) (Zip code)

Edward B. Ruff, III
Signature of Applicant
EDWARD B. RUFF, III

I hereby consent to the above designation.

Signature of Designee Attorney
SUSAN M. HACK



The pro hac vice application is hereby approved for filing.

W. Samuel Hamrick, Jr.
Clerk of Court

By Deputy Clerk **J. HATHAWAY**

Deputy Clerk

Pro Hac Vice (For this one particular occasion)

An attorney who is not a member of the California State Bar, but who is a member in good standing of, and eligible to practice before, the bar of any United States Court or of the highest court of any State or of any Territory or Insular possession of the United States, who is of good moral character, and who has been retained to appear in this Court, be permitted to appear and participate in a particular case. An attorney is not eligible to practice pursuant to this paragraph if any one or more of the following apply to him/her: (1) he/she resides in California, (2) he/she is regularly employed in California, or (3) he/she is regularly engaged in business, professional, or other activities in California.

The pro hac vice application shall be presented to the Clerk and shall state under penalty of perjury (1) the attorney's residence and office address, (2) by what court he/she has been admitted to practice and the date of admission, (3) that he/she is in good standing and eligible to practice in said court, (4) the he/she is not currently suspended or disbarred in any other court, and (5) if he/she has concurrently or within the year preceding his/her current application made any pro hac vice application to this court, the title and the case number of each matter wherein he made application, the date of application, and whether or not his/her application was granted. He/She shall also designate in his application a member of the bar of this Court with whom the Court and opposing counsel may readily communicate regarding the conduct of the case and upon whom papers shall be served. He/She shall file with such application the address, telephone number, and written consent of such designee.

Fee: \$180.00, payable to Clerk, U.S. District Court

Application and fee should be mailed directly to:

W. Samuel Hamrick, Jr., Clerk
United States District Court
Southern District of California
880 Front Street Suite 4290
San Diego, California 92101-8900

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ATTACHMENT A to Pro Hac Vice Application

Date of Admission and name of court admitted to:

11/1981	U.S. District Court, Northern District of Illinois
11/1981	U.S. Court of Appeals for the 7 th Circuit
4/1988	U.S. District Court, Eastern District of Wisconsin
11/1999	U.S. Court of Appeals for the 4 th Circuit
8/2003	U.S. District Court, Central District of Illinois
12/2003	U.S. District Court, Northern District of Indiana
1/2004	U.S. District Court, Southern District of Indiana
8/2004	U.S. Supreme Court of the United States
10/2006	U.S. District Court for the District of Colorado