

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

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AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR TESTING AND	)	
MATERIALS d/b/a ASTM	)	
INTERNATIONAL, et al.	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	Civil Action No. 1:13-cv-01215-TSC-DAR
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v.	)	
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PUBLIC.RESOURCE.ORG, INC.,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	
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**PLAINTIFF THE AMERICAN SOCIETY OF HEATING, REFRIGERATING,  
AND AIR-CONDITIONING ENGINEERS, INC.'S MOTION FOR ADMISSION  
PRO HAC VICE OF KATHERINE E. MERK**

Pursuant to LCvR 83.2(d), JEFFREY S. BUCHOLTZ, counsel for Plaintiff the American Society of Heating, Refrigerating, and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc. (“ASHRAE”) in this matter, and a member in good standing of the bar of this Court, respectfully moves for admission of Katherine E. Merk *pro hac vice* as counsel for Plaintiff. Ms. Merk’s declaration in support of his admission is attached as Exhibit 1.

1. Ms. Merk acknowledges the power and jurisdiction of the United States District Court for the District of Columbia over his professional conduct, and agrees to be bound by the District of Columbia Court of Appeals’ Rules of Professional Conduct, if she is admitted *pro hac vice*. Ms. Merk has not been admitted *pro hac vice* to this court within the last two years and has not been disciplined by any bar.

2. Ms. Merk is a member in good standing of the bar of the State of California.

3. Opposing counsel has received notice of this motion and they consent to its filing.

4. In accordance with LCvR 7(c), a proposed order is attached hereto.

WHEREFORE, JEFFREY S. BUCHOLTZ, counsel for the Plaintiff ASHRAE, respectfully requests that this Court admit Katherine E. Merk *pro hac vice* for the purposes of appearing as counsel for Plaintiff ASHRAE in this case.

Dated: July 21, 2015

/s/ Jeffrey S. Bucholtz

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

In accordance with LCvR 5.3, I certify that on July 21, 2015, I caused a true and correct copy of the Motion for the Admission *pro hac vice* of Katherine E. Merk to be served on all counsel of record through the Courts CM/ECF system.

/s/ Jeffrey S. Bucholtz  
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