## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

NATIONAL VETERANS LEGAL SERVICES PROGRAM, NATIONAL CONSUMER LAW CENTER, and ALLIANCE FOR JUSTICE, for themselves and all others similarly situated, Plaintiffs,

Case No. 16-745-ESH

 $\mathbf{v}$ .

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Defendant.

#### MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE OF JONATHAN E. TAYLOR

Deepak Gupta (counsel for the plaintiffs in this case and an attorney licensed to practice in this Court) hereby moves this Court under Local Civil Rule 83.2(d) to admit Jonathan E. Taylor, a member of good standing of the bars of the District of Columbia and the State of New York, to appear and participate *pro hac vice* before this Court in this case. This motion is based on the attached declaration of Jonathan E. Taylor. As required by Local Civil Rule 7(m), we conferred with opposing counsel regarding this non-dispositive motion on March 21, 2018. The motion is unopposed.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on March 21, 2018, I electronically filed the foregoing motion through this Court's CM/ECF system. I understand that notice of this filing will be sent to all parties by operation of the Court's electronic filing system.

<u>/s/ Deepak Gupta</u> Deepak Gupta

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## DECLARATION OF JONATHAN E. TAYLOR IN SUPPORT OF MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

I, Jonathan E. Taylor, declare as follows:

- 1. My full name is Jonathan Ellis Taylor, and I am an attorney at the law firm Gupta Wessler PLLC. I make this declaration in support of my motion to appear *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter as counsel for the plaintiffs National Veterans Legal Services Program, National Consumer Law Center, and Alliance for Justice.
- 2. My office address is Gupta Wessler PLLC, 1900 L Street, NW, Suite 312, Washington, D.C. 20036. My telephone number is 202-888-1741.
- 3. I am a member of the bars of the District of Columbia and the State of New York. I am also admitted to practice in the Southern District of New York, the Supreme Court of the United States, the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit, and the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit.

4. I am a member in good standing and eligible to practice in each jurisdiction and court to which I have been admitted. I have never been disciplined by any bar.

- 5. I have not been admitted *pro hac vice* in another matter before this Court within the last two years.
  - 6. I am familiar with the Local Rules of this Court.

I declare under penalty of perjury, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. 1746, that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed: March 21, 2018

Jonathan E. Taylor

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# [PROPOSED] ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR ADMISSION $PRO\ HAC\ VICE$ OF JONATHAN E. TAYLOR

IT IS ORDERED that Jonathan E. Taylor is admitted to practice pro hac vice in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in the above-captioned matter.

Dated:

Ellen S. Huvelle
United States District Judge