

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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SHEPARD FAIREY and OBEY GIANT ART,
INC.,

Plaintiffs,

-against-

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS,

Defendant.

Case No.: 09 CV 1123

MOTION TO ADMIT COUNSEL
PRO HAC VICE

PURSUANT TO RULE 1.3(c) of the Local Rules of the United States District Courts for the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, I, Julie A. Ahrens, a member in good standing of the bar of this Court, hereby move for an Order allowing the admission pro hac vice of

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Joseph C. Gratz is a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of California. There are no pending disciplinary proceeding against Joseph C. Gratz in any State or Federal court.

Dated: Stanford, California
March 2, 2009

Respectfully submitted,

Julie A. Ahrens

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AFFIDAVIT OF JULIE A.
AHRENS IN SUPPORT OF
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State of New York)
) ss:
County of New York)

Julie A. Ahrens, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says as follows:

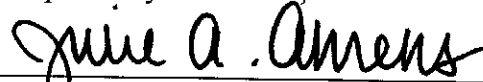
1. I am the Associate Director of the Fair Use Project at Stanford Law School, counsel for Plaintiffs in the above captioned action. I am familiar with the proceedings in this case. I make this statement based on my personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and in support of Plaintiffs' motion to admit Joseph C. Gratz as counsel pro hac vice to represent Plaintiffs in this matter.
2. I am a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of New York, and was admitted to practice law in October 2003. I am also admitted to the bar of the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, and am in good standing with this Court.
3. I have known Joseph C. Gratz since September 2008.
4. Joseph C. Gratz is an Associate at Durie, Tangri, Lemley, Roberts & Kent LLP in San Francisco, California.
5. I have found Mr. Gratz to be a skilled attorney and a person of integrity. He is experienced in Federal practices and is familiar with the Federal Rules of Procedure.
6. Accordingly, I am pleased to move the admission of Joseph C. Gratz, pro hac vice.
7. I respectfully submit a proposed order granting the admission of Joseph C. Gratz, pro hac vice, which is attached hereto as Exhibit A.

8. Joseph C. Gratz is a member in good standing of the State Bar of California. A copy of his certificate of good standing is attached at Exhibit B.

WHEREFORE it is respectfully requested that the motion to admit Joseph C. Gratz, pro hac vice, to represent Plaintiffs in the above captioned matter, be granted.

Dated: Stanford, California
March 2, 2009

Respectfully submitted,



Julie A. Ahrens (JA0372)

Jurat

State of California

County of Santa Clara

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 2nd day of March, 2009 by Julie A. Ahrens

proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

J. Gielniak
Signature

(Notary seal)



OPTIONAL INFORMATION

DESCRIPTION OF THE ATTACHED DOCUMENT

Affidavit of Julie Ahrens
(Title or description of attached document)

in Support of Motion to Admit
(Title or description of attached document continued)

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**PROPOSED ORDER FOR
ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE ON
WRITTEN MOTION**

Upon the motion of Julie A. Ahrens, attorney for Plaintiffs, Shepard Fairey and Obey Giant Art, Inc., and said sponsor attorney's affidavit in support;

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that

Joseph C. Gratz
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is admitted to practice pro hac vice as counsel for Plaintiffs, Shepard Fairey and Obey Giant Art, Inc., in the captioned case in the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York. All attorneys appearing before this Court are subject to the Local Rules of this Court, including the Rules governing discipline of attorneys. If this action is assigned to the Electronic Case Filing (ECF) system, counsel shall immediately apply for an ECF password at nysd.uscourts.gov. Counsel shall forward the pro hac vice fee to the Clerk of the Court.

Dated: New York, New York
_____, 2009

United States District/Magistrate Judge