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March 5, 2025

The Honorable Patricia A. Howard
Clerk of Court, Supreme Court of South Carolina
1231 Gervais Street
Columbia, S.C. 29201

RE: League of Women Voters of South Carolina v. Thomas Alexander, et al.

Case No.: 2024-001227

Dear Ms. Howard:

I certify that the Office of Bar Admissions has received a verified application requesting Michael C. Li be admitted *pro hac vice* in the above matter. The \$250 filing fee for the applicant has been paid.

Sincerely,

M.J. Thames
Bar Admissions Coordinator

cc: Michael C. Li
Joshua Snow Kendrick

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**VERIFIED APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE
IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

S.C. SUPREME COURT

Please type your answers in the space provided. Provide an answer for every question asked. In your own handwriting, sign in all spaces where a signature is required (no e-signatures). The accompanying certificate of good standing should not be older than 90 days at the time of the filing of this application.

<u>League of Women Voters of South Carolina</u> Plaintiff	<u>2024-001227</u> Case No.	<u>Supreme Court of South Carolina</u> Tribunal
vs.	Mailing Address of Tribunal:	<u>1231 Gervais Street</u> <u>Columbia, South Carolina 29201</u>
<u>Thomas Alexander, et al.</u> Defendant		

Comes now Michael C. Li, applicant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

1. Applicant resides at:
52A Lefferts Place #2
Street Address
Brooklyn Kings New York 11238
City County State Zip Code
646-292-8360
Telephone

2. Applicant is an attorney and a member of the law firm of (or practices law under the name of) Brennan Center for Justice at New York University School of Law, with offices at 120 Broadway, Suite 1750
Street Address
New York New York New York 10271
City County State Zip Code
646-292-8310 n/a 212-463-7308 lim@brennan.law.nyu.edu
Primary Telephone Cell Phone Fax Number Email Address

3. Applicant has been retained personally or as a member of the above-named law firm by the Brennan Center and Prof. Robert Williams to provide legal representation in connection with the above case now pending before the above-named tribunal of the State of South Carolina.

4. Since November of 1992, Applicant has been, and presently is, a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the District of Columbia or the State of Texas where Applicant regularly practices law. Attached is a certificate of good standing dated within the last 90 days from the bar of the highest court of the District of Columbia or the State where applicant regularly practices law. It is not necessary to provide a certificate of good standing from all courts before which you are admitted.

5. List all courts before which Applicant has been admitted to practice law, including United States District Courts; United States Circuit Courts of Appeals; the Supreme Court of the United States; and state courts or the District of Columbia.

Court:	Date Admitted:
Supreme Court of Texas	November 6, 1992
Supreme Court of the United States	March 2, 2015
United States District Court for the Northern District of Texas	December 1992

Is Applicant presently a member in good standing of the bars of those courts listed above? List any court named in the preceding paragraph that applicant is no longer admitted to practice before.

Yes; none

6. Is Applicant presently subject to any suspension or disbarment proceedings, or has Applicant been formally notified of any complaints pending before a disciplinary agency? If yes, give particulars, e.g., jurisdiction, court date.

No

7. Has Applicant had any application for admission *pro hac vice* in this or any other jurisdiction denied or any *pro hac vice* admission revoked? If yes give particulars, e.g., date, court, docket number, judge, circumstances; attach a copy of any order of denial or revocation.

No

8. Has Applicant had any certificate or privilege to appear and practice before any court or administrative body suspended or revoked? If yes, give particulars, e.g., date, court, administrative body, date of suspension and reinstatement.

No

9. Please be aware that local counsel must be Rule 403 certified. Local counsel of record associated with Applicant in this case is Joshua Snow Kendrick of the Kenrick & Leonard

law firm, which has offices at:

7 Mills Avenue
 Street Address
Greenville
 City Greenville South Carolina 29605
 County State Zip Code
864-760-4000 Josh@KenrickLeonard.com
 Primary Telephone Cell Phone Fax Number Email Address

70453

South Carolina Bar Number
(You must provide Bar Number)

10. Has Applicant previously filed an application to appear *pro hac vice* in South Carolina cases? If yes, give case name and status of litigation, date of application, local counsel of record in each case, and state whether application is pending or was granted.

No

11. Does Applicant agree to comply with the applicable statutes, laws and rules of the State of South Carolina and familiarize him/herself with and comply with the South Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct? Does Applicant consent to the jurisdiction of the South Carolina courts and Commission on Lawyer Conduct.

Yes

12. Applicant respectfully requests to be admitted to practice in the above-named tribunal for this case only.

DATED this 13th day of February, 20 25


APPLICANT

VERIFICATION

STATE OF New York)

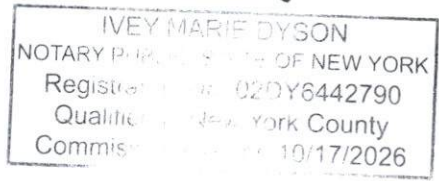
COUNTY OF New York)

I, Michael C. Li, do hereby swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I am the applicant in the above-styled matter; that I have read the foregoing application and know the contents thereof; and that the contents are true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe them to be true. I understand that I am under a continuing duty to promptly update the information provided in the application until the tribunal has ruled on the motion for admission pro hac vice. Further, if the motion is granted, I understand that I am under a continuing duty to promptly update the information provided in the application as long as I continue to appear pro hac vice in the action or proceeding. Any updated information shall be provided to both the tribunal that granted the motion and to the tribunal in which the action or proceeding may then be pending.

Michael C. Li
APPLICANT/AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 20th day of February, 20 25

[Signature]
(Notary Signature)



Notary Public for the State of New York
My Commission Expires: 10/17/26

LOCAL COUNSEL CONSENT

I hereby consent, as local counsel of record, to the association of applicant in this cause pursuant to Rules Governing Admission *Pro Hac Vice* to the South Carolina Bar.

DATED this 18th day of February, 2025

[Signature]
LOCAL COUNSEL OF RECORD

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served a copy of this application upon the South Carolina Supreme Court by mail addressed to: South Carolina Supreme Court Office of Bar Admissions, PO Box 11330, Columbia, SC 29211, accompanied by payment of the \$250 filing fee payable to the South Carolina Supreme Court on this

20 day of February, 20 25
[Signature]

The Supreme Court of Texas

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I, **BLAKE HAWTHORNE**, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Texas, certify that the records of this office show that

Michael C. Li

was duly admitted and licensed as an attorney and counselor at law by the Supreme Court of Texas on the 6th day of November, 1992.

I further certify that the records of this office show that, as of this date

Michael C. Li

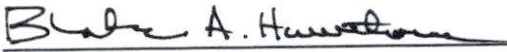
is presently enrolled with the State Bar of Texas as an active member in good standing.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF witness my signature



and the seal of the Supreme Court of Texas at the City of Austin, this, the 12th day of February, 2025.

BLAKE HAWTHORNE, Clerk


Clerk, Supreme Court of Texas

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