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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 Douglas Keith 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: Douglas Keith
Joshua Snow Kendrick

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

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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>	<u>2024-001227</u>	<u>Supreme Court of South Carolina</u>
Plaintiff	Case No.	Tribunal
vs.	Mailing Address of Tribunal:	1231 Gervais Street Columbia, SC 29201
<u>Thomas Alexander, in his official capacity as President of the South Carolina Senate, Murrel Smith, in his official capacity as Speaker of the South Carolina House of Representatives, Howard Knapp, in his official capacity as Director of the South Carolina Election Commission, and Henry McMaster, in his official capacity as Governor of the State of South Carolina</u>		
Defendant		

Comes now Douglas Keith, applicant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

1. Applicant resides at:

40 Tehama Street, Apt 1C

Street Address	<u>Brooklyn</u>	<u>Kings</u>	<u>New York</u>	<u>11218</u>
City	County	State	Zip Code	
<u>646-292-8310</u>				
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 NYU School of Law, with offices at 120 Broadway, Suite 1750

Street Address	<u>New York</u>	<u>New York</u>	<u>New York</u>	<u>10271</u>
City	County	State	Zip Code	
<u>646-292-8310</u>		<u>212-463-7308</u>	<u>keithd@brennan.law.nyu.edu</u>	
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

Brennan Center for Justice at NYU School of Law 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 March of 2016, 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 New York 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:
Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department	03/16/2016
First Circuit Court of Appeals	01/14/2020

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.

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.

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.

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.

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 Kendrick & Leonard, P.C.

law firm, which has offices at:

VERIFICATION

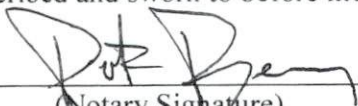
STATE OF New York)

COUNTY OF New York)

I, DOUGLAS KEITH, 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.


APPLICANT/AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of FEBRUARY, 20 25


(Notary Signature)

PATRICK BERRY
NOTARY PUBLIC, STATE OF NEW YORK
Registration No. 02BE6417359
Qualified in Kings County
Commission Expires May 10, 2025

Notary Public for the State of NEW YORK

My Commission Expires: MAY 10, 2025

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.

DATE this 18th day of February, 2025


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



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*Appellate Division of the Supreme Court
of the State of New York
Second Judicial Department*

I, Darrell M. Joseph, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department, do hereby certify that

Douglas Edward Keith

*was duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all the courts of this State on **March 16, 2016**, has duly taken and subscribed the oath of office prescribed by law, has been enrolled in the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors at Law on file in this office, is duly registered with the Office of Court Administration, and according to the records of this Court is currently in good standing as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.*

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand in the City of Brooklyn on February 13, 2025.



Darrell M. Joseph

Clerk of the Court



HECTOR D. LASALLE
PRESIDING JUSTICE

DARRELL M. JOSEPH
CLERK OF THE COURT

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To Whom It May Concern

An attorney admitted to practice by this Court may request a certificate of good standing, which is the only official document this Court issues certifying to an attorney's admission and good standing.

An attorney's registration status, date of admission and disciplinary history may be viewed through the attorney search feature on [the website of the Unified Court System](#).

New York State does not register attorneys as active or inactive.

An attorney may request a disciplinary history letter from the [Attorney Grievance Committee of the Second Judicial Department](#).

Bar examination history is available from the [New York State Board of Law Examiners](#).

Instructions, forms and links are available on [this Court's website](#).

Darrell M. Joseph
Clerk of the Court