

IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA
In the Supreme Court

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APPEAL FROM Horry County
Court of Common Pleas
Steven H. John, Circuit Court Judge

Case No. 2017-CP-07411
(Appellate Case No. 2020-000092)

Jimmy A. Richardson, II, Solicitor for the 15th Judicial Circuit,
Enforcement on Behalf of the 15th Judicial Circuit Drug Enforcement Unit.....Appellant,

v.

Twenty Thousand Seven Hundred Seventy-One and 00/100 Dollars
(\$20,771.00), U.S. Currency and Travis Green.....Respondents.

MOTION FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION OF OLGA AKSELROD

Pursuant to Rule 404 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, the American Civil Liberties Union Foundation, American Civil Liberties Union of South Carolina Foundation, National Federation of Independent Business, the South Carolina Appleseed Legal Justice Center; South Carolina for Criminal Justice Reform; Root & Rebound; and Project Not A Statistic, who have filed an amici curiae brief in support of Respondents, move for the *pro hac vice* admission of Olga Akselrod to represent them in this matter.

A *pro hac vice* application with the required fee and certificate of good standing have been submitted to the Office of Bar Admissions by Ms. Akselrod. A copy of the application and certificate of good standing are attached to this motion.

The undersigned members of the South Carolina Bar shall remain counsel of record for the moving amici and shall comply with all obligations of Rule 404 (i). The undersigned have mailed a filing fee in the amount of \$50.00.

Counsel for the Appellant and the Respondents have been consulted. They do not oppose this motion.

Date: December 2, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Susan K. Dunn

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

Jimmy A. Richardson, III	2020-000092	Supreme Court
Plaintiff	Case No.	Tribunal
vs.		
Travis Green	Mailing Address of Tribunal:	1231 Gervais St.
Defendant		Columbia, SC 29201

Comes now Olga Akseleod, applicant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

1. Applicant resides at:

98 Ryerson Street #1
Street Address

Brooklyn	Kings	NY	11205
City	County	State	Zip Code
646-369-6782			
Telephone			

2. Applicant is an attorney and a member of the law firm of (or practices law under the name of) American Civil Liberties Union, with offices at 125 Broad Street, 18th Floor

New York	New York	NY	10004
City	County	State	Zip Code
212-549-2663	646-369-6782	212-549-2654	OAkseleod@aclu.org
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 American Civil Liberties Union Foundation 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 June of 2003, 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.

5. Applicant has been admitted to practice before the following courts: (List all of the following courts applicant has been admitted to practice before: United States District Courts; United States Circuit Courts of Appeals; the Supreme Court of the United States; and courts of other states or the District of Columbia.)

Court:	Date Admitted:
U.S. District Court, District of South Carolina (Pro Hac Vice)	1/31/2020
U.S. District Court, District of Arizona (Pro Hac Vice)	6/18/2020
U.S. District Court, Southern District of NY	2003

Court:	Date Admitted:
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of NY	2003

Applicant is presently a member in good standing of the bars of those courts listed above, except as listed below: (List any court named in the preceding paragraph that applicant is no longer admitted to practice before.)

6. Applicant presently is not subject to any suspension or disbarment proceedings, and has not been formally notified of any complaints pending before a disciplinary agency, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., jurisdiction, court date):

7. Applicant never has had any application for admission *pro hac vice* in this or any other jurisdiction denied or any *pro hac vice* admission revoked, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., date, court, docket number, judge, circumstances; attach a copy of any order of denial or revocation):

8. Applicant never has had any certificate or privilege to appear and practice before any court or administrative body suspended or revoked, except as provided below (give particulars, e.g., date, court, administrative body, date of suspension and reinstatement):

9. Local counsel of record associated with applicant in this case is Susan Dunn of the American Civil Liberties Union Foundation of South Carolina law firm, which has offices at:

<u>P.O. Box 20998</u>			
<u>Street Address</u>			
<u>Charleston</u>	<u>SC</u>	<u>29413</u>	
<u>City</u>	<u>County</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Zip Code</u>
<u>843-282-7953</u>			<u>sdunn@aclusc.org</u>
<u>Primary Telephone</u>	<u>Cell Phone</u>	<u>Fax Number</u>	<u>Email Address</u>
<u>1798</u>			
<u>South Carolina Bar Number</u>			

10. Applicant has previously filed an application to appear *pro hac vice* in the following South Carolina cases (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).

White v. Shwedo, 2:19-3083-RMG (DSC filed Oct. 30, 2019); litigation is ongoing but stayed pending decision in another case; Susan Dunn is local counsel of record; application date 1/22/20; application granted 1/31/20

State of South Carolina v. Alex Canady, III, Docket No. CAW199310047 (Horry County Ct. of Common Pleas); case dismissed with prejudice; Johnny Gardner was local counsel of record; application date 2012; court did not rule on application

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

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

DATED this September day of 29, 2020



APPLICANT

VERIFICATION

STATE OF New York)

COUNTY OF New York)

I, Olga Akseirod, 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.

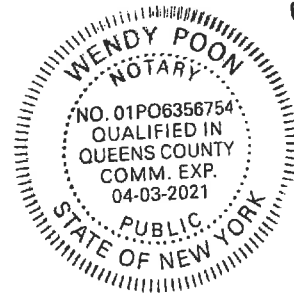
currently situated in the county of Kings

Olga Akseirod
APPLICANT/AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to ^{remotely} before me this 1st day of October, 20 20

currently situated in the County of New York

[Signature]
Notary Public for the State of New York
My Commission Expires: April 03, 2021



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 15th day of October, 20 20

[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

20th day of November, 20 20

[Signature]
APPLICANT/AFFIANT Susan K. Dunn



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

I, **Aprilanne Agoastino**, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department, do hereby certify that **Olga Akaelrod** was duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law in all the courts of the State, according to the laws of the State and the court rules and orders, on the **11th** day of **June 2003**, 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 my office, has duly registered with the administrative office of the courts, and according to the records of this court is in good standing as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said Appellate Division on **September 25, 2020**.



Aprilanne Agoastino

Clerk of the Court