

STATE OF MAINE

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT  
Sitting as the Law Court  
DOCKET NO. BCD-23-122

ROBERT E. DUPUIS, et al.,

Plaintiff-Appellees

v.

ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP OF PORTLAND MAINE,

Defendant-Appellant.

MOTION FOR ADMISSION  
OF VISITING COUNSEL

*PRO HAC VICE*

Pursuant to M.R. Civ. P. 89

NOW COMES Melissa L. Martin, an attorney with the Maine Coalition Against Sexual Assault, and moves for the admission of Marci A. Hamilton, an out-of-state attorney, as visiting counsel in the above-captioned matter, pursuant to M. R. Civ. P. 89(b), as follows:

1. Undersigned counsel Melissa L. Martin is an attorney admitted to the Maine Bar.
2. Undersigned counsel is actively associated with Marci A. Hamilton., of CHILD USA of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the above-captioned matter. CHILD USA's office is located at 3508 Market Street, Suite 202, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19104, and is a non-profit interdisciplinary think tank and the leading organization to research and track statutes of limitation reform for child sexual abuse.
3. Marci A. Hamilton has practiced law at CHILD USA since 2016. She is admitted to practice law in the state of Pennsylvania (1989) and in the District of Columbia (1990). She is admitted to the Eastern District of Pennsylvania (2015), District of Colorado (2006), Second Circuit Court of Appeals (2018), Third Circuit Court of Appeals (1989), Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals (2009), Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals (2002), Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals (2006), Tenth Circuit Court of Appeals (2009), and the United States Supreme Court (1996). She is a member in good standing of the bars and courts of each of these jurisdictions.
4. Melissa L. Martin moves for the admission of Marci A. Hamilton, Esq. as visiting attorney to work in association with the undersigned counsel in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: September 14, 2023

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