

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA**

In re: Bankruptcy Case No.  
Debtor(s). Chapter

Plaintiff(s),  
v. Adversary Case No.  
Defendant(s).

**STATEMENT OF VISITING ATTORNEY  
AND DESIGNATION OF LOCAL COUNSEL  
FOR BANKRUPTCY MATTERS**

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*Name of Visiting Attorney and firm name* *Bar ID number*

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*Name of party represented*

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*Name and address of the Bar(s) of which the Visiting Attorney is a member in good standing*

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*Visiting Attorney's office address*

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*Visiting Attorney's office telephone number* *Office fax number* *Email address*

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*Name of Sponsoring Attorney and firm name*

WV \_\_\_\_\_  
*WV Bar ID number*

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*Sponsoring Attorney's office address*

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*Sponsoring Attorney's office telephone number*

*Office fax number*

*Email address*

### **VISITING ATTORNEY'S CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that I am a member in good standing of the Bar(s) listed in the Statement of Visiting Attorney and that I have never been convicted of a felony. I further certify that I have paid the West Virginia State Bar its prescribed pro hac vice fee for this case, and complied with the West Virginia State Bar's requirements for attorneys admitted pro hac vice.

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*Date*

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*Signature of Visiting Attorney*

### **SPONSORING ATTORNEY'S CERTIFICATION**

I hereby certify that I am admitted to practice before the Supreme Court of Appeals of West Virginia, I am a member in good standing of the West Virginia State Bar, and I am a member of the bar of this Court. I further certify that I have an office for the practice of law in West Virginia, and I practice law primarily in West Virginia. I agree that pleadings, notices, and other papers may be served on me in this case. I consent to being the Sponsoring Attorney for the above-named Visiting Attorney and I shall hereafter sign all papers that require the signature of an attorney.

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*Date*

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*Signature of Sponsoring Attorney*

**\*\* ELECTRONIC FILING REQUIREMENT \*\***

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Electronic filing is required in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of West Virginia. To electronically file documents in a bankruptcy case/proceeding, a Visiting Attorney will need to utilize or create a PACER account to access the Bankruptcy CM/ECFNextGen case filing system. Further details can be found here, <https://www.wvsb.uscourts.gov/nextgen>. Local bankruptcy rules, CM/ECFNextGen Administrative Procedures, and other bankruptcy information may be obtained on the Bankruptcy Court's website [www.wvsb.uscourts.gov](http://www.wvsb.uscourts.gov) or by contacting the Bankruptcy Clerk's office at (304) 347-3003.