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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
OAKLAND DIVISION**

In re:

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP OF
OAKLAND, a California corporation sole,

Debtor.

Case No. 23-40523 WJL

Chapter 11

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION OF
ATTORNEY PRO HAC VICE
(CIVIL LOCAL RULE 11-3)**

I, Christopher A. Dernbach, an active member in good standing of the bars of the states of New Jersey and New York, hereby respectfully apply for admission to practice *pro hac vice* in the Northern District of California representing the Official Committee of Unsecured Creditors of the Roman Catholic Bishop of Oakland in the above-entitled action. My local co-counsel in this case is Gabrielle L. Albert, an attorney who is a member of the bar of this Court in good standing and who maintains an office within the State of California. Local co-counsel's bar number is: 190895.

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I am an active member in good standing of a United States Court or of the highest court of another State or the District of Columbia, as indicated above; my New York bar number is 6060578; and my New Jersey bar number is 377752021.

A true and correct copy of a certificate of good standing from the Supreme Court of New Jersey is attached to this application.

I have been granted *pro hac vice* admission by the Court 0 times in the 12 months preceding this application.

I agree to familiarize myself with, and abide by, the Local Rules of this Court, especially the Standards of Professional Conduct for Attorneys and the Alternative Dispute Resolution Local Rules. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: May 12, 2025

/s/ Christopher A. Dernbach
Christopher A. Dernbach

Supreme Court of New Jersey



Certificate of Good Standing

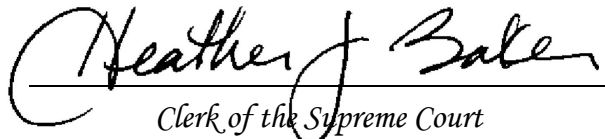
This is to certify that **CHRISTOPHER A DERNBACH**
(No. **377752021**) *was constituted and appointed an Attorney at Law of New Jersey on* **November 29, 2021** *and, as such, has been admitted to practice before the Supreme Court and all other courts of this State as an Attorney at Law, according to its laws, rules, and customs.*

I further certify that as of this date, the above-named is an Attorney at Law in Good Standing. For the purpose of this Certificate, an attorney is in "Good Standing" if the Court's records reflect that the attorney: 1) is current with all assessments imposed as a part of the filing of the annual Attorney Registration Statement, including, but not limited to, all obligations to the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection; 2) is not suspended or disbarred from the practice of law; 3) has not resigned from the Bar of this State; and 4) has not been transferred to Disability Inactive status pursuant to Rule 1:20-12.

Please note that this Certificate does not constitute confirmation of an attorney's satisfaction of the administrative requirements of Rule 1:21-1(a) for eligibility to practice law in this State.



*In testimony whereof, I have
hereunto set my hand and
affixed the Seal of the
Supreme Court, at Trenton, this
12th day of May, 2025.*


Clerk of the Supreme Court