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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY (TRENTON)

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In re: POWIN, LLC, et al.[1] Debtors.	Chapter 11 Bankr. Case No.: 25-16137 (MBK) (Jointly Administered)
BRIAN PALOMINO, on behalf of himself and all others similarly situated, Plaintiff, v. POWIN, LLC, POWIN ENERGY OPERATING HOLDINGS, LLC and POWIN ENERGY OPERATING, LLC, Defendants.	Adv. Pro. No.: 25-01249-MBK

APPLICATION TO ADMIT RENÉ S. ROUPINIAN PRO HAC VICE

Gail C. Lin ("Movant"), a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of New Jersey, an attorney admitted to practice before the United States District Court for the

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District of New Jersey, and staff attorney in the law firm of Raisner Roupinian LLP, hereby moves the Court to enter an Order permitting René S. Roupinian, Esq., partner with the law firm of Raisner Roupinian LLP to practice *pro hac vice* before the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey, to represent Brian Palomino, *et al*., pursuant to the D.N.J. LBR 2090-1 (the "Motion"). In support of the Motion, Movant states as follows:

René S. Roupinian is a member in good standing of the Bars of the State of Michigan and New York, admitted to practice before all state courts in Michigan since 1995, and New York since 2003. René S. Roupinian is admitted to practice before the United States District Courts for the District of Colorado, Eastern and Western District of Michigan, Southern District of New York and the Western District of New York, Second, Third, Fifth, Eighth and Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals as well as the Supreme Court of the United States. There are no disciplinary proceedings pending against René S. Roupinian.

The undersigned hereby requests that, in accordance with D.N.J. LBR 2090-1, if no objection to the Application is filed within five (5) days, the Application be granted and the proposed form of order be entered.

Raisner Roupinian LLP
Attorneys for Plaintiff

By: /s/ *Gail C. Lin*
Gail C. Lin

Dated: August 11, 2025

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CERTIFICATION OF RENÉ S. ROUPINIAN IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

I, René S. Roupinian, hereby certify and state:

1. I am an attorney at law licensed to practice in the States of Michigan and New

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York and admitted to practice before the United States District Court for the District of Colorado, Eastern and Western District of Michigan, Southern District of New York and the Western District of New York, Second, Third, Fifth, Eighth and Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals as well as the Supreme Court of the United States.

2. I am in good standing in all bars where I am admitted to practice and am not under suspension or disbarment by any court.

3. I make this certification in connection with my application to be admitted *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned case to represent the Plaintiff Brian Palomino, *et al.* If my application is granted, I agree to abide by the local rules of the United States Bankruptcy Court for the District of New Jersey and to make payment to the New Jersey Lawyer's Fund for Client Protection as provided in Local District Court Rule 101.1 (i).

I certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

/s/ René S. Roupinian
René S. Roupinian

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Chapter: 11

Judge: Michael B. Kaplan

ORDER FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE

The relief set forth on the following page is **ORDERED**.

This matter having been brought before the Court on application for an Order For Admission Pro Hac Vice; and the Court having reviewed the moving papers of the applicant, out-of-state attorney, and considered this matter pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.Proc.78, D.N.J. L.Civ.R.101.1 and D.N.J. LBR 9010-1, and good cause having been shown; it is

ORDERED that Rene S. Roupinian be permitted to appear pro hac vice; provided that pursuant to D.N.J. L.Civ. R. 101.1(c)(4), an appearance as counsel of record shall be filed promptly by a member of the bar of this Court upon whom all notices, orders and pleadings may be served, and who shall promptly notify the out-of-state attorney of their receipt. Only an attorney at law of this Court may sign and file papers, enter appearances for parties, sign stipulations, or sign and receive payments on judgments, decrees or orders. Unless otherwise permitted by the Court, local counsel must attend all hearings and proceedings before the Court, and it is further

ORDERED that the applicant shall arrange with the New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection for payment of the annual fee, for this year and for any year in which the out-of-state attorney continues to represent a client in a matter pending in this Court in accordance with New Jersey Court Rule 1:28-2 and D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101.1, said fee to be deposited within twenty (20) days of the date of the entry of this Order, and it is further

ORDERED that the $250.00 fee required by D.N.J. L. Civ. R. 101(c)(3) for pro hac vice admission to the District Court for the District of New Jersey shall also be payable within twenty (20) days of entry of this Order. Payment in the form of a check must be payable to "Clerk, USDC" and forwarded to the Clerk of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey at the following address:

United States District Court
District of New Jersey
Martin Luther King, Jr. Federal Building
50 Walnut Street
Newark, N.J. 07102
Attention: Pro Hac Vice Admissions

and it is further ORDERED that the applicant shall be bound by the Local Rules of the United States District Court for the District of New Jersey and the Local Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure for the District of New Jersey; and it is further

ORDERED that the Clerk shall forward a copy of this Order to the Treasurer of New Jersey Lawyers' Fund for Client Protection within 5 days of its date of entry.

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