

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI

In Re: *PRO HAC VICE* ADMISSIONS

No. 3:85mc26

ORDER

1. The UNIFORM LOCAL RULES FOR THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURTS FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI AND THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI (2000 ed.) [hereinafter, UNIFORM RULES or UNIFORM RULE] recognizes two categories of attorneys (other than attorneys for the United States of America and federal agencies) who may practice in the United States district courts serving Mississippi:

A. Attorneys who are members of the Mississippi Bar and have been formally admitted to practice in district court. UNIFORM RULE 83.1(A)(1).

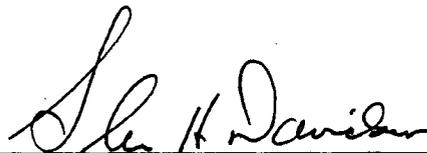
B. Non-resident attorneys who are not members of the Mississippi Bar and not admitted to practice before the Mississippi Supreme Court but have been admitted to practice *pro hac vice* in a particular case in district court. UNIFORM RULE 83.1(A)(2).

2. UNIFORM RULE 83.1(A)(2) is the *only* authority permitting a non-resident attorney who is not a member of the Mississippi Bar and not admitted to practice before the Mississippi Supreme Court to practice in a United States district court serving Mississippi. The UNIFORM

RULES provide no "grandfathering" provision allowing a non-resident attorney not a member of the Mississippi Bar to practice in a district court other than on a case-by-case *pro hac vice* admission.

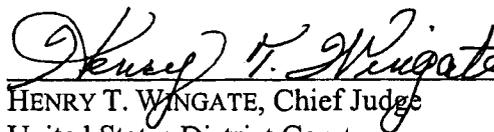
3. UNIFORM RULE 83.1(A)(2) requires that an attorney applying for admission to appear *pro hac vice* pay a fee to the clerk of court.

4. ORDERED, effective July 17, 2006, the fee for applying to appear *pro hac vice* shall be \$100.00 per application.



GLEN H. DAVIDSON, Chief Judge
United States District Court
Northern District of Mississippi

Date: 7-17-2006



HENRY T. WINGATE, Chief Judge
United States District Court
Southern District of Mississippi

Date: 7-18-2006