IN THE SUPREME COURT OF MARYLAND

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MOTION FOR SPECIAL ADMISSION OF OUT-OF-STATE ATTORNEY UNDER RULE 19-217

I, Marisa A. Trasatti, Esq., attorney of record in this case, move that the Court admit, Lawrence S. Ebner, Esq., an out-of-state attorney who is a member in good standing of the District of Columbia Bar, for the limited purpose of appearing and participating in this case as co-counsel with me on an amicus brief that we are submitting on behalf of the Atlantic Legal Foundation and the Federation of Defense & Corporate Counsel in support of Appellees. Out-of-State Attorney Information:

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Unless the Court has granted a motion for reduction or waiver, the \$100.00 fee required by

Code, Courts and Judicial Proceedings Article, § 7-202(f) is included with this motion.

I do not request that my presence be waived under Rule 19-217(d).

Respectfully submitted,

By: <u>/s/Marisa A. Trasatti, Esq.</u> Marisa A. Trasatti, Esq. **BOWMAN AND BROOKE LLP** 230 Schilling Circle, Suite 234 Hunt Valley, MD 21031 Tel. (443) 443-8911 Marisa.trasatti@bowmanandbrooke.com

Counsel for Amici Curiae, Atlantic Legal Foundation and Federation of Defense & Corporate Counsel

Dated: July 11, 2025

CERTIFICATE AS TO SPECIAL ADMISSIONS

I, Lawrence S. Ebner, Esq., certify on this 11th day of July, 2025, that during the preceding five years, I have not been specially admitted in the State of Maryland to appear before any Court.

I have not previously been issued a unique identifying number by the Maryland Judiciary.

Attorney Information System N/A

Client Protection Fund <u>N/A</u>

Maryland Electronic Courts (MDEC) <u>N/A</u>

By: <u>/s/ Lawrence S. Ebner, Esq.</u> Lawrence S. Ebner, Esq. **ATLANTIC LEGAL FOUNDATION** 1701 Pennsylvania Ave., NW, Suite 200 Washington, D.C. 20006 Tel. 202-872-0011 lawrence.ebner@atlanticlegal.org

Dated: July 11, 2025

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the above forgoing document was electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using Odyssey File & Serve, which will electronically serve a copy to all counsel of record on July 11, 2025.

By: <u>/s/ Marisa A. Trasatti, Esq.</u> Marisa A. Trasatti, Esq. **BOWMAN AND BROOKE LLP** 230 Schilling Circle, Suite 234 Hunt Valley, MD 21031 Tel. (443) 443-8911 Marisa.trasatti@bowmanandbrooke.com

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[PROPOSED] ORDER FOR SPECIAL ADMISSION OF OUT-OF-STATE ATTORNEY UNDER RULE 19-217

It is this _____ day of _____, 2025, by the Supreme Court of Maryland, **ORDERED** that:

Lawrence S. Ebner, Esq. Atlantic Legal Foundation 1701 Pennsylvania Ave., Suite 200 Washington, D.C. 20006 Tel. 202-872-0011 lawrence.ebner@atlanticlegal.org is admitted specially for the limited purpose of appearing and participating in this case as counsel for *amici curiae* Atlantic Legal Foundation and Federation of Defense & Corporate Counsel. The presence of the Maryland attorney [] is [] is not waived.

It further **ORDERED** that the Clerk forward a true copy of the Motion and of this Order to the State Court Administrator.

Dated: _____, 2025

Justice, Supreme Court of Maryland