



September 12, 2019

Ms. Kavita Kale  
Michigan Public Service Commission  
7109 W. Saginaw Hwy.  
P.O. Box 30221  
Lansing, MI 48909

Re: MPSC Case No. U-20561

Dear Ms. Kale,

Please find the following documents attached for electronic filing:

- Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice of Robert Weinstock
- Affidavit of Robert Weinstock
- Certificate of Good Standing
- State Bar of Michigan Payment Confirmation
- Proof of Service

Sincerely,

*Nich Leonard*

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STATE OF MICHIGAN

BEFORE THE MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the matter of the Application of  
**DTE ELECTRIC COMPANY**  
for authority to increase its rates, amend its  
rate schedules and rules governing the  
distribution and supply of electric energy,  
and for miscellaneous accounting authority.

Case No. U-20561

ALJ Sharon Feldman

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**MOTION FOR ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE  
OF MARK TEMPLETON AS CO-COUNSEL OF RECORD  
ON BEHALF OF SOULARDARITY**

Nicholas Leonard of the Great Lakes Environmental Law Center is counsel of record in MPSC Case No. U-20561 for Soulardarity and moves that Robert A. Weinstock be granted permission to participate in this case as co-counsel of record for Soulardarity. In support of this Motion, the movant states as follows:

1. Rule 419(2) of the rules of practice and procedure for the Michigan Public Service Commission (“MPSC” or “Commission”) states:

An attorney who is duly licensed to practice law in another state or in the courts of the United States may be permitted to practice before the commission on the same basis as in the circuit courts of this state.

2. Rule 15, Section 2 of the rules concerning the State Bar of Michigan states:

Any person who is duly licensed to practice law in another state or territory, or in the District of Columbia, of the United States of America, or in any foreign country, may be temporarily admitted under MCR 8.126.

3. The movant is an active member in good standing of the State Bar of Michigan, and an

attorney of record in this matter.

4. Robert A. Weinstock is Assistant Clinical Professor of Law at the Abrams Environmental Law Clinic, with his primary office at 6020 South University Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60637.

5. Robert A. Weinstock is duly licensed and admitted to practice law in the State of Illinois; and is a member in good standing with the Illinois Bar. Mr. Weinstock has paid the required fee to the State Bar of Michigan for temporary admission. (See attached Affidavit, Certificate of Good Standing from the Illinois Bar and letter from the State Bar of Michigan.)

6. The undersigned states the following:

- a. I have read the affidavit of Robert A. Weinstock and supporting documentation.
- b. I have made a reasonable inquiry concerning the averments made in the attached affidavit and believe the out-of-state attorney's representations to be true.
- c. I agree to ensure that the procedures of Michigan Court Rule 8.126 are followed.
- d. I agree to forward a copy of this Motion and the attachments to the Attorney Grievance Commission of the State of Michigan in compliance with Rule 8.126.

7. I respectfully request that Robert A. Weinstock be admitted as co-counsel of record for Souldarity in Case Number U-20561

GREAT LAKES ENVIRONMENTAL LAW CENTER  
Counsel for Soulardarity

Date: September 3, 2019

By:

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# Certificate of Admission To the Bar of Illinois

I, Carolyn Taft Grosboll, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Illinois, do hereby certify that

Robert Adam Weinstock

has been duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law within this State; has duly taken the required oath to support the CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES and of the STATE OF ILLINOIS, and also the oath of office prescribed by law, that said name was entered upon the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors in my office on 05/09/2013 and is in good standing, so far as the records of this office disclose.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto  
subscribed my name and affixed the  
seal of said Court, this 22nd day of  
July, 2019.



Clerk,  
Supreme Court of the State of Illinois

**AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF  
MOTION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

Robert A. Weinstock, being sworn, states the following:

1. I am Assistant Clinical Professor of Law for the Abrams Environmental Law Clinic at the University of Chicago, in Chicago, Illinois.

2. I am a 2009 graduate of Columbia School of Law and clerked for Judge Victor Marrero of the Southern District of New York.

3. I have been licensed to practice law in the State of New York since 2010. Since I relocated to Chicago, my New York license is no longer active.

4. I have been licensed to practice law in the State of Illinois since 2013.

5. I am a member in good standing and am eligible to practice in the following courts: the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit, admitted in 2010; the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit, admitted in 2011; the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of New York, admitted in 2010; the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of New York, admitted in 2010; the U.S. District Court for the Northern District of Indiana, admitted in 2012; the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit, admitted in 2014; the U.S. District Court for the Southern District of Illinois, admitted in 2016; and the U.S. District Court for the Central District of Illinois, admitted in 2018.

6. I have represented Soulardarity in proceedings before the Michigan Public Service Commission staff and have represented various other organizations in federal and state courts and in various regulatory proceedings.

7. I have not been disbarred, suspended, or denied admission in any jurisdiction.

8. I have not been denied *pro hac vice* status in Michigan, nor has such status been revoked in Michigan.

9. I am not the subject of any pending disciplinary action.

10. Attached are the following letters in support of my admission *pro hac vice* in Michigan:

- a. Certificate of Standing from the Illinois Bar Association, confirming that I am currently in good standing.
- b. State Bar of Michigan, acknowledging receipt of the required fee to seek temporary admission.

11. I am familiar with the Michigan Rules of Professional Conduct, Michigan Court Rules, and Michigan Rules of Evidence, and consent to the jurisdiction of the Michigan attorney disciplinary system.

The above is true to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.

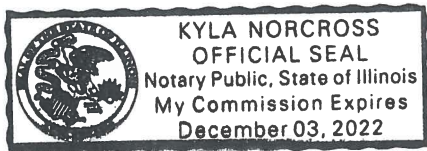
Date: 8/12/19


  
Robert A. Weinstock

STATE OF Illinois

COUNTY OF COOK

Signed and sworn to before me on August 12, 2019 by Robert A. Weinstock.



  
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, Notary Public  
State of Illinois  
COOK County  
Commission Expires: DEC. 3, 2022

## Receipt

# Pro Hac Vice Admission Receipt

Robert Weinstock

A copy of this receipt must be attached to the motion. The motion must be filed by the Michigan attorney in the court, administrative tribunal or agency, or in the arbitration in which you are seeking temporary admission.

By submitting these documents, you are NOT temporarily admitted. The motion and documents required by MCR 8.126 must be filed with the court, administrative tribunal or agency, or in the arbitration in which you are seeking temporary admission and the filing fee, if any, must be paid.

Only the court, administrative tribunal or agency, or arbitrator may enter an order allowing temporary admission. Once the order is entered, the Michigan attorney must email a copy of the order to ProHacVice@michbar.org as soon as practicable.

Your payment was charged to Credit Card: \*\*\*\*\*0139

Payment Date: 09/05/2019

<b>Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
CPF-Pro Hac Vice	<b>\$15.00</b>
Pro Hac Vice	<b>\$120.00</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$135.00</b>

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**PROOF OF SERVICE**

On the date below, an electronic copy of **Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Robert Weinstock as Counsel of Record on behalf of Soulardarity** was served on the following:

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