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**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT**  
**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
**OAKLAND DIVISION**

In re:  
 THE ROMAN CATHOLIC BISHOP OF  
 OAKLAND, a California corporation sole,  
 Debtor.

Bankruptcy Case No.: 23-40523 WJL  
 Hon. William J. Lafferty  
 Chapter 11

**APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION OF  
 ATTORNEY AMY P. KLIE *PRO HAC  
 VICE***

Pursuant to B.L.R. 1001-2(a) and Civil L.R. 11-3, I, Amy P. Klie, am an active member in good standing of the bars of the State of Illinois and New York, and hereby apply for admission to practice in the United States Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of California on a pro hac vice basis representing American Home Assurance Co., for itself and each of its past, present, and future parents, subsidiaries, affiliates and divisions in the above-entitled action.

In support of this application, I certify on oath that:



1. 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. Attached are Certificates of Good Standing from each of the aforementioned courts.

2. I have been granted *pro hac vice* admission by the Court 1 time in the 12 months preceding this application;

3. I agree to abide by the Standards of Professional Conduct set forth in Local Rule 11- 4, and agree to become familiar with the Local Rules and the Bankruptcy Dispute Resolution Program of this Court; and

4. 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 has been designated as co-counsel in the above entitled action. The name, address and telephone number of that attorney is:

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

Dated: April 10, 2024

NICOLAIDES FINK THORPE  
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By: /s/ Amy P. Klie  
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Re: Amy P. Klie  
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To Whom It May Concern:

We have received a request for written verification of the status of Amy P. Klie in connection with the attorney's application, motion or petition for permission to appear *pro hac vice* in an isolated case in another jurisdiction.

The records of the Attorney Registration and Disciplinary Commission of the Supreme Court of Illinois reflect that Amy P. Klie was admitted to practice law in Illinois on November 4, 1999. Amy P. Klie is currently eligible to practice law in Illinois; is not the subject of any pending public disciplinary proceeding in this state; and is not under any current disciplinary sanction in Illinois.

Very truly yours,  
Lea S. Gutierrez  
Administrator

BY: Denise N. Manolis  
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*Appellate Division of the Supreme Court  
of the State of New York  
Second Judicial Department*

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*I, Darrell M. Joseph, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Second Judicial Department, do hereby certify that*

*Amy P Klie*

*was duly licensed and admitted to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all the courts of this State on February 26, 2003, has duly taken and subscribed the oath of office prescribed by law, has been enrolled in the Roll of Attorneys and Counselors at Law on file in this office, is duly registered with the Office of Court Administration, and according to the records of this Court is currently in good standing as an Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.*



*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set  
my hand in the City of Brooklyn on  
April 10, 2024.*

*Clerk of the Court*

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