

SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

STATE OF ARIZONA,

Appellee,

v.

AARON BRIAN GUNCHES,

Appellant.

Arizona Supreme Court
No. CR-13-0282-AP

Maricopa County
Superior Court
No. CR2003-038541-001

**MOTION TO ALLOW APPEARANCE
OF COUNSEL PRO HAC VICE
PENDING STATE BAR APPROVAL**

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Pursuant to Ariz. R. Sup. Ct. 39(a), Kathleen E. Brody of Mitchell Stein Carey Chapman, PC, moves the Court to allow Collin P. Wedel and Christine T. Karaoglanian of Sidley Austin LLP, to appear as counsel pro hac vice in this action on a temporary basis pending approval of their applications by the State Bar of Arizona. In support of

this motion the following documents that were submitted to the State Bar are attached:

1. Verified Application for Appearance Pro Hac Vice and Certificate of Good Standing for Collin P. Wedel, and
2. Verified Application for Appearance Pro Hac Vice and Certificate of Good Standing for Christine T. Karaoglanian.

Undersigned counsel agrees to serve as local counsel in this matter, accepts the applicable responsibilities, and will supplement this motion upon the State Bar's approval of the applications. *See* Ariz. R. Sup. Ct. 39(a)(2)(E)(2), (3).

SUBMITTED January 6, 2025.

MITCHELL | STEIN | CAREY | CHAPMAN,
PC

By: Kathleen E. Brody
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Application for Appearance Pro Hac Vice

PART I: Applicant Information

Name of Applicant: Collin Partington Wedel

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Title of cause or case where applicant seeks to appear: State of Arizona v. Aaron Brian Gunches

Docket Number: CR-13-0282-AP

Court, Board, or Administrative Agency: Arizona Supreme Court

Party on whose behalf applicant seeks to appear: This is an amicus brief for Corinna Barrett Lain on behalf of neither party.

Pursuant to Arizona Supreme Court Rule 39(a)(2), the applicant shall complete the information below:

Courts to Which Applicant Has Been Admitted: <small>(Attach additional pages if necessary)</small>	Date of Admission:	Bar Number:
<u>State Bar of California</u>	<u>12/2/2011</u>	<u>278461</u>
<u>See attachment.</u>	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Applicant is a member in good standing in such courts.

Applicant is not currently disbarred or suspended in any court.

Applicant has been/is has not/is not (select one) subject to any disciplinary proceeding or investigation by any court, agency or organization authorized to discipline attorneys at law within the last 5 years. If yes, specify the jurisdiction, nature of investigation and contact information of the disciplinary authority investigating on an additional page.

In the preceding three (3) years, applicant has filed applications to appear as counsel under Ariz. R. Sup. Ct., Rule 39(a) in the following:

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This case or cause is / is not (select one) a related or consolidated matter for which applicant has previously applied to appear pro hac vice in Arizona. If this matter is a related or consolidated with any previous application, Applicant certifies that he/she will review and comply with appropriate rules of procedure as required in the underlying cause.

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PART II: Local Counsel Information

Name of Arizona Local Counsel: Kathleen Brody

State Bar of Arizona Number: 026331

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Telephone: 602-358-0290 Fax: 602-358-0291 Email Address: kathy@mscclaw.com

- Local Counsel is a member in good standing.
- Local Counsel associating with a nonresident attorney in a particular cause shall accept joint responsibility with the nonresident attorney to the client, to opposing parties and counsel, and to court, board, or administrative agency in that particular cause.

PART III: Parties and Certification

Name(s) of each party in this cause and name and address of all counsel of record:

Party:	Counsel of Record:	Address:
<u>Aaron Gunches - Appellee</u>	<u>Pro Se</u>	<u>ASPC Tucson/Rincon 2, P.O. Box 24403, Tucson, AZ 85734</u>
<u>State of Arizona – Appellant</u>	<u>Attorney General</u>	<u>2005 N Central Avenue, Phoenix, AZ 85004</u>
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- Applicant is including with this application a nonrefundable application fee, payable to the State Bar of Arizona, in the amount of \$505.00. Fifteen percent of the non-refundable application fee paid pursuant to this section shall be deposited into a civil legal services fund to be distributed by the Arizona Foundation for Legal Services and Education entirely to approved legal services organizations, as that term is defined in subparagraph (2)(c) of this rule.
- Applicant is furnishing a certificate from the state bar or from the clerk of the highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular possession of the United States in which the nonresident attorney has been admitted to practice law certifying the nonresident attorney's date of admission to such jurisdiction and the current status of the nonresident attorney's membership or eligibility to practice therein. The certificate furnished shall be no more than forty-five (45) days old.

Applicant certifies the following:

1. Applicant shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts and agencies of the State of Arizona and to the State Bar of Arizona with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as an active member of the State Bar of Arizona, as provided in Ariz. R. Sup. Ct. Rule 46(b).
2. Applicant will review and comply with appropriate rules of procedure as required in the underlying cause.
3. Applicant understands and shall comply with the standards of conduct required of members of the State Bar of Arizona.

Verification

STATE OF California
County of Los Angeles) ss.

I, Collin Wedel, swear that all statements in the application are true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Dated: 1/3/25 Applicant's Signature: Collin Wedel

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 3rd day of Jan, 2025, by

Collin Wedel
Name of Applicant



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Notary Public

Courts to which Applicant Has Been Admitted	Date of Admission:	Bar Number:
State Bar of California	12/2/2011	278461
U.S. District Court, Arizona	09/10/2014	PHV
U.S. District Court, Central District of California	11/21/13	
U.S. District Court, Eastern District of California	06/18/2020	
U.S. District Court, Northern District of California	08/30/2013	
U.S. District Court, Colorado	03/03/2017	
Illinois	04/21/2021	PHV
U.S. District Court, Middle District of Tennessee	12/13/23	PHV
U.S. District Court, Middle District of Tennessee	05/17/2024	PHV
U.S. District Court, Southern District of Texas	03/30/2016	PHV
U.S. District Court, Virgin Islands	03/31/2016	PHV
U.S. Supreme Court	02/18/2015	294030
U.S. Court of Appeals, 3rd Circuit	05/29/2012	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit	03/15/2022	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 6th Circuit	02/09/2017	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 7th Circuit	12/31/2021	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit	02/20/2014	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit	02/28/2023	
U.S. Court of Appeals, 11th Circuit		
U.S. Court of Appeals, D.C. Circuit	07/14/2021	



Supreme Court of California

JORGE E. NAVARRETE
Clerk and Executive Officer of the Supreme Court

**CERTIFICATE OF THE CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT
OF THE
STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

COLLIN PARTINGTON WEDEL

I, JORGE E. NAVARRETE, Clerk/Executive Officer of the Supreme Court of the State of California, do hereby certify COLLIN PARTINGTON WEDEL #278461 was on the 2nd day of December 2011 duly admitted to practice as an attorney and counselor at law in all the courts of this state, and is now listed on the Roll of Attorneys as a member of the bar of this state in good standing.

*Witness my hand and the seal of the court
on this day of January 2nd, 2025.*

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State of California
 County of Los Angeles

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me
 on this 2nd day of January, 2025,
 by Christine T. Karaoglanian
 (1) _____



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CERTIFICATE OF THE CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT

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CHRISTINE TAKOUI KARAOGLANIAN

I, JORGE E. NAVARRETE, Clerk/Executive Officer of the Supreme Court of the State of California, do hereby certify CHRISTINE TAKOUI KARAOGLANIAN #352828 was on the 4th day of December 2023 duly admitted to practice as an attorney and counselor at law in all the courts of this state, and is now listed on the Roll of Attorneys as a member of the bar of this state in good standing.

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