

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK

In the matter of the application of

U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, WELLS  
FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
WILMINGTON TRUST, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
WILMINGTON TRUST COMPANY, and CITIBANK,  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION (as Trustees, Indenture  
Trustees, Securities Administrators, Paying Agents, and/or  
Calculation Agents of Certain Residential Mortgage-  
Backed Securitization Trusts),

Petitioners,

For Judicial Instructions under CPLR Article 77 on the  
Administration and Distribution of a Settlement Payment.

Index No. 651625/2018

**AFFIDAVIT OF ROBERT L.  
SCHNELL, JR. IN SUPPORT  
OF MOTION FOR  
ADMISSION PRO HAC VICE**

STATE OF NEW YORK         )  
                                              ) ss.  
COUNTY OF NEW YORK     )

Robert L. Schnell, Jr., being duly sworn, deposes and says:

- 1. I am a member of the firm Faegre Baker Daniels LLP located in Minneapolis, Minnesota and counsel to the Petitioner Wells Fargo Bank, National Association (“Wells Fargo”) in this proceeding. I respectfully submit this Affidavit in support of Wells Fargo’s application for an Order seeking my *pro hac vice* admission to represent Wells Fargo in this matter, together with New York counsel Hahn & Hessen LLP, pursuant to 22 N.Y.C.R.R. §§ 520.11 and 602.2(a).
- 2. I am admitted to practice law in the State of Minnesota and am a member in good standing of the Minnesota State Bar. Attached as Exhibit A is a certified copy of a Certificate of Good Standing from the Minnesota State Bar dated December 7, 2017.
- 3. I am also admitted and a member of good standing in the following courts: the U.S. Supreme Court, U.S. Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, U.S. Court of Appeals for the

Ninth Circuit, U.S. Court of Federal Claims, and U.S. District Court for Minnesota.

4. I have appeared *pro hac vice* in the courts of the State of New York on several different matters over the 40 years of my practice. I also appeared *pro hac vice* in this Court on behalf of Wells Fargo in related proceedings before the Hon. Marcy Friedman in the actions titled In re Wells Fargo Bank, National Association, et. al., Index No. 657387/2017 and In re U.S. Bank Nat'l Ass'n, et al., Index. No. 652382/2014.

5. I have never been and am not presently subject to any disciplinary proceedings.

6. I am familiar with and shall comply with the standards of professional conduct imposed upon members of the New York State Bar, including the rules of court governing the conduct of attorneys and the Rules of Professional Conduct, and shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New York with respect to any acts occurring during the course of my participation in the above-captioned matter.

7. I shall also be subject to all disciplinary rules and regulations of the courts of the State of New York, and will notify this Court immediately of any matter affecting my standing with the Minnesota State Bar.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request that Wells Fargo's application for an Order, pursuant to 22 N.Y.C.R.R. § 520.11 and 602.2(a), for my admission *pro hac vice* be granted in its entirety.

Dated: April 10, 2018  
New York, New York

  
ROBERT L. SCHNELL, JR.

Sworn to before me this 10  
day of April, 2018

  
NOTARY PUBLIC

STEVEN R. AQUINO  
Notary Public, State of New York  
No. 02AQ6282121  
Qualified in King County  
Commission Expires May 20, 2017  
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