

**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT  
IN AND FOR HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY, FLORIDA**

In re: Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors of

LASER SPINE INSTITUTE, LLC,

Assignor,

To:

SONEET KAPILA,

Assignee.

Case No. 19-CA-002762

**VERIFIED MOTION FOR ADMISSION TO APPEAR *PRO HAC VICE*  
PURSUANT TO FLORIDA RULE OF JUDICIAL ADMINISTRATION 2.510**

Comes now, Ryan E. Manns, Esquire, Movant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

1. Movant resides in Dallas County, Texas.
2. Movant is not a resident of the State of Florida.
3. Movant is an attorney and a partner at Norton Rose Fulbright, with offices at 2200 Ross Avenue, Dallas, TX 75201-7932.
4. Movant has been retained personally or as a member of the above named law firm on July 11, 2016 by Texas Capital Bank, National Association, administrative agent for the lender group, to provide legal representation in connection with the above-styled matter now pending before the above-named court of the State of Florida.
5. Movant is an active member in good standing and currently eligible to practice law in the State of Texas.

6. There have been no disciplinary, suspension, disbarment, or contempt proceedings initiated against Movant in the preceding 5 years.

7. Movant either by resignation, withdrawal, or otherwise, never has terminated or attempted to terminate Movant's office as an attorney in order to avoid administrative, disciplinary, disbarment, or suspension proceedings.

8. Movant is not an inactive member of The Florida Bar.

9. Movant is not now a member of The Florida Bar.

10. Movant is not a suspended member of The Florida Bar.

11. Movant is not a disbarred member of The Florida Bar nor has Movant received a disciplinary resignation or disciplinary revocation from The Florida Bar.

12. Movant has not previously been disciplined or held in contempt by reason of misconduct committed while engaged in representation pursuant to Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.510

13. Movant has not filed a motion to appear as counsel in Florida state courts during the past five (5) years.

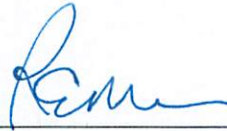
14. Local counsel of record associated with Movant in this matter is Stephanie C. Lieb, who is an active member in good standing of The Florida Bar and has offices at 101 E. Kennedy Boulevard, Suite 2700, Tampa, FL 33602, telephone (813) 223-7474.

15. Movant has read the applicable provisions of Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.510 and Rule 1-3.10 of the Rules Regulating The Florida Bar and certifies that this verified motion complies with those rules.

16. Movant agrees to comply with the provisions of the Florida Rules of Professional Conduct and consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and the Bar of the State of Florida.

WHEREFORE, Movant respectfully requests permission to appear in this court for this case only.

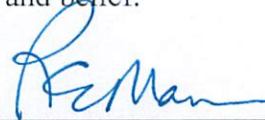
DATED: March 16, 2019.



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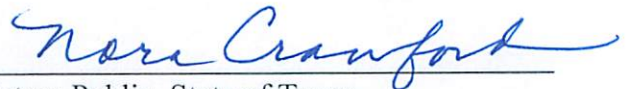
STATE OF TEXAS            )  
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COUNTY OF DALLAS        )

I, Ryan E. Manns, do hereby swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I am the Movant in the above-styled matter, that I have read the foregoing Motion and know the contents thereof, and the contents are true of my own knowledge and belief.



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Ryan E. Manns

SWORN TO and subscribed before me in my presence on March 18, 2019 by RYAN E. MANNNS, who is personally known to me.



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Notary Public, State of Texas  
My commission expires: 11/3/20

**CONSENT TO ACT AS LOCAL COUNSEL**

I, Stephanie C. Lieb, an attorney qualified to practice in this Court, and pursuant to Florida Rule of Judicial Administration 2.510 consent to designation as the local attorney for Ryan E. Manns and Norton Rose Fulbright and agree to serve as designee with whom the Court

and opposing counsel may readily communicate regarding the conduct of this case and any related proceedings, and upon whom papers shall be served.

/s/ Stephanie C. Lieb  
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing motion was served by mail to PHV Admissions, The Florida Bar, 651 East Jefferson Street, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-2333 accompanied by payment of the \$250.00 filing fee made payable to The Florida Bar; and by Email to counsel of record.

/s/ Ryan E. Manns  
Attorney