

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

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 JERRY CADIGAN and NANCY CATON CADIGAN, :  
 as the Proposed Administrators of the Estate of :  
 TREVOR NORRIS CADIGAN, Deceased, :  
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 Plaintiffs, :  
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 -against- :  
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 LIBERTY HELICOPTERS, INC., :  
 NY ON AIR LLC, FLYNYON LLC, :  
 and RICHARD ZEMKE VANCE, :  
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 Defendants. :  
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Index No. 152286/2018

**AFFIDAVIT OF  
THOMAS L. STEWART**

STATE OF MISSOURI     )  
                                  ) ss.:  
COUNTY OF JACKSON    )

THOMAS L. STEWART, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

1. I am an attorney duly admitted to the practice of law in the State of Missouri and State of Illinois.
2. I am an Associate Professor at Saint Louis University School of Law and the Director of Trial Advocacy.
3. This affidavit is submitted in support of plaintiffs' request for my admission *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned action.
4. I graduated from Saint Louis University School of Law in 1986 and was admitted to practice in the State of Missouri on 10.10. '86 and in the State of Illinois on 5.29.87.

5. I am and have been a member in good standing of the Missouri State Bar and the Illinois State Bar, as evidenced by the Certificate of Good Standing from each, attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

6. I have never been disciplined, suspended or disbarred from the practice of law before any Court. To the best of my knowledge and belief, no charges or complaints concerning my fitness to practice law are currently contemplated or pending.

7. I have never been denied admission to the bar of any state to which I have applied.

8. Although I am not admitted to practice law in the State of New York, I seek admission for the sole purpose of representing plaintiffs in this lawsuit in the pre-trial proceedings, including all motions and discovery, the oral argument of any motions or applications, and the trial or hearing of the above-captioned actions. New York attorney Matthew F. Schwartz of Schwartz, Ponterio & Levenson, PLLC located at 134 West 29<sup>th</sup> Street, Suite 1006, New York, New York 10001 will serve as attorneys of record in this case and will receive service of papers and communications from the Court and opposing counsel with respect to the above-captioned action.

9. 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 the Courts governing the conduct of attorneys and the Rules of Professional Conduct, and any notices sent to the New York Office of Schwartz, Ponterio & Levenson, PLLC.

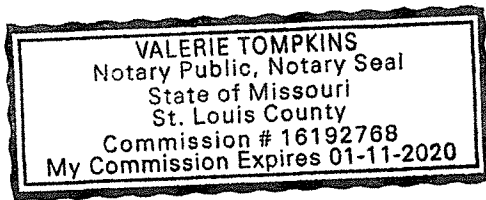
10. I agree to be subject to the jurisdiction of the New York courts with respect to any acts occurring during my participation in this lawsuit.

WHEREFORE, I respectfully request that this Court grant my admission *pro hac vice* to practice before this Court to represent plaintiffs in this action and that the Court grant other and further relief as this Court may seem just and proper.

*[Handwritten signature of Thomas L. Stewart]*  
THOMAS L. STEWART

Sworn to before me this  
*26<sup>th</sup>* day of March, 2018

*[Handwritten signature of Valerie Tompkins]*  
Notary Public



*The Supreme Court of Missouri*



*Certificate of Admission as an  
Attorney at Law*

I, Betsy AuBuchon, Clerk of the Supreme Court of Missouri, do hereby certify that the records of this office show that on 10/10/1986,

*Thomas Lee Stewart*

was duly admitted and licensed to practice as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in the Supreme Court of Missouri and all courts of record in this state, and is, on the date indicated below, a member in good standing of this Bar.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I hereunto set  
my hand and affix the seal of the Supreme Court of  
Missouri at my office in Jefferson City, Missouri,  
this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of March, 2018.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Betsy AuBuchon". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, looping initial "B".

Clerk of the Supreme Court of Missouri

## **Certificate of Admission To the Bar of Illinois**

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

Thomas Lee Stewart

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 05/29/1987 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 23rd day of  
March, 2018.

*Carolyn Taft Grosboll*

Clerk,  
Supreme Court of the State of Illinois