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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

THE CHEROKEE NATION,
a federally recognized Indian Tribe,
17675 S. Muskogee Ave.
Tahlequah, OK 74464,

THE CHICKASAW NATION,
a federally recognized Indian Tribe,
520 E. Arlington St.
Ada, OK 74820

THE CHOCTAW NATION,
a federally recognized Indian Tribe,
1802 Chukka Hina Dr.
Durant, OK 74701, and

THE CITIZEN POTAWATOMI NATION,
a federally recognized Indian Tribe,
1610 S. Gordon Cooper Dr.
Shawnee, OK 74801,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE
INTERIOR, DAVID BERNHARDT, in his
official capacity as the Secretary of the Interior,
TARA KATUK MAC LEAN SWEENEY, in her
official capacity as the Assistant Secretary of the
Interior – Indian Affairs,
United States Department of the Interior,
1849 C Street N.W.
Washington, DC 20240,

J. KEVIN STITT, in his official capacity as the
Governor of the State of Oklahoma,
2300 N. Lincoln Blvd., #212
Oklahoma City, OK 73105,

WILLIAM NELSON, SR., in his official capacity
as the Chairman of the Business Committee
of the Comanche Nation,
584 NW Bingo Rd.
Lawton, OK 73507,

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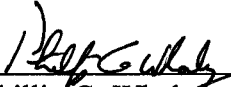
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JOHN R. SHOTTON, in his official capacity)
as the Chairman of the Tribal Council of the)
Otoe-Missouria Tribe of Indians,)
8151 Hwy 177)
Red Rock, OK 74651,)
)
JOE BUNCH, in his official capacity as the)
Chief of the United Keetoowah Band of)
Cherokee Indians in Oklahoma,)
18263 Keetoowah Cir.)
Tahlequah, OK 74464, and)
)
BRIAN GIVENS, in his official capacity as)
the Mekko of the Kialegee Tribal Town,)
100 Kialegee Dr.)
Wetumka, OK 73883,)
)
Defendants,)
)
and)
)
GENTNER DRUMMOND, in his official capacity)
as the Attorney General of the State of Oklahoma,)
)
Real Party in Interest.)

MOTION TO ASSOCIATE COUNSEL

Defendant J. Kevin Stitt, in his official capacity as the Governor of the State of Oklahoma, hereby moves the Court for an Order permitting Jeffrey Bryan Wall to practice in the above styled and numbered cause pursuant to the Rules Creating and Controlling the Oklahoma Bar Association, 5 O.S. Ch. 1, App.1, Art. II. This motion is supported by the attached "Signed Application" (Exhibit A), "Certificate(s) of Good Standing" (Exhibit B), and the "Certificate of Compliance" from the Oklahoma Bar Association (Exhibit C).


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***Counsel for Defendant
Governor J. Kevin Stitt***

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

This certifies that on this 4th day of September, 2024, a true and correct copy of the foregoing instrument was mailed via first class U.S. mail, postage prepaid, to the following:

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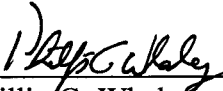
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Phillip G. Whaley

APPLICATION

APPROVED



OUT OF STATE ATTORNEY REGISTRATION

Jeffrey Bryan Wall, Applicant, respectfully represents:
First Name Middle Name Last Name

1. Applicant is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of _____
Sullivan & Cromwell LLP

Applicant's mailing address is 1700 New York Avenue NW, Suite 700
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Telephone (Firm) Telephone (Applicant's Direct Dial) Fax (Applicant)
wallj@sullcrom.com
E-mail Address (Applicant)

2. Applicant is admitted to practice and is a member in good standing
(certificates of good standing attached) of the bar(s) of the highest state court(s)
of the following state(s):

<u>State</u>	<u>Date of Admission</u>
<u>Georgia</u>	<u>01/27/2006</u>
<u>Washington, DC</u>	<u>10/13/2006</u>

3. Applicant is admitted to practice before the following United States District Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States, and/or other tribunals on the dates indicated for each, and is presently a member in good standing of the bars of said courts:

<u>Tribunal</u>	<u>Date of Admission</u>
<u>United States District Court, District of Columbia</u>	<u>12/04/2006</u>
<u>United States Court of Appeals, 1st Circuit</u>	<u>10/31/2018</u>
<u>United States Court of Appeals, 2nd Circuit</u>	<u>09/28/2006; readmitted 11/18/2021</u>
<u>United States Court of Appeals, 3rd Circuit</u>	<u>12/18/2014; readmitted 01/11/2022</u>
<u>United States Court of Appeals, 5th Circuit</u>	<u>09/02/2022</u>
<u>United States Court of Appeals, 9th Circuit</u>	<u>07/17/2006</u>
<u>United States Court of Appeals, 10th Circuit</u>	<u>03/17/2015</u>
<u>United States Court of Appeals, 11th Circuit</u>	<u>07/11/2022</u>
<u>Supreme Court of the United States</u>	<u>07/27/2009</u>

EXHIBIT

A

4. Have you ever been suspended or disbarred in any court except as hereinafter provided (Give particulars; e.g. court, jurisdiction, date): No

5. Are you currently subject to any pending disciplinary proceedings by any organization with authority to discipline attorneys at law except as hereinafter provided (Give particulars; e.g. court, discipline authority, date, status): No

6. Have you ever received public discipline including, but not limited to, suspension or disbarment, by any organization with authority to discipline attorneys at law except as hereinafter provided (Give particulars; e.g. court, discipline authority, type of discipline, date, status): No

7. Have you ever had any certificate or privilege to appear and practice before any regulatory or administrative body suspended or revoked except as hereinafter provided (Give particulars; e.g. administrative body, date, status of suspension or reinstatement):
No

8. Applicant seeks admission to practice in the State of Oklahoma in the following matter (give particulars; e.g. caption of case, court or agency, type of matter, party to be represented): **Note - A separate application is to be submitted for each matter in which the applicant seeks admission!**

Cherokee Nation v. U.S. Department of the Interior, et al.; Case No. CQ-122108

(Certified Question, Supreme Court of the State of Oklahoma; party represented:

Governor J. Kevin Stitt

9. The Oklahoma Bar Association member who is counsel of record for Applicant in this matter is:

Phillip	G.	Whaley	13371
First Name	Middle Name	Last Name	O.B.A. Number

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Mailing Address	City	State	Zip Code

(405) 239-6040	(405) 239-6766	pwhaley@ryanwhaley.com
Telephone Number	Fax Number	E-mail Address

10. The following accurately represents the names of each party in this matter and the names and addresses of each counsel of record who appear for that party:

<u>Party Name</u>	<u>Counsel Name</u>	<u>Address of Counsel</u>
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See separate attachment.

11. Applicant certifies that he/she shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of this state with respect to the laws of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the Oklahoma Bar Association.

12. Applicant understands and shall comply with the standards of professional conduct required of members of the Oklahoma Bar Association.

13. Applicant has disclosed in writing to the client that the Applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and the client has consented to such representation.

I, Jeffrey Bryan Wall, do hereby swear/affirm
under penalty of perjury that the assertions of this application are true:

I am the Applicant in the above referenced matter; I have read the foregoing and know the contents thereof; the same is true of my own knowledge except as to those matters therein stated on information and belief, and as to those matters I believe them to be true.

I further certify that I am subject to the jurisdiction of the Courts and disciplinary boards of this state with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the Oklahoma Bar Association; I understand and shall comply with the standards of professional conduct required by members of the Oklahoma Bar Association; and that I am subject to the disciplinary jurisdiction of the Oklahoma Bar Association with respect to any of my actions occurring in the course of such appearance.

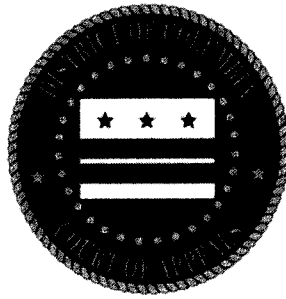
DATED this 19 day of August, 2024.


Applicant

Mail with check or money order (payable to the OBA) to:

Out-of-State Attorney Registration
Oklahoma Bar Association
P.O. Box 53036
Oklahoma City, OK 73152-3036

<u>Party Name</u>	<u>Counsel Name</u>	<u>Address of Counsel</u>
Defendant Governor J. Kevin Stitt	Jeffrey B. Wall Judson O. Littleton and Phillip G. Whaley Matthew C. Kane Patrick R. Pearce, Jr.	1700 New York Avenue, NW, Suite 700 Washington, DC 20006 400 North Walnut Avenue Oklahoma City, OK 73104
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Plaintiffs	Colin Cloud Hampson Frank Sharp Holleman, IV	145 Willow Street, Suite 200 Bonita, CA 91902
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Plaintiff Choctaw Nation	Brian Danker	1802 Chukka Hina Durant, OK 74701
Plaintiff Cherokee Nation	Chad C. Harsha	P.O. Box 1533 Tahlequah, OK 74465
Defendant U.S. Department of Interior	Kristofor R. Swanson Matthew M. Marinelli	DOJ-ENRD Natural Resources Section P.O. Box 7611 Washington, DC 20044



*On behalf of JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals,
the District of Columbia Bar does hereby certify that*

Jeffrey B Wall

*was duly qualified and admitted on October 13, 2006 as an attorney and counselor entitled to
practice before this Court; and is, on the date indicated below, an Active member in good
standing of this Bar.*

*In Testimony Whereof,
I have hereunto subscribed my
name and affixed the seal of this
Court at the City of
Washington, D.C., on August 13, 2024.*

Julio A. Castillo
JULIO A. CASTILLO
Clerk of the Court

Issued By:

David Chu - Director, Membership
District of Columbia Bar Membership

*For questions or concerns, please contact the D.C. Bar Membership Office at 202-626-3475 or email
memberservices@dcbar.org.*

EXHIBIT

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State Bar of Georgia

Lawyers Serving the Public and the Justice System

Mr. Jeffrey Bryan Wall
5235 Elliott Road
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UNITED STATES

CURRENT STATUS:	Active Member-Good Standing
DATE OF ADMISSION:	01/27/2006
BAR NUMBER:	750427
TODAY'S DATE:	08/14/2024

The prerequisites for practicing law in the State of Georgia are as follows:

- Certified by the Office of Bar Admissions, either by Exam, or on Motion (Reciprocity).
- Sworn in to the Superior Court in Georgia, highest court required to practice law in Georgia.
- Enrolled with the State Bar of Georgia, arm of the Supreme Court of Georgia.

This member is currently in "good standing" as termed and defined by **State Bar Rule 1-204**. The member is current in license fees and is not suspended or disbarred as of the date of this letter.

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Certificate of Compliance

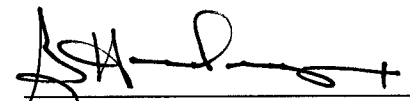
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The Oklahoma Bar Association, in response to the application of out-of-state attorney, submits the following certificate pursuant to 5 O.S. Ch.1 App.1, Art. II

1. Applicant has submitted a signed application of out-of-state attorneys, certificate(s) of good standing, and the non-refundable application fee pursuant to the Rules Creating and Controlling the Oklahoma Bar Association, 5 O.S. Ch. 1, App. 1, Art. II.
2. Date of Application: **August 28, 2024**
3. Application Number: **2024-510**
4. Applying Attorney: **Jeffrey Bryan Wall
Sullivan & Cromwell LLP
1700 New York Avenue NW, Suite 700
Washington, DC 20006**
5. The Application was: **GRANTED**

Dated this 28th day of August, 2024.




Gina L. Hendryx, General Counsel
Oklahoma Bar Association