

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

April 29, 2016

IN RE:

PETITION OF KINGSPORT POWER COMPANY
D/B/A AEP APPALACHIAN POWER FOR A
GENERAL RATE CASE.

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DOCKET NO.
16-00001

ORDER GRANTING PERMISSION TO PLEAD AND PRACTICE PRO HAC VICE

This matter is before the Hearing Officer upon the *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice* (“*Motion*”) filed by James Ronald Bacha, attorney for Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power (“Kingsport Power”). The *Motion* was filed on April 26, 2016.

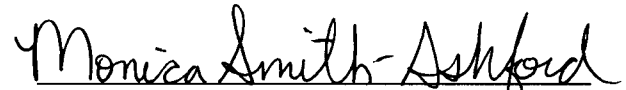
Mr. Bacha’s *Motion* states that he is licensed, in good standing, and admitted to practice law in the States of Ohio, Indiana, and the Commonwealth of Virginia and further, that no disciplinary actions or investigations are pending against him.¹ Mr. Bacha agrees to subject himself to the jurisdiction of the Tennessee Regulatory Authority (“Authority”) in any manner arising out of his conduct in such proceedings and agrees to be bound by the rules governing the conduct of attorneys appearing before the Authority.

Upon review, the Hearing Officer finds that the *Motion* complies with Rule 19 of the Rules of the Tennessee Supreme Court and Tenn. Comp. R. & Reg. 1220-1-2-.04(7). Accordingly, the *Motion* filed by James Bacha for permission to practice before the Authority in the proceedings in this matter is approved.

¹ See Rule 19, Rules of the Tennessee Supreme Court.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The *Motion for Admission Pro Hac Vice* filed by James Ronald Bacha, attorney for Kingsport Power Company d/b/a AEP Appalachian Power, is GRANTED.


Monica Smith-Ashford, Hearing Officer