## IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF ST. LOUIS COUNTY STATE OF MISSOURI

JAMES ADAMS, JR., et al.,	)
Plaintiffs,	) )
V.	)
MONSANTO COMPANY,	)
Defendant.	)

Case No. 17SL-CC02721

## MOTION FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION OF PHILIP S. BECK

Pursuant to Rule 9.03 of the Missouri Supreme Court Rules, the undersigned respectfully moves this Court to permit Philip S. Beck to practice specially in this Court in this case as attorney of record for Defendant Monsanto Company and to participate in the trial, proceedings and hearings herein. In support of this Motion, movant states:

 Philip S. Beck is an attorney licensed to practice law and a member of the firm of BartlitBeck LLP, 54 West Hubbard Street, Suite 300, Chicago, IL 60654, telephone number (312) 494-4411.

2. Philip S. Beck and the law firm of BartlitBeck LLP have been retained by Monsanto Company to act as counsel in this matter. Philip S. Beck desires to be permitted to practice specially in this Court as counsel for Defendant Monsanto Company in the above-styled cause.

3. Philip S. Beck has been admitted to practice law in the Illinois since 1977 (Illinois State Bar No. 0147168). Philip S. Beck is currently licensed and in good standing to practice law in each jurisdiction to which he is admitted.

 Neither Philip S. Beck nor any member of the firm of BartlitBeck LLP, with which Philip S. Beck practices, is under suspension or disbarment by any Court to which Philip S. Beck is admitted.

5. Philip S. Beck is familiar with the Missouri Supreme Court Rules and will at all times abide by and comply with those rules as counsel herein.

6. Erik L. Hansell of the law firm of Husch Blackwell LLP, 190 Carondelet Plaza, Suite 600, St. Louis, Missouri 63105, has agreed to act as associate counsel herein for Defendant Monsanto Company and to sponsor the motion for the *pro hac vice* admission of Philip S. Beck.

WHEREFORE, Erik L. Hansell respectfully requests that this Court permit Philip S. Beck to practice specially in this case as attorney of record for Defendant Monsanto Company and to participate in the trial, proceedings and hearings herein. A proposed order is attached hereto.

Dated: May 22, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

HUSCH BLACKWELL LLP

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 22, 2019, the foregoing was electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court for St. Louis County, Missouri using Missouri Case.Net which sent notification of such filing to all persons listed in the Court's electronic notification system.

/s/ Erik L. Hansell