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MELISSA SMITH,

Plaintiff,

v.

HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE, INC.;  
ROCHE LABORATORIES, INC.;  
F. HOFFMANN-LA ROCHE, LTD.;  
and ROCHE HOLDING, LTD.,

Defendants.

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY  
LAW DIVISION  
ATLANTIC COUNTY

DOCKET NO. ATL-L-003285-04

CIVIL ACTION

**ORDER ADMITTING MEGHAN M.  
TANS, ESQ., *PRO HAC VICE***

AND NOW, Christopher A. Seeger, Esq., counsel for Plaintiff in the above-captioned action, upon notice to all interested parties, have moved before this Court for admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Meghan M. Tans, Esq. [Levin, Papantonio, Thomas, Mitchell, Echsner & Proctor, P.A., 316 S. Baylen Street, Suite 600, P.O. Box 12308, Pensacola, Fl. 32591, (850) 435-7000]; and the Court having considered the papers in support thereof; and the Court having found that Meghan M. Tans, Esq., is a member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court in the State where she is domiciled and principally practices law and further good cause shown,

IT IS ON THIS 18 day of Jan, 2008

ORDERED that the Motion is granted and Meghan M. Tans, Esq., is admitted to practice *Pro Hac Vice* before this Court pursuant to R. 1:21-2, for all purposes and in all proceedings in

connection with this action, in the same manner as an attorney who is admitted to practice in this State and is domiciled and maintains an office for the practice of law in the State of New Jersey, provided that she shall:

1. abide by the Rules of Court for the State of New Jersey, including all disciplinary rules;
2. consent to the appointment of the Clerk of the Supreme Court as an agent upon whom service of process may be made for all actions against her and her firm that may arise out of her participation in this matter;
3. notify the Court immediately of any matter affecting her standing before this Court; and
4. have all pleadings and other papers filed in this Court signed by an attorney-at-law of this Court employed by the firm of Seeger Weiss LLP, who shall be responsible for the conduct of Meghan M. Tans, Esq., and it is further

**ORDERED** that Meghan M. Tans, Esq., shall make payment of fees as provided in the New Jersey Rules of Court, R. 1:28-1(b), 1:28-2 and 1:28b-1(e), within thirty (30) days of the date of this order, and it is further

**ORDERED** that the Clerk of this Court shall forward a copy of this Order to the Treasurer of the New Jersey Fund for Client Protection; and it is further

**ORDERED** that copies of this Order shall be served by attorneys for Plaintiff, upon counsel for the defendants within seven (7) days of the receipt thereof.

  
HONORABLE CAROL E. HIGBEE, P.J.C.