

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

In the matter of the application of

WELLS FARGO BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, THE BANK
OF NEW YORK MELLON, THE BANK OF NEW
YORK MELLON TRUST COMPANY, N.A.,
WILMINGTON TRUST, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,
HSBC BANK USA, N.A., and DEUTSCHE BANK
NATIONAL TRUST COMPANY (as Trustees, Indenture
Trustees, Securities Administrators, Paying Agents, and/or
Calculation Agents of Certain Residential Mortgage-Backed
Securitization Trusts),

Petitioners,

For Judicial Instructions under CPLR Article 77 on the
Administration and Distribution of a Settlement Payment.

Index No.: 657387/2017

**AFFIRMATION OF
ZACHARY G. NEWMAN
IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION
FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE***

Hon. Marcy S. Friedman

ZACHARY G. NEWMAN, an attorney duly admitted to practice law in the Courts of the State of New York, hereby affirms the following under the penalties of perjury, pursuant to CPLR § 2106:

1. I am a member of Hahn & Hessen LLP, local counsel for Petitioner Wells Fargo Bank, National Association (“Wells Fargo”), and, in that capacity, I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein. I respectfully submit this affirmation in support of Wells Fargo’s motion (the “Motion”) for an Order, pursuant to 22 N.Y.C.R.R. §§ 520.11 and 602.2(a), admitting Robert L. Schnell, Jr, Stephen M. Mertz, Michael F. Doty and Julie R. Landy as counsel *pro hac vice* to represent Petitioner Wells Fargo, together with Hahn & Hessen LLP, in the above-referenced action.

2. As evidenced by their respective Certificates of Good Standing attached to their accompany affidavits, Mr. Schnell, Mr. Mertz, Mr. Doty and Ms. Landy are active members in good standing of the Minnesota State Bar, having been admitted to practice law

in Minnesota on September 16, 1974; October 26, 1990; October 26, 2007 and October 29, 2010, respectively.

3. Each of their affidavits states that he or she: (a) is familiar with and shall comply with the standards of professional conduct imposed upon members of the New York State Bar, including the rules of court governing the conduct of attorneys and the Rules of Professional Conduct; (b) shall be subject to the jurisdiction of the courts of the State of New York with respect to any acts occurring during the course of his or her participation in the above-captioned matter; (c) shall be subject to all disciplinary rules and regulations of the courts of the State of New York; and (d) will notify this Court immediately of any matter affecting his or her standing with the Minnesota State Bar.

4. Accompanying this affirmation is a proposed order admitting Mr. Schnell, Mr. Mertz, Mr. Doty and Ms. Landy *pro hac vice*.

WHEREFORE, it is respectfully requested that Wells Fargo's Motion for an Order, pursuant to 22 N.Y.C.R.R. §§ 520.11 and 602.2(a), admitting Robert L. Schnell, Jr, Stephen M. Mertz, Michael F. Doty and Julie R. Landy as counsel *pro hac vice* to represent Petitioner Wells Fargo in the above action be granted in its entirety.

Dated: New York, New York
December 15, 2017

/s/ Zachary G. Newman
ZACHARY G. NEWMAN