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IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
DALLAS DIVISION

IN RE	§	
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ERICKSON RETIREMENT	§	CASE NO. 09-37010-11
COMMUNITIES, LLC,	§	
	§	CHAPTER 11
DEBTOR.	§	

APPLICATION FOR ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE*

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5. Name used to sign *all* pleadings: Thomas J. Francella, Jr.
6. Retained by: (i) Oak Crest Village, Inc.; (ii) Greenspring Village, Inc.; (iii) Riderwood Village, Inc.; (iv) Brooksby Village, Inc.; (v) Seabrook Village, Inc.; (vi) Cedar Crest Village, Inc.; (vii) Ann's Choice, Inc.; (viii) Maris Grove, Inc.; (ix) Fox Run Village, Inc.; (x) Wind Crest, Inc.; (xi) Ashby Ponds, Inc.; (xii) Highland Springs, Inc.; (xiii) Eagle's Trace, Inc.; (xiv) Linden Ponds, Inc.; (xv) Sedgebrook, Inc.; (xvi) Monarch Landing, Inc.; and (xvii) Tallgrass Creek, Inc.
7. Admitted in 1999 and presently a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the state of Delaware and issued the bar license number of 3835
8. Admitted to practice before the following courts:

Court: State of Florida	Admission Date: 2007
United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida	Admission Date: 2007
United States District Court for the District of Delaware	Admission Date: 2000

9. Are you presently a member in good standing of the bars of the courts listed above?

Yes No

If "No," please list all courts which you are no longer admitted to practice:

10. Have you ever been subject to a grievance proceeding or involuntary removal proceeding while a member of the bar of any state or federal court?

Yes No

If "Yes," please provide details:

11. Other than minor traffic offenses, have you ever been charged, arrested, or convicted of a criminal offense or offenses?

Yes No

If "Yes," please provide details:

12. Please list all cases in the United State Bankruptcy Court, Northern District of Texas in which you have filed for *pro hac vice* in the past three years:

Date of Application

Case No. and Style

None

13. Local counsel of record: J. Mark Chevallier

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I respectfully request to be admitted to practice in the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Northern District of Texas for this cause only.

I certify that I have read *Dondi Properties Corp. v. Commerce Savs. & Loan Ass'n*, 121 F.R.D. 284 (N.D. Tex. 1988) (en banc) and the local civil and bankruptcy rules of this court and will comply with the standards of practice adopted in *Dondi* and with the local civil and bankruptcy rules.

I also hereby certify that I have served a true and correct copy of this document upon each attorney of record and the original upon the Clerk of the District Court accompanied by a \$25 filing fee on October 27, 2009.

Date: October 27, 2009

/s/ Thomas J. Francella, Jr. (10/27/09)
Thomas J. Francella, Jr.

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