UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

United States of America, Plaintiff Walker River Paiute Tribe, Plaintiff(s), Intervenor vs. Walker River Irrigation District, a corporation, et al., Defendant(s).	Case #In Equity No. C-125-ECR Subfiles, C-125A, C-125B and C125C **VERIFIED PETITION FOR PERMISSION TO PRACTICE IN THIS CASE ONLY BY ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND DESIGNATION OF LOCAL COUNSEL** FILING FEE IS $200.00

Steven G. Martin, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
(name of petitioner)

1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of

Best Best & Krieger LLP
(firm name)

with offices at 655 West Broadway, 15th Floor,
(street address)

San Diego, California, 92101,
(city) (state) (zip code)

(619) 525-1300, Steven.Martin@bbklaw.com.
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by

Centennial Livestock to provide legal representation in connection with
[client(s)]

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

3. That since 6/2/2009 (date), Petitioner has been and presently is a member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of California (state) where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
California State Courts	06/02/2009	263394
California Supreme Court		
US Supreme Court		
US Court of Appeals DC Circuit		
US Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit		
US Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit	05/25/2011	n/a
US Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit		

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner, nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

n/a

6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give particulars if ever denied admission):

n/a

7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations:

California State Bar Association, Bar #263394

8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 10-2 during the past three (3) years in the following matters:

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
n/a			

(If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of the members of the bar of this court.

11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.

That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

Petitioner's signature

STATE OF California)
COUNTY OF San Diego)

Steven G. Martin, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That the foregoing statements are true.

Petitioner's signature

~~Subscribed and sworn to before me this~~

~~_____ day of _____, _____.~~

Notary Public or Clerk of Court

SEE ATTACHED CALIFORNIA COMPLIANT NOTARIAL CERTIFICATE

DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Peter Durney (name of local counsel), Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of said designated Nevada counsel is:

6900 South McCarran Blvd., suite 2060
(street address)

Reno (city), Nevada (state), 89509 (zip code),

(775) 322-2923 (area code + telephone number), petedurney@gmail.com (Email address).

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By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations binding on all of us.

APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL

The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Peter Durney (name of local counsel) as his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.

David E. Wood
(Party signature) David E. Wood, Centennial Livestock

(Party signature)

(Party signature)

CONSENT OF DESIGNEE

The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.

Peter A. Durney
Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

57 petedurney@gmail.com
Bar number Email address

APPROVED:

Dated: this _____ day of _____, 20___.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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State of California
County of San Diego

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 22nd (*Date*) day of April (*Month*), 2015 (*Year*), by
(1) Steven G. Martin
(and (2) _____),
Name(s) of Signer(s)

proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

Signature Lisa M. Atwood
Signature of Notary Public

LISA M. ATWOOD
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San Diego County
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CERTIFICATE OF STANDING

May 5, 2015

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to certify that according to the records of the State Bar, STEVEN GEORGE MARTIN, #263394 was admitted to the practice of law in this state by the Supreme Court of California on June 2, 2009; and has been since that date, and is at date hereof, an ACTIVE member of the State Bar of California; and that no recommendation for discipline for professional or other misconduct has ever been made by the Board of Trustees or a Disciplinary Board to the Supreme Court of the State of California.

THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA

Kathan Lambert
Custodian of Membership Records