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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

MINERAL COUNTY, Plaintiff, v. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, et al. Defendants.	Case # C-125-C DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO

The undersigned, attorney of record for [(name(s) of party(ies)] Mineral County, herein has submitted to the Court a "Verified Petition for Permission to Practice in this Case Only by Attorney Not Admitted to the Bar of this Court." Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, (s)he believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Treva J. Hearne, Attorney at Law, member of the State Bar of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the above-entitled Court as an associate resident counsel in this action. The address and telephone number of said designated Nevada counsel is:

Treva J. Hearne, Zeh, Saint-Aubin, Spoo & Hearne

575 Forest Street, Suite 200, Reno, Nevada 89509

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

Attorney at Law
Michael Axline

Counsel for Mineral County

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CONSENT OF DESIGNEE

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

Treva J. Hearne

Designated Resident Nevada Counsel

Treva J. Hearne

APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL

The undersigned party(ies) appoints **Treva J. Hearne** as his/her/their Designated Resident Counsel in this case.

Thomas P. Wright

Mineral County District Attorney

Client(s) or Authorized Agent(s) and title(s)

APPROVED:

Dated: December 10th, 2001

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