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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

DISTRICT OF NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, v. WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Plaintiff-Intervenor, v. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, et al.	3:73-cv-00125-RCJ-WGC 3:73-cv-00128-RCJ-WGC IN EQUITY NO. C-125 Subproceeding Nos. C-125, C-125-C **DEFENDANT CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK'S NOTICE OF APPROVED SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL, APPEARANCE OF COUNSEL, AND PRO HAC VICE PETITIONS FOR ATTORNEYS RODERICK E. WALSTON, WILLIAM J. THOMAS, AND STEVEN G. MARTIN**
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Counterclaimants, v. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, et al. Counterdefendants.	

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Please take notice that in Nevada District Court Case No. 3:73-cv-00127-RCJ-WGC (Case In Equity No. C-125, sub-file "C-125-B") defendant Centennial Livestock authorized and consented to the substitution of Best Best & Krieger LLP in the place and stead of Centennial Livestock as *pro se*, and attorneys Roderick E. Walston, William J. Thomas, and Steven G. Martin filed notices of appearance having a local address by and through Durney & Brennan Ltd. and attorney Peter Durney. For entry of the above-noted counsel's appearance in this sub-file of Case In Equity No. C-125, copies of the substitution of counsel form and notices of appearance for attorneys Roderick E. Walston, William J. Thomas, and Steven G. Martin that were previously filed in sub-file C-125-B are attached hereto as Exhibit "A." *See also* Case No. 3:73-cv-00127-RCJ-WGC (Sub-file C-125-B), ECF Nos. 2208, 2209, 2210, and 2011 (Apr. 30, 2015).

Notice is also hereby given that this Court approved the petitions for pro hac vice admission of attorneys Roderick E. Walston, William J. Thomas, and Steven G. Martin in sub-file C-125-B of the Case In Equity No. C-125. For convenience of entering the above-noted counsel's appearance in this sub-file of Case In Equity No. C-125, copies of the Court's orders previously approving the pro hac vice applications in sub-file C-125-B are attached hereto as Exhibit "B." *See also* Case No. 3:73-cv-00127-RCJ-WGC (Sub-file C-125-B), ECF Nos. 2227 (June 16, 2015), 2228 (June 16, 2015), and 2235 (June 29, 2015).

Dated: July 2, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP

By: s/ Steven G. Martin
Roderick E. Walston, admitted pro hac vice
William J. Thomas, admitted pro hac vice
Steven G. Martin, admitted pro hac vice
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CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK

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DISTRICT OF NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff, v. WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Plaintiff-Intervenor, v. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, et al.	IN EQUITY NO. 0125-RCJ-WGC Subproceeding C-125-B 3:73-cv-00127-RCJ-WGC **DEFENDANT CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK'S SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL**
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Counterclaimants, v. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, et al. Counterdefendants.	

Defendant CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK, hereby authorize and consent to the substitution of BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP and the attorneys Joshua Nelson, William Thomas and Roderick Walston having a local address by and through DURNEY & BRENNAN LTD and attorney Peter Durney in the place and stead of CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK as *pro se* in the above-entitled action.

Dated: _____, 2015

By: _____
David E. Wood,
CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK

The law firm BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP and attorneys Joshua Nelson, William Thomas and Roderick Walston hereby authorize and consent to the substitution in place of CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK appearing *pro se* in the instant action.

Dated: 4-10, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

Best Best & Krieger LLP
500 Capitol Mall
Suite 1700
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By: _____
Joshua Nelson, Bar No. 11849
Attorneys for Defendant
CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK

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LAW OFFICES OF
BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP
500 CAPITOL MALL, SUITE 1700
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814

The law firm DURNEY & BRENNAN LTD and attorney Peter Durney hereby authorize and consent to the substitution of BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP in place of CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK appearing *pro se* in the instant action and acting as local counsel for BEST BEST & KRIEGER LLP in the instant action.

Dated: 4/29, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

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By: Peter Durney
Peter Durney, Bar No. 57
Attorneys for Defendant
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Plaintiff-Intervenor vs. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, *et al.*, Defendant	IN EQUITY NO. C-125-RCJ SUBPROCEEDING NO. C-125-B 3:73-CV-00127-RCJ-WGC

NOTICE OF APPEARANCE AND INTENT TO PARTICIPATE
AND/OR
NOTICE OF SELECTING METHOD OF SERVICE

1. I hereby enter my appearance in this case **OR** I have already entered my appearance in this case and am providing the Court with my service election choice as outline in paragraph 4, below.

2. I am filing this document with the District Court by mailing it or delivering it to the following address:

U.S. District Court Clerk, Attn. C-125-B
Bruce R. Thompson Courthouse
400 S. Virginia Street, Room 301
Reno, Nevada 89501

3. If I (or the entity on whose behalf I am acting) have retained an attorney for representation in these proceedings, I identify that attorney below, along with his or her mailing address, telephone number, facsimile number, and e-mail address:

Attorney: Roderick E. Walston, Admitted Pro Hac Vice
Address: Best Best & Krieger LLP, 2001 N. Main St., Ste. 390, Walnut Creek, CA 94596
Phone Number: (925) 977-3300
E-mail Address: roderick.walston@bbklaw.com

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(Signature)

(Printed or typed Name) Roderick E. Walston

CENTENNIAL LIVESTOCK
(Entity, if any, on whose behalf you are appearing)

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Plaintiff-Intervenor vs. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, *et al.*, Defendant	IN EQUITY NO. C-125-RCJ SUBPROCEEDING NO. C-125-B 3:73-CV-00127-RCJ-WGC

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Attorney: William J. Thomas, Admitted Pro Hac Vice
Address: Best Best & Krieger LLP, 500 Capitol Mall, Ste 1700, Sacramento, CA 95814
Phone Number: (925) 977-3300
E-mail Address: william.thomas@bbklaw.com

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(Signature)

(Printed or typed Name) William J. Thomas

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Plaintiff WALKER RIVER PAIUTE TRIBE, Plaintiff-Intervenor vs. WALKER RIVER IRRIGATION DISTRICT, a corporation, *et al.*, Defendant	IN EQUITY NO. C-125-RCJ SUBPROCEEDING NO. C-125-B 3:73-CV-00127-RCJ-WGC

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3. If I (or the entity on whose behalf I am acting) have retained an attorney for representation in these proceedings, I identify that attorney below, along with his or her mailing address, telephone number, facsimile number, and e-mail address:

Attorney: Steven G. Martin, Pending Admission Pro Hac Vice
Address: Best Best & Krieger LLP, 655 West Broadway, 15th Floor, San Diego, CA 92101
Phone Number: (619) 525-1300
E-mail Address: Steven.Martin@bbklaw.com

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(Signature)

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EXHIBIT “B”

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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

Roderick E. Walston, 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 2001 North Main Street, Suite 390 (street address), Walnut Creek (city), California (state), 94596 (zip code), (925) 977-3300 (area code + telephone number), roderick.walston@bbklaw.com (Email address).

2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by Centennial Livestock [client(s)] to provide legal representation in connection with the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

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3. That since 1/16/1962 (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	01/16/1962	32675
California Supreme Court	01/16/1962	
US Supreme Court	03/19/1973	
US Court of Appeals DC Circuit	06/15/1990	40088
US Court of Appeals for the Federal Circuit	01/26/2012	
US Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit	02/03/1976	
US Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit	07/31/2008	

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

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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 #32675

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.

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

Roderick E. Walston
Petitioner's signature

STATE OF California)
)
COUNTY OF Contra Costa)

Roderick E. Walston, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That the foregoing statements are true.

Roderick E. Walston
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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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA)

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 7th day of April, 2015, by Roderick E. Walston, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

Signature: Elizabeth Balloue (seal)

ELIZABETH BALLOUE
Commission # 2083772
Notary Public - California
Contra Costa County
My Comm. Expires Oct 9, 2018

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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.

(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.

Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

57 petedurney@gmail.com

Bar number Email address

APPROVED:

Dated this 16th day of June, 2015.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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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

William J. Thomas, 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 500 Capitol Mall, Suite 1700,
(street address)

Sacramento (city), California (state), 95814 (zip code),

(916) 325-4000 (area code + telephone number), william.thomas@bbklaw.com (Email address).

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

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

the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

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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:

Sacramento County Bar Association

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
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(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.

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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 Sacramento)

William J. Thomas, 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_____.

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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:

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA)
COUNTY OF SACRAMENTO)

Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 10th day of April, 2015, by William J. Thomas, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

Signature: _____ (seal)

P. ALSHABAZZ
Commission # 1998565
Notary Public - California
Sacramento County
My Comm. Expires Nov 18, 2016

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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.

(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.

Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

57 petedurney@gmail.com

Bar number Email address

APPROVED:

Dated this 16th day of June, 2015.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
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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.

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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

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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 29th day of June, 2015.

R. Jones
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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Notary Public - California
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.

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Kathan Lambert
Custodian of Membership Records