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DEFAULT JUDGMENT AND FINAL JUDGMENT OF FORFEITURE

2. Jesus Fletes and Ricardo Fletes are held in default. 3. A judgment by default is hereby entered against any right, title, or interest in the defendant approximately \$19,500.00 in U.S. Currency of Jesus Fletes, Ricardo Fletes, and all other potential claimants who have not filed claims in this action. 4. A final judgment is hereby entered forfeiting all right, title, and interest in the defendant approximately \$19,500.00 in U.S. Currency to the United States of America, to be disposed of according to law, including all right, title, and interest of Jesus Fletes and Ricardo Fletes. 5. All parties shall bear their own costs and attorneys' fees. This Court DIRECTS the clerk to close this action. IT IS SO ORDERED. /s/ Lawrence J. O'Neill
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE **Dated:** <u>December 15, 2009</u>