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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	1:10-CV-01254-AWI-SMS
)	
12 Plaintiff,)	APPLICATION AND ORDER FOR
)	PUBLICATION
13 v.)	
)	
14 APPROXIMATELY \$8,364.00 IN U.S.)	
15 CURRENCY,)	
16 Defendant.)	

17 The United States of America, Plaintiff herein, applies for an order of publication as
 18 follows:

- 19 1. Rule G(4) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset
 20 Forfeiture Actions (hereafter "Supplemental Rules") provides that the Plaintiff shall cause public
 21 notice of the action to be given in a newspaper of general circulation or on the official internet
 22 government forfeiture site;
- 23 2. Local Rule 171, Eastern District of California, provides that the Court shall
 24 designate by order the appropriate newspaper or other vehicle for publication;
- 25 3. The defendant approximately \$8,364.00 in U.S. Currency (hereafter "defendant
 26 currency") was seized in the city of Modesto, Stanislaus County, California, and is in the custody
 27 of the U.S. Marshals Service, Eastern District of California. The Drug Enforcement
 28 Administration published notice of the nonjudicial forfeiture of the defendant currency on April

1 12, 19, and 26, 2010, in the *Wall Street Journal*.

2 4. Plaintiff proposes that publication be made as follows:

3 a. One publication;

4 b. Thirty (30) consecutive days;

5 c. On the official internet government forfeiture site www.forfeiture.gov;

6 d. The publication is to include the following:

7 (1) The Court and case number of the action;

8 (2) The date of the seizure/posting;

9 (3) The identity and/or description of the property seized/posted;

10 (4) The name and address of the attorney for the Plaintiff;

11 (5) A statement that claims of persons entitled to possession or
12 claiming an interest pursuant to Supplemental Rule G(5) must be filed with the Court and served
13 on the attorney for the Plaintiff no later than 60 days after the first day of publication on the
14 official internet government forfeiture site; and

15 (6) A statement that answers to the Complaint or a motion under Rule
16 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure ("Fed. R. Civ. P.") must be filed and served within 21
17 days after the filing of the claims and, in the absence thereof, default may be entered and
18 condemnation ordered.

19 Dated: July 14, 2010

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22 **ORDER**

23 IT IS SO ORDERED.

24 Dated: July 15, 2010

/s/ Sandra M. Snyder
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE