UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA AT FRESNO

CASE NO.

VS.

Plaintiff(s)/Petitioner(s),

Defendant(s)/Respondent(s)

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In accordance with the provisions of Title 28, U.S.C. Sec. 636(c)(1), the undersigned hereby voluntarily consents to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct all further proceedings in this case, including trial and entry of final judgment, with direct review by the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals, in the event an appeal is filed.

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	B, U.S.C. Sec. 636(c)(2), the undersigned acknowledges the tes Magistrate Judge but elects to have this case randomly assigned Judge.
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