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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

VAAI LOCKHART,

Plaintiff,

v.

NO. CIV. S-11-1895 LKK/KJN

DOE 1, an individual and  
SOUTHWEST AIRLINES CO., a  
corporation, and DOES 2  
through 25, inclusive,

Defendants.

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**ORDER OF RECUSAL AND REASSIGNMENT**

It appearing to the undersigned, the judge to whom this case is presently assigned for all purposes, that the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 455 mandate the disqualification of the undersigned.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that:

1. The undersigned recuses himself as the judge to whom this case is assigned;
2. All currently scheduled dates in the above-captioned action are **VACATED**;

1           3. The Clerk of the Court reassign this case to another  
2 judge for all further proceedings, making appropriate adjustments  
3 in the assignments of civil cases to compensate for such  
4 reassignment; and

5           4. This case is REASSIGNED to the Honorable  
6 Kimberly J. Mueller.

7           IT IS SO ORDERED.

8           DATED: August 15, 2011.

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LAWRENCE K. KARLTON  
SENIOR JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT