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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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11 JOYCE WILLIAMS,

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

14 STOCKTON POLICE DEPARTMENT, et  
15 al.,

16 Defendants.

No. 2:13-cv-02251-TLN-AC

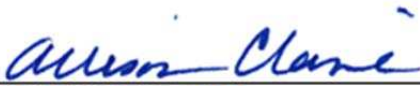
ORDER

17 This matter is before the undersigned pursuant to Local Rule 302(c)(21). Plaintiff filed  
18 her complaint in pro per on October 29, 2013. ECF No. 1. Defendants Samuel Gramajo and  
19 Donata Gramajo filed an answer on August 13, 2014, that was also signed by Otto Noe Gramajo.  
20 ECF No. 17. Otto Noe Gramajo seemed to be attempting to sign on behalf of defendant GK7,  
21 Inc., however, a search of the State Bar of California's website reveals that Otto Noe Gramajo is  
22 not an attorney licensed to practice in this state. Local Rule 183(a) requires that corporations and  
23 other entities be represented by an attorney. Since GK7, Inc. is a "corporation or other entity," all  
24 of its filings must be signed by a licensed attorney representing it. Accordingly, THE COURT  
25 HEREBY ORDERS that:

26 1. Defendants GK7, Inc., Donata Gramajo, and Samuel Gramajo's answer filed on  
27 August 13, 2014, is STRICKEN; and  
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1           2.       Defendants GK7, Inc., Donata Gramajo, and Samuel Gramajo must file an  
2 amended answer within thirty (30) days of the service of this order. If that amended answer is  
3 filed on behalf of GK7, Inc. it must be signed by an attorney licensed to practice the law in this  
4 state.

5 DATED: February 5, 2015

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7 ALLISON CLAIRE  
8 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE  
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