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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	No. 2:14-cv-2097 TLN KJN
Plaintiff,)	
v.)	**REQUEST FOR SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL AND ORDER**
OMAR VALDIVIA,)	
Petitioner.)	

Petitioner, OMAR VALDIVIA, hereby moves this Court for an order substituting Krista Hart, Attorney at Law, Post Office Box 188794, Sacramento, CA 95818, telephone (916) 498-8398; as counsel for the Petitioner in the above-entitled case. The Federal Defender's Office has determined that it is currently unable to continue its representation of Petitioner. Ms. Hart has agreed to represent Mr. Valdivia.

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Ms. Hart is aware of any deadlines in this case. The undersigned is authorized to sign this substitution motion on her behalf.

Dated: January 21, 2015

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 21, 2015   /s/ Krista Hart
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O R D E R

Pursuant to this Motion for Substitution of Counsel and for the reasons stated therein, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Krista Hart, Attorney at Law, shall be substituted in as appointed counsel for Petitioner in place of the Office of the Federal Defender for the Eastern District of California.

Dated: January 29, 2015

KENDALL J. NEWMAN
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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