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

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11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

2:14-CV-02950-MCE-CKD

12 Plaintiff,

13 v.

**APPLICATION AND ORDER FOR  
PUBLICATION**

14 APPROXIMATELY \$200,979.15 SEIZED  
FROM TRADEHILL, INC., HELD IN THE  
15 NAME OF MEGAN THOMPSON,

16 APPROXIMATELY \$53,302.06 SEIZED  
FROM TRADEHILL, INC., HELD IN THE  
17 NAME OF MATTHEW GILLUM,

18 1,238.6004395 BITCOINS VALUED AT  
APPROXIMATELY \$464,772.43 SEIZED  
19 FROM TRADEHILL, INC., HELD IN THE  
NAME OF MEGAN THOMPSON, and

20 55.87584198 BITCOINS VALUED AT  
21 APPROXIMATELY \$20,996.85 SEIZED  
FROM TRADEHILL, INC., HELD IN THE  
22 NAME OF MATTHEW GILLUM,

23 Defendants.

24 The United States of America applies for an order of publication as follows:

25 1. Rule G(4) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or Maritime Claims and Asset  
26 Forfeiture Actions (hereafter "Supplemental Rules") provides that the Plaintiff shall cause public  
27 notice of the action to be given in a newspaper of general circulation or on the official internet  
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1 government forfeiture site;

2           2.       Local Rule 171, Eastern District of California, provides that the Court shall designate  
3 by order the appropriate newspaper or other vehicle for publication;

4           3.       The defendant assets were seized on October 22, 2014 and November 24, 2014 in  
5 Sacramento, in Sacramento County, California.

6           4.       The United States proposes that publication be made as follows:

7               a.       One publication;

8               b.       Thirty (30) consecutive days;

9               c.       On the official internet government forfeiture site [www.forfeiture.gov](http://www.forfeiture.gov);

10              d.       The publication is to include the following:

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

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

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

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

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

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

5 Dated: 12/19/2014

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7 By: /s/ Kevin C. Khasigian  
8 KEVIN C. KHASIGIAN  
Assistant U.S. Attorney

9 IT IS SO ORDERED.

10 Dated: December 30, 2014

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CAROLYN K. DELANEY  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE