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ASSOCIATES, INC.

Plaintiffs,

v.

JOHN ASHCROFT, in his official capacity as
Attorney General of the United States,

Defendant.

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) **Case No. 04-CV-1127-BZ**
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) **DEFENDANT'S DECLINATION**
) **TO PROCEED BEFORE A**
) **MAGISTRATE JUDGE AND**
) **REQUEST FOR**
) **REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED**
) **STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**

REQUEST FOR REASSIGNMENT TO A UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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The undersigned party hereby declines to consent to the assignment of this case to a United States Magistrate Judge for trial and disposition and hereby requests the reassignment of this case to a United States District Judge.

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