

AO 154 (10/03) Substitution of Attorney

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

Northern District of California

ERIK ALAN THOMAS

Plaintiff (s),

V.

HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC.

Defendant (s),

CONSENT ORDER GRANTING SUBSTITUTION OF ATTORNEY

CASE NUMBER: C 06-2705 SI

Notice is hereby given that, subject to approval by the court, Defendant, HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC., substitutes
(Party (s) Name)

Gary M. McLaughlin, State Bar No. 217832 as counsel of record in
(Name of New Attorney)

place of WINSTON & STRAWN LLP.
(Name of Attorney (s) Withdrawing Appearance)

Contact information for new counsel is as follows:

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I consent to the above substitution.

Date: 10/22/09

HOME DEPOT U.S.A., INC.


(Signature of Party (s))

I consent to being substituted.

Date: September 28, 2009

WINSTON & STRAWN LLP

Paul J. Coady
/s/
(Signature of Former Attorney (s))

I consent to the above substitution.

Date: 10/22/09


(Signature of New Attorney)

The substitution of attorney is hereby approved and so ORDERED.

Date: _____


Judge

Hon. Susan Illston

[Note: A separate consent order of substitution must be filed by each new attorney wishing to enter an appearance.]

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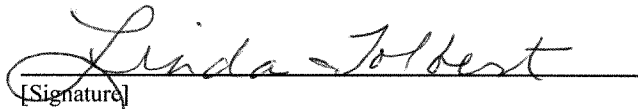
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Linda Tolbert
[Print Name of Person Executing Proof]


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