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 8 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
 9 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
 10 **SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION**

12 SAMUEL B. JOHNSON, III,	)	Case No. C 07-05756 SI
	)	
13 Plaintiff,	)	
	)	<b>REQUEST TO REMOVE ATTACHMENT</b>
14 v.	)	<b>TO DOC. #403 (403-2) FROM PUBLIC</b>
	)	<b>VIEW AND [PROPOSED] ORDER</b>
15 CHEVRON CORPORATION et al,	)	
	)	
16 Defendants.	)	
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18 On January 22, 2010, Defendants filed Court Doc.# 403, Part 2 ("403-2"). That document  
 19 consists of 27 pages of exhibits (Exhibits H-N), attachments to the Declaration of Delia A.  
 20 Isvoranu (Doc. #403). Included therein was Exhibit K, the Court's November 30, 2007 Referral for  
 21 Reassignment (Doc. #4), filed by the Court prior to Defendants being served with the Complaint  
 22 and Summons in this action. Defense counsel was recently contacted by Plaintiff who advised that  
 23 Exhibit K (pages 13-14 of 27) is a document which the Court had previously removed from the  
 24 public's view upon its filing (prior to Defendants being served or appearing in this action). Indeed,  
 25 Plaintiff advised that he received Exhibit K (Doc. #4) "by U.S. mail in 2007" from the Court,  
 26 presumably because the Court did not post the Referral for Reassignment on the ECF system.

27 The document does not contain any social security or taxpayer-identification numbers;  
 28 dates of birth; names of minor children (only initials appear); financial account numbers; or home

1 addresses. However, as it does appear to have been previously shielded from public access for  
2 some reason, and per Plaintiff's request, Defendants respectfully request that public access to Doc.  
3 403-2 be blocked as it contains a copy, at pages 13-14, of Exhibit K, the Court's prior Referral for  
4 Reassignment.

5 Respectfully submitted,

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7 DATED: January 26, 2010

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8 By: \_\_\_\_\_ /s/  
9 ROBERT D. EASSA  
10 DELIA A. ISVORANU  
11 Attorneys for Defendants

12 **[PROPOSED] ORDER**

13 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that Doc. #403-2 shall be blocked from the public's view and  
14 will not be made viewable to the public.

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16 DATED: January , 2010



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18 HON. SUSAN ILLSTON  
19 United States District Court