

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 Northern District of California

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4 LESLI BURCH

5 Plaintiff(s),

No. C 09-04214 MEJ

6 v.

7 GMAC MORTGAGE

**ORDER DIRECTING DEFENDANT
PAUL FINANCIAL TO FILE
CONSENT/DECLINATION FORM**

8 Defendant(s).
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9 Pending before the Court is Defendant Paul Financial's Motion to Dismiss. Upon review of
10 the record in this action, the Court notes that Paul Financial has not filed a written consent to
11 Magistrate Judge James' jurisdiction. This civil case was randomly assigned to Magistrate Judge
12 James for all purposes including trial. In accordance with 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), the magistrate judges
13 of this district court are designated to conduct any and all proceedings in a civil case, including trial
14 and entry of final judgment, upon the consent of the parties. An appeal from a judgment entered by
15 Magistrate Judge James may be taken directly to the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth
16 Circuit in the same manner as an appeal from any other judgment of a district court.

17 You have the right to have your case assigned to a United States District Judge for trial and
18 disposition. Accordingly, Paul Financial shall inform the Court whether it consents to Magistrate
19 Judge James' jurisdiction or requests reassignment to a United States District Judge for trial. A copy
20 of both the consent and declination forms may be obtained from the Northern District of California's
21 website at <http://www.cand.uscourts.gov/>. From the homepage, click on the "Forms" tab on the left
22 margin, then choose "Civil." The consent/declination form shall be filed by January 7, 2010.

23 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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25 Dated: December 28, 2009

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28 Maria-Elena James
Chief United States Magistrate Judge