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6	IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7	FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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9	ALAN J WATSON, ET AL.,
10	Plaintiffs, No. C 10-01394 JSW
11	v.
12	SOLDADO CORPORATION, ET AL., ORDER RENEWING BRIEFING SCHEDULE ON MOTION TO SET
13	Defendants. ASIDE DEFAULT
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15	On December 3, 2010, Plaintiffs filed a request for entry of default against Defendants
16	Brian J. Engel ("Engel"), BJE, Inc., and JC Funding Solutions, Inc. On December 6, 2010,
17	default was entered against those Defendants.
18	On December 13, 2010, Defendant Engel filed an Answer to Complaint. On January 31,
19	2011, Engel filed a motion to set aside default on the following grounds: "excusable neglect
20	caused the delay in [filing] an answer to plaintiff's complaint; defendant has a good and
21	meritorious defense to the claim for relief alleged; defendant filed a timely answer to the

plaintiff's complaint but in a form that may not have been acceptable to the Court; defendant
subsequently filed an answer to plaintiff's complaint in a form that should have been acceptable

to the Court." (Doc. no. 53.)

Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 55(c) provides that "[t]he court may set aside an entry of default for good cause." By Order entered February 22, 2011, the Court ordered Defendant Engel to file an affidavit setting forth the factual basis for the "excusable neglect" causing the delay in responding to the complaint or other grounds for setting aside the default, to demonstrate whether good cause exists to set aside the default. The Court ordered Defendant
 Engel to file the supporting affidavit by no later than March 15, 2011.

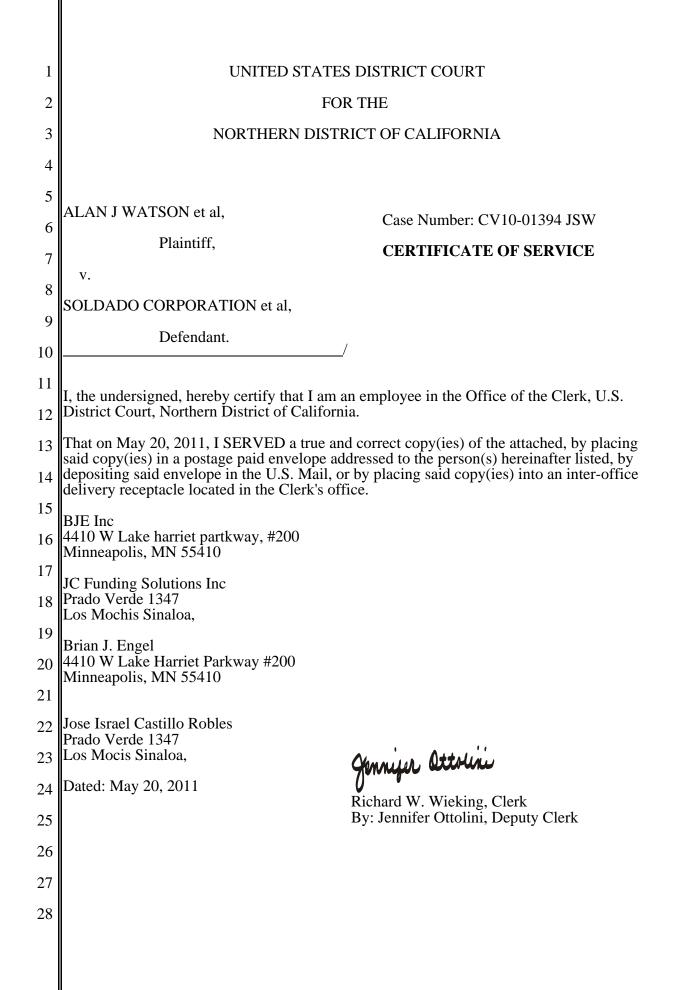
Upon review of the docket, the Court determines that Defendant Engel was not served a copy of the February 22, 2011 Order. The Court therefore renews briefing on the motion to set aside entry of default. Defendant Engel must file an affidavit to demonstrate good cause pursuant to Rule 55(c) by June 17, 2011. Plaintiffs may file a response within one week of the filing of Engel's affidavit, but no later than June 24, 2011, on which date the Court will take the matter under submission.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

11 Dated:May 20, 2011

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JEFFRÉY Ś. WHITE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE



## United States District Court For the Northern District of California