

1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
2 Northern District of California

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4 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

No. C 10-5408 MEJ

5 Plaintiff,

**ORDER DIRECTING PARTIES TO
FILE CONSENT/DECLINATION
FORM**

6 v.

7 \$66,000 IN UNITED STATES CURRENCY,

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

18 You have the right to have your case assigned to a United States District Judge for trial and
19 disposition. Accordingly, the parties shall inform the Court whether they consent to Magistrate
20 Judge James' jurisdiction or request reassignment to a United States District Judge for trial. A copy
21 of both the consent and declination forms may be obtained from the Northern District of California's
22 website at <http://www.cand.uscourts.gov/>. From the homepage, choose "Forms" and then "Civil
23 Forms." The parties shall inform the Court of their decision by June 2, 2011.

24 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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26 Dated: May 23, 2011

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Maria-Elena James
Chief United States Magistrate Judge