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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

IN RE GENERAL CAPACITOR

CASE NO. 16-cv-02458 HSG
Consolidated Case: 17-cv-00179 HSG

**ORDER GRANTING ADMINISTRATIVE
MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL
ON CONSENT OF CLIENT**

Hon. Haywood S. Gilliam, Jr.

1 **ORDER**

2 Plaintiffs/Counter-defendants ENERTRODE, INC. and LINDA ZHONG (“Plaintiffs”) and
3 the law firm of BERKES CRANE ROBINSON & SEAL LLP and its attorneys Peter J. Marcus,
4 Steven M. Haskell and Laurie S. Julien’s (collectively “BCRS”) have filed an Administrative
5 Motion for Withdrawal on Consent of Client (“Motion”), seeking an order permitting BCRS’
6 withdraw from further representation of Plaintiffs in this action. Whereas the Court finds Good
7 Cause therefor, **NOW THEREFORE,**

8 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED AS FOLLOWS:**

- 9 1. Reasonable notice of the Motion was provided to Plaintiffs in advance of its filing.
- 10 2. Following their receipt of the Motion and supporting papers, Plaintiffs provided
11 their written consent both to BCRS’ withdrawal and to the filing of the Motion.
- 12 3. Co-Counsel Michael W. Battin, of Navigato & Battin, LLP also consented to the
13 relief requested and was a signatory to the moving papers. Mr. Battin and Navigato & Battin, LLP
14 presently represents Plaintiffs, represented them prior to BCRS’ appearance, and will continue to
15 represent them on all matters related to this action following the withdrawal, thereby obviating any
16 need to substitute in new counsel. Mr. Battin has represented he and his firm will continue to be
17 served on all papers on behalf of Plaintiffs, and will continue to serve as their counsel.
- 18 4. Withdrawal is appropriate in these circumstances. Accordingly, the Motion is
19 hereby **GRANTED**. Leave is hereby granted for BERKES CRANE ROBINSON & SEAL LLP
20 and its attorneys Peter J. Marcus, Steven M. Haskell and Laurie S. Julien to withdraw from further
21 representation of Plaintiffs in this action. Their withdrawal is hereby ORDERED, effective as of
22 the date this Order is entered.

23 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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25 Dated: November 27, 2017

26 By: 
Hon. Haywood S. Gilliam, Jr.
27 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT JUDGE
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