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10 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 11 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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13 **CAROL LOEB SHLOSS,**

14 **Plaintiff,**

15 **v.**

16 **SEÁN SWEENEY, in his capacity as**
trustee of the Estate of James Joyce, and
 17 **THE ESTATE OF JAMES JOYCE,**

18 **Defendants.**

Case No. CV 06-3718 JW (HRL)

**DECLARATION OF MARIA K.
 NELSON IN SUPPORT OF
 DEFENDANTS' RESPONSE TO
 PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR
 JUDICIAL CLARIFICATION OF
 BASES FOR PRIOR ORDER
 AWARDING ATTORNEYS' FEES**

Date: December 10, 2007
Time: 9:00 a.m.
Judge: Hon. James Ware

20 I, Maria K. Nelson, do hereby declare:

21 1. I am an attorney admitted to practice in California and this Court. I represent Seán
 22 Sweeney, in his capacity as trustee of the Estate of James Joyce, and The Estate of James Joyce
 23 (collectively "Defendants") in the above-captioned matter. Except as otherwise stated, I have
 24 personal and first-hand knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and if called as a witness, I could
 25 and would testify competently thereto.
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1 2. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of Defendants' Opposition
2 to Plaintiff's Motion for Award of Attorneys' Fees and Costs, Docket No. 78, which was filed
3 with this Court on May 14, 2007.

4 3. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of the Declaration of Maria
5 K. Nelson in Support of Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Award of Attorneys'
6 Fees and Costs, Docket No. 80, which was also filed with this Court on May 14, 2007.

7 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on this
8 19th day of November, 2007 at Los Angeles, California.

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By: _____ /s/
 Maria K. Nelson