

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO

Civil Action No. 14-cv-03371-REB-NYW

RALPH W. MCVEY,

Plaintiff,

v.

US BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION,  
CITIMORTGAGE, INC.,

Defendants.

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**ORDER OF RECUSAL**

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Magistrate Judge Nina Y. Wang

Title 28 U.S.C. § 455(b) requires that a judge disqualify herself in certain circumstances in which her impartiality might be reasonably questioned. The provision is self-enforcing on the part of the judge. *See United States v. Pearson*, 203 F.3d 1243, 1276 (10th Cir. 2000). Simply put, “[w]hat matters is not the reality of bias or prejudice but its appearance.” *Liteky v. United States*, 510 U.S. 540, 548 (1994).

Upon review of the file of this case, I conclude that I must recuse myself from further service in this case. Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED that:

- (1) I recuse myself from further service in this matter; and
- (2) The Clerk of the Court shall cause this case to be reassigned to another Magistrate Judge.

Dated: February 19, 2015

BY THE COURT:

/s/ Nina Y. Wang  
Nina Y. Wang  
United States Magistrate Judge