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15 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
 16 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

17 CENTEX HOMES, a Nevada general
 18 partnership,
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 20 Plaintiff,
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 22 vs.
 23 ST PAUL FIRE AND MARINE INSURANCE
 24 COMPANY, a Connecticut corporation,
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 26 Defendant.

CASE NO.: 2:14-CV-01159-JCM-PAL

JOINT REQUEST TO LIFT STAY

27 Plaintiff, CENTEX HOMES (“Centex”) and Defendant, ST. PAUL FIRE AND MARINE
 28 INSURANCE COMPANY (“Travelers”) hereby file this joint request that the stay of this action
 be lifted.

The Court stayed this action pursuant to the parties’ stipulation and LR16.1-20 pending the
 Nevada Supreme Court’s ruling on the issue of whether an insured has a right to independent
 counsel in Nevada and, if so, under what circumstances. (Doc. 24). These were issues of first
 impression in Nevada and are central to the outcome of the instant action.

On September 24, 2015, the Nevada Supreme Court issued a decision in the case of *State
 Farm Mutual Auto. Ins. Co. v. Hansen* (“Hansen”) (Nevada Supreme Court case no., 64484)

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deciding these issues for the first time in Nevada. A copy of the decision is attached hereto as Exhibit "1." Now that the Nevada Supreme Court has provided the parties with guidance on this issue of first impression, the stay in this case can be lifted.

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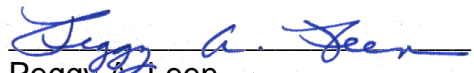
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IT IS SO ORDERED this 8th day
of October, 2015.


Peggy A. Leen
United States Magistrate Judge