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14 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**

15 **DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

16 JOHN HAROLD McCULLOUGH,

17 Plaintiff,

18 vs.

19 RICHARD MACHADO, LT. BJERKE, SGT.
20 JERRY ALLEN, DEPUTY POPPERNUFF,
21 DEPUTY PASQUAL, DEPUTY JERRY,

22 Defendants.

CASE NO. 3:16-cv-00225-MMD-VPC

**MOTION FOR DISASSOCIATION OF
COUNSEL**

23 COME NOW, Defendants, RICHARD MACHADO, THOMAS BJERKE, JERRY
24 ALLEN, DON POFFENROTH, PHILIPP PASQUAL, JERRY REID, by and through their
25 attorneys of record, Thorndal Armstrong Delk Balkenbush & Eisinger, and hereby respectfully
26 move the court for an order disassociating Kevin A. Pick, Esq., and Joseph E. Balkenbush, Esq.,
27 from this matter. Kevin A. Pick, Esq., and Joseph E. Balkenbush, Esq., are no longer associated
28 with the firm of Thorndal Armstrong Delk Balkenbush & Eisinger, accordingly they should be
disassociated as counsel for the Defendants, RICHARD MACHADO, THOMAS BJERKE,

1 JERRY ALLEN, DON POFFENROTH, PHILIPP PASQUAL, JERRY REID. Katherine F.
2 Parks, Esq. and Adam L. Woodrum, Esq., of the firm Thorndal Armstrong Delk Balkenbush &
3 Eisinger will continue to represent the Defendants in this action.

4 Thorndal Armstrong Delk Balkenbush & Eisinger respectfully requests the removal of
5 KEVIN A. PICK and JOSEPH E. BALKENBUSH from the list of attorneys associated with this
6 case, as well as future pleadings.
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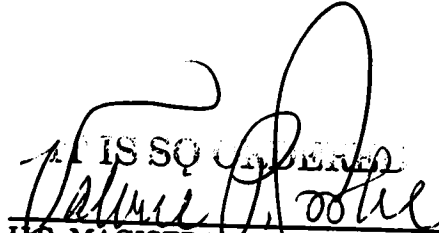
8 DATED this 29th day of December, 2017.

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24 U.S. MAGISTRATE JUDGE

25 DATED: February 24, 2018
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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Pursuant to FRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of THORNDAL ARMSTRONG DELK BALKENBUSH & EISINGER, and that on this date I caused the foregoing **MOTION FOR DISASSOCIATION OF COUNSEL** to be served on all parties to this action by:

placing an original or true copy thereof in a sealed, postage prepaid, envelope in the United States mail at Reno, Nevada.

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/ s / **Sam Baker**
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