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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW MEXICO

J.R., a minor, by and through Jennifer Rhines, her next friend and mother, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

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CV No. 17-0431 RB/CG

CHRIS STANDLEY, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO APPOINT GUARDIAN AD LITEM

THIS MATTER is before the Court on Plaintiffs' *Unopposed Motion for*Appointment of Guardian Ad Litem for Settlement Involving a Minor, (Doc. 70), filed

November 27, 2017. The Court, having reviewed the Motion, noting that it is

unopposed, and being fully advised in the premises, finds that Plaintiffs' Motion is well-taken and should be **GRANTED**.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Michael Newell is appointed Guardian ad Litem for Plaintiff J.R. to review the terms of the proposed settlement and to submit to the Court a written report with observations and recommendations concerning the proposed settlement.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Mr. Newell shall have access to J.R.'s medical and other records which are relevant to the issues in this case, and any provider or other person is hereby authorized to release copies of records and information to him.

THE HONORABLE CARMEN E. GARZA UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE