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**Sent Via ECF To:**

Honorable Judge Ramon E. Reyes  
United States District Court  
Eastern District of New York  
225 Cadman Plaza East  
Brooklyn, NY 11201

**Re: Mikhlyn, et al. v. Bove, et al.**  
**Case No. 1:08-cv-3367**

Honorable Judge Reyes:

I represent the defendants in the matter referenced above and I write to request that I be relieved due to lack of communication between myself and my clients.

Our differences over strategy and resolution of the case have gotten to the point that they interfere with our ability to communicate and have prevented my firm from providing the defendants with meaningful, effective and proper representation.

I shall be glad to discuss the specifics of this request in camera if the court so requires since a detailed discussion would involve disclosure of confidential communications.

To some degree the communications breakdown is related to my serious health problems, which I have previously reported to the court, and which have forced me to look into re-structuring my practice.

Based on the foregoing, it is respectfully requested that I be permitted to withdraw from representation. A copy of this letter has been sent to my clients.

Very truly yours,

/s/ Boris Kogan  
Boris Kogan (BK-9135)

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