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CLERK U.S. DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
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Re:

Fleming, et al. v. Corporation of the President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, et al.

Case No. C04-2338 RSM

Dear Mr. Williams and Ms. Cuaresma:

This firm represents defendants in the above-referenced matter. We are in receipt of the Court's Order Setting Trial Date & Related Dates.

We write to advise the court of an irreconcilable conflict with the scheduled trial date of March 6, 2006, and to request a brief continuance of the trial date. The assigned representatives for the Corporation of The President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints are unavailable during the month of March 2006, but would be available anytime after April 5, 2006. Defendants are not requesting a change in any of the pretrial dates listed in the Court's Order, specifically and including, the discovery and mediation deadlines, only the trial date itself.

We appreciate your consideration of this request. Please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned should you need additional information.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Attorneys for Defendants

cc: Michael Pfau, Counsel for Plaintiff
Timothy Kosnoff, Counsel for Plaintiff

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