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3 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
4 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
5 AT TACOMA

6 GREGORY W. CHAPMAN,

7 Petitioner,

8 v.

9 JEFFERY UTTECHT,

10 Respondent.

No. C10-5418 RJB/KLS

ORDER DIRECTING RESPONSE TO  
PETITIONER'S MOTION TO STAY OR  
WITHDRAW HABEAS PETITION

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12 This habeas corpus petition has been referred to United States Magistrate Judge Karen L.  
13 Strombom pursuant to Title 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1) and Local MJR 3 and 4. Petitioner Gregory  
14 W. Chapman has filed a motion to stay or withdraw his habeas petition pending resolution of his  
15 appeal before the Washington Court of Appeals, Case No. 40708-6-11. Dkt. 12.

16 Petitioner did not serve the Respondent with his motion. The court directs the  
17 Respondent to file a response to the motion. Accordingly, it is **ORDERED**:

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19 1) Respondent shall file a response to Petitioner's motion to stay or withdraw his  
20 habeas petition **on or before September 24, 2010**.

21 2) The Clerk shall send copies of this Order to Petitioner and Respondent.

22 Dated this 30th\_ day of August, 2010.

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25 Karen L. Strombom  
26 United States Magistrate Judge