

1                   **IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

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3                   SAMUEL HOWARD

4                   Appellant,

5                   vs.

6                   RENEE BAKER, WARDEN, and  
7                   CATHERINE CORTEZ MASTO,  
8                   ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE STATE  
9                   OF NEVADA,

                  Respondents.

Case No. 57469

DEATH PENALTY CASE

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10                   **MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE COUNSEL**  
11                   **AND TO SUBSTITUTE FOREIGN COUNSEL**

12                   Appellant Samuel Howard, in the above titled action, pursuant to Nevada Rule of Appellate  
13                   Procedure 46(d)(2), hereby moves to substitute local counsel, Paola M. Armeni, Esq. of Gordon  
14                   Silver, 3960 Howard Hughes Parkway, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor, Las Vegas, NV 89169, (702)796-5555 and to  
15                   associate foreign counsel, Teresa A. Hampton and Brady Ward King of Federal Defender Services  
16                   of Idaho, 702 W. Idaho St., Ste. 900, Boise, Idaho 83702, (208)331-5530, to represent Appellant  
17                   Samuel Howard, as his attorney in place and stead of the Federal Public Defenders - District of  
18                   Nevada.<sup>1</sup>

19                   Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2012.

20                   LAW OFFICES OF THE  
21                   FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER

22                   LORI C. TEICHER  
23                   First Assistant Federal Public Defender  
24                   Nevada State Bar No. 6143

25                   MEGAN C. HOFFMAN  
26                   Assistant Federal Public Defender  
27                   Nevada State Bar No. 9835  
28                   411 E. Bonneville Ave., Suite 250  
                  Las Vegas, Nevada 89101  
                  (702) 388-6577

<sup>1</sup> A Motion to Associate Counsel, in compliance with SCR 42 is being filed simultaneously with this motion.

1 The Office of the Federal Public Defender - District of Nevada, hereby requests and consents  
2 to the substitution of Paola Armeni, Esq. of Gordon Silver, as local counsel for Appellant Samuel  
3 Howard.

4 Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2012.

5 LAW OFFICES OF THE  
6 FEDERAL PUBLIC DEFENDER

7 Lori C. Teicher  
8 LORI C. TEICHER  
9 MEGAN C. HOFFMAN  
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10 Paola M. Armeni, Esq. of Gordon Silver, is duly admitted to practice in this District. Paola  
11 M. Armeni, Esq. hereby accepts substitution as local counsel for Appellant Samuel Howard in the  
12 above entitled action.

13 Dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2012.

14 GORDON SILVER

15 Paola M. Armeni  
16 PAOLA M. ARMENI, Esq.  
17 Nevada Bar No. 8357  
18 3960 Howard Hughes Parkway, 9<sup>th</sup> Floor  
19 Las Vegas, NV 89169  
(702) 796-5555

20 Teresa Hampton and Brady Ward King of Federal Defender Services of Idaho, have been  
21 approved by the State Bar of Nevada pursuant to SCR 42(3)(b) to appear as foreign counsel for  
22 Appellant Samuel Howard in the above entitled action.

23 Dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2012

24 FEDERAL DEFENDER SERVICES OF IDAHO

25 Teresa Hampton  
26 TERESA HAMPTON  
27 BRADY WARD KING  
28 702 W. Idaho St., Ste. 900,  
Boise, Idaho 83702  
(208) 331-5530

1 **AFFIDAVIT OF COUNSEL**

2 STATE OF NEVADA )  
3 COUNTY OF CLARK ) ss:

4 LORIC. TEICHER, First Assistant Federal Public Defender, being first duly sworn, deposes  
5 and states as follows:

6 1. On May 24, 2012, I met with Mr. Howard at the Northern Nevada Correctional Center  
7 in Carson City, Nevada.

8 2. The decision to substitute counsel was thoroughly discussed with Mr. Howard. Mr.  
9 Howard agrees and fully understands with the requested substitution of counsel. He has been  
10 informed of and consents to the substitution.

11 3. Mr Howard also understands that Paola Armeni, Esq. of the law firm of Gordon  
12 Silver will be local counsel and Teresa Hampton and Brady King of Federal Defender Services of  
13 Idaho are simultaneously moving to associate as foreign counsel in this case. Ms. Hampton and Ms.  
14 King have been substituted as federal counsel in Case No. 2:93-cv-01209-LRH.

15 4. Mr. Howard understands that Ms. Hampton and Ms. King are not licensed to practice  
16 in Nevada.

17 5. The undersigned counsel and Appellant Howard, respectfully ask that this Court grant  
18 the requested relief therein.

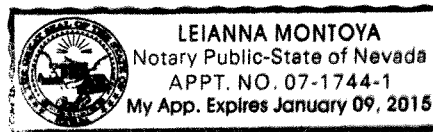
19 Dated this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2012.

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21 Loric Teicher  
22 First Assistant Federal Public Defender

23 SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me

24 this 7<sup>th</sup> day of November, 2012.

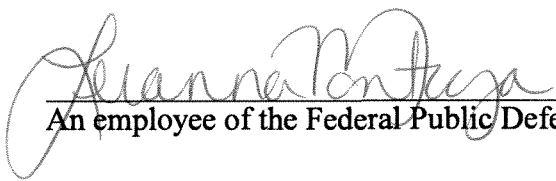
25 Leiana Montoya  
26 NOTARY PUBLIC in and for said  
27 County and State  
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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

2 I hereby certify that this document was filed electronically with the Nevada Supreme Court  
3 on November 7, 2012. Electronic Service of the foregoing Motion to Substitute Counsel And  
4 to Substitute Foreign Counsel filed in this matter shall be made in accordance with the Master  
5 Service List as follows:

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7 Jonathan E. VanBoskerck  
8 Chief Deputy District Attorney

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11 An employee of the Federal Public Defender's Office  
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