

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

SAMUEL HOWARD,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 57469

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ORDER APPROVING SUBSTITUTION AND
GRANTING MOTION TO ASSOCIATE FOREIGN COUNSEL

The Nevada Federal Public Defender's Office has filed a substitution of counsel, substituting Nevada attorney Paola M. Armeni and foreign counsel Teresa A. Hampton and Brady Ward King, with the Federal Defender Services of Idaho, as counsel for appellant. The substitution is signed by all attorneys involved and includes an affidavit stating that appellant has been informed of and consents to the substitution. Accordingly, the substitution is approved. See NRAP 46(d)(2).


Ms. Armeni also has filed a motion to associate Ms. Hampton and Mr. King as counsel of record for appellant pursuant to SCR 42. See NRAP 46(a)(3). Attached to the motion are verified applications; certificates of good standing from the Idaho State Bar, Oregon State Bar, and Colorado State Bar (for Ms. Hampton) and from the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, Washington State Bar, and Florida State Bar (for Mr. King); and SCR 42 statements. The State Bar's SCR 42 statements indicate that Ms. Hampton and Mr. King have not applied to appear in Nevada courts within the past 3 years. See SCR 42(6)

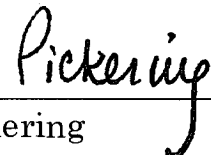
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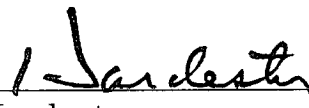
(providing that repeated appearances under Rule 42 may be cause to deny a motion to associate and that more than 5 appearances under the rule in a 3-year period is excessive).

Cause appearing, the motion is granted. Ms. Hampton and Mr. King shall be permitted to appear on behalf of appellant in this appeal. Nevada attorney Paola M. Armeni shall be responsible for all matters presented by appellant in this matter. See SCR 42(14) (providing that active Nevada bar member who is attorney of record shall be present at all matters in open court); NRAP 25€ (providing that all documents submitted to supreme court for filing by a represented party shall include the original signature of at least one attorney of record who is an active member of the State Bar of Nevada).¹

It is so ORDERED.

 J.
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cc: Federal Public Defender/Las Vegas
Paola M. Armeni
Federal Defender Services of Idaho
Attorney General/Carson City
Clark County District Attorney
State Bar of Nevada

¹We note that the documents submitted to this court do not include an application for waiver of the original and annual renewal fees. See SCR 42(3)(e).