

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

KIRSTIN BLAISE LOBATO,
Appellant,
vs.
THE STATE OF NEVADA,
Respondent.

No. 58913

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ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO ASSOCIATE COUNSEL AND
DISAPPROVING SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL

Attorney Phung Jefferson has filed a motion to associate attorney J. Bediaku Afoh-Manin as counsel of record for appellant pursuant to SCR 42. Attached to the motion to associate counsel is a verified application, certificate indicating that Mr. Afoh-Manin is a member in good standing of the State Bar of New York, and a SCR 42 statement. The State Bar's SCR 42 statement indicates that Mr. Afoh-Manin has not previously applied to appear in Nevada courts. *See* SCR 42(6) (repeated appearances by any person or firm pursuant to Rule 42 shall be cause for denial of a motion to associate).

Cause appearing, the motion is granted. Mr. Afoh-Anin shall be permitted to appear on behalf of appellant in this appeal. Nevada attorney Phung Jefferson shall be responsible for all matters presented by Mr Afoh-Anin 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(a)(5) (providing that all documents submitted to supreme court for filing by a represented party shall include

