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Routing # 101000019
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Lehnardt & Lehnardt, LLC 20 Westwoods Drive Liberty, MO 64068

Date: 3/13/2014

Janet Tempel Bea Davis Family Heritage Trust c/o Alaska USA Trust Company P.O. Box 196757 Anchorage, AK 99519-6757

Regarding: Davis - BBD FHT

Invoice No: 39462

Services Rendered

Date	Staff	Description	Hours	Charges
2/03/2014	SKL	Telephone call to Kathy (D Brislawn office) msg, Telephone call from Kathy regarding same, schedule telephone call to conf with D Brislawn	0.40	\$126,00
2/04/2014	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change, telephone call to D Brislawn regarding same, review documents, telephone call to C Davis regarding same, telephone call to D Brislawn regarding additional items required for documents	1.10	\$346.50
2/07/2014	SKL	Telephone call from D Brislawn regarding amendment draft questions	0.30	\$94.50
2/10/2014	SKL	Email from D Brislawn regarding trust amendment drafts, review same and edit	2.00	\$630.00
2/12/2014	SKL	Continue editing FHT documents, email to D Brislawn regarding same, email from S Corresel regarding draft documents to Dunham acceptance committee for review and approval	2.40	\$756.00
2/13/2014	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change, continue editing resignation and consent document, email to D Brislawn with changes	3.50	\$1,102,50
2/14/2014	SKL	Email to and from D Brislawn regarding attorney counsel regarding moving jurisdictions as required by trust agreement,	0.40	\$126.00
2/18/2014	SKL	Prepare for and Meeting with C Davis, discuss with D Brislawn regarding Trust Distribution Advisor and trustee changes	3.20	\$1,008.00
2/19/2014	SKL	Emails from and to S Corresel regarding FHT questions	0.60	\$189.00
2/20/2014	SKL	Émail from S Coressel regarding trust committee approval of FHT transfer to Dunham Trust Company, email to S Coressel regarding same, finalize	0.90	\$283.50

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		documents for transfer to Dunham and prepare packages for sending to C Davis for signature, review with A McCarter, email from and to D Brislawn a and S Corresel regarding attorney letter and final documents for signature comments		
2/21/2014	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis and T Watts regarding P Fordham questions on P Notes, review file and email to C Davis and T Watts regarding same, emails from and to D Brislawn and S Coressel regarding trustee transfer and final comments on documents, finalize documents for signature, emails to C Davis regarding same, draft Trustee Distribution Advisor letter to FHT beneficiaries	1.30	\$409.50
2/25/2014	SKL	Email to C Davis regarding final documents for signature by all beneficiaries for FHT trustee transfer and trust modification by trust protector	0.40	\$126.00
2/26/2014	AJM	Davis probate - finalize collection of documents and e-file with court	0.40	\$86.00
2/26/2014	SKL	Email from S Gallup regarding Caldwell statements	0.20	\$63.00
2/27/2014	AJM	FHT shutdown document prep	2.70	\$580.50
2/27/2014	F - 40 - 50 - 50 - 50 - 50 - 50 - 50 - 50	Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding attorney letter, review and comment on same, and on Trust Distribution Advisor letter comments, email from T Watts regarding C Davis signed documents	0.70	\$220.50
2/28/2014	AJM	Nevada LLC updates and loan modification review issues	0.60	\$0.00
2/28/2014	SKL	Emails from and to C Davis and Caroline Davis and T Watts regarding beneficiary signature pages regarding trustee change, Telephone call from C Davis regarding questions by Caroline, telephone call to R inoye regarding assistance in Japan with Win's signature, telephone call to C Davis regarding same	1,20	\$378.00
			Total Fees	\$6,525,50
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2/28/2014		Outside Counsel - Oseran, Hahn, Spring, Straight, & Wa	atts, P.S.	\$2,600.00
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1 MR. BARNEY: He was not. He was --2 THE COURT: He knows whether he's married or not. MR. BARNEY: He does know whether he's married or 3 4 not, but the fact is he is not --5 THE COURT: I have no affidavit in front of me telling me that he is married, that the marriage was valid 6 at the time, that she was therefore entitled to take under 7 -- I mean, I don't have anything. All I have is the 8 Trustee that's acting apparently based on instructions from 9 you and Mr. Lehnardt dealing with this trust having been 10 told we have a valid change of situs. They're acting in 11 reliance on it. They assume they've got proper authority 12 13 and now you're coming in here and saying: All of those 14 things I've told you to do in the last year, I was wrong. I never should have told you to do those things because I 15 don't have a valid authority. Ooops. My bad. Let's go 16 back to Alaska and fix it. 17 Well okay. Go back to Alaska and fix it, but, in 18 the meantime, I think I have jurisdiction of -- at least as 19 put by Mr. Solomon, at least we have the constructive trust 20 because it's here. There is --21 22 MR. BARNEY: Your Honor, --THE COURT: -- action you've taken here. 23 MR. BARNEY: Your Honor, I would respectfully 24

disagree in the fact that we have demonstrated the actual

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ASSIGNMENT OF POLICY INTEREST

Dunham Trust Company, trustee of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, a Missouri trust dated July 28, 2000 (the "Assignor") does hereby irrevocably assign all of its rights, title, and interest in and to a life insurance policy specifically identified as ACLI 1105-8007PC to FHT Holdings L.L.C., a Nevada Limited Liability Company formed March 28, 2014 (the "Assignee").

Assignee shall have all rights incident to the ownership of the policy interest transferred by this Assignment. This policy interest is subject to all terms, conditions, and restrictions contained in the policy agreement.

Effective Date of this Assignment: April 10, 2014.

ASSIGNOR:

Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000 BY: Dunham Trust Company, Trustee BY: Shanna Coressel, Trust Officer

Shanna Coressel, Trust Officer

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF WAXCLE)
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Notary Public

JACQUELINE MILLER
Notary Public - State of Nevada:
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No: 09-8838-2 - Expires May 1 , 2017

My Commission Expires: 5-1-2017



ENDORSEMENT#3

Forming part of and attached to Policy # ACLI 1105-8007 PC

Issued to:

Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust dated July 28, 2000 - Dunham Trust Company, Trustee

CHANGE OF OWNER

10 April, 2014

Further to instructions received from the policy owner it is hereby noted and agreed that the OWNER on the DECLARATIONS page of this Policy shall now read: FHT Holdings LLC, c/o Dunham Trust Company, 241 Ridge Street, Suite 100, Reno Nevada, 89501

All other terms, conditions and limitations remain the same.

Authorised Representative

Date: 10 April 2014

Exhibit 10

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From: Shanna Coressel [mailto:shanna.coressel@dunham.com]

Sent: Wednesday, April 09, 2014 11:28 AM

To: Paul Fordham

Cc: 'Aaron McCarter'; 'Chris Davis' Subject: Operating Agreement

Hello Paul:

Attached is the Operating Agreement as requested.
As discussed, please forward to me the endorsement documenting the change in trustee.
Also I would think you may have some paperwork, or perhaps a letter of instruction regarding the assignment of the policy to the LLC. If that is something that I need to prepare please let me know right away.
It is my understanding that once you have this you can then prepare an endorsement showing the policy being owned by the LLC.
Once that is in place, please forward to Chris, Aaron and myself.
Chris, I think you can then take the proverbial 'bull by the horns' and move forward with the funding you need.
Maybe crazy talk here, but I don't see why this can't happened before the end of the week. Wishful thinking?
Paul, let me know how I can help expedite.
Shanna
Shanna Coressel, CTFA
Trust Officer
241 Ridge Street, Suite 100
Reno, NV 89501
(775)826-7900, ext. 807

(888)438-6426, ext. 807

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FHT HOLDINGS L.I.C.

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5	Telephone: 702.853.5483 Facsimile: 702.853.5485	
6	Attorneys for Caroline Davis, Petitioner	
7	DISTRIC	CT COURT
8	CLARK COU	NTY, NEVADA
9	In the Matter of:	Case No.: P-15-083867-T Dept.: Probate (26)
10	The BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY	Hearing Date: August 12, 2015
11	HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014	Hearing Time: 9:00 A.M.
12	amended on reordary 24, 2014	
13	AMENDMENT AND SUPPLEMENT TO	COUNTERPETITION FOR SANCTIONS
14	Caroline D. Davis ("Ms. Davis"), as ber	neficiary of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage
15	Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended Februa	ry 24, 2014, by and through her counsel, the law
16	firm of Solomon Dwiggins & Freer, Ltd., he	reby files this Amendment And Supplement To
17	Counterpetition For Sanctions ("Amendment	And Supplement To Counterpetition"). The
18	Amendment And Supplement To Counterpetition	on is made and based on the pleadings and papers
19	on file in this action, the attached Memorandun	of Points And Authorities, all attached exhibits,
20	and any oral argument that this honorable Court	may entertain at the time of hearing.
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MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

I. Introduction.

Caroline D. Davis ("Ms. Davis") hereby incorporates all of the facts, legal arguments, and exhibits contained in her Objection To Petition For Reconsideration Of The Order Dated May 19, 2015 Re: Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014, To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor, Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor, To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee, And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis; And Counterpetition For Sanctions, filed on July 31, 2015, as if fully set forth herein.

II. Statement Of Relevant Facts

Beatrice B. Davis ("Beatrice") created the Trust¹ on July 28, 2000, naming Alaska Trust Company ("Alaska") as the initial Trustee and Stephen K. Lehnardt ("Mr. Lehnardt") as Trust Protector.² As fully set forth in the prior pleadings before this Court, the primary asset held in the Trust is an Ashley Cooper Life Insurance Policy (the "Policy") with a face cover value of \$35,000,000,³ and a revolving line of credit for \$4,000,000.⁴

Pursuant to Article Three of the Trust, during Beatrice's lifetime, the primary beneficiaries are Christopher, Ms. Davis, and Christopher's son, Winfield Davis ("Winfield). On August 2, 2011, Mr. Lehnardt, as Protector, removed Alaska as Trustee and appointed Alaska USA.⁵ During Alaska and Alaska USA's tenure as Trustee, certain loans were taken against the Policy

The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000 (the "Trust").

See, Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014; To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor And Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor; To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee; And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis, filed with this Court on February 10, 2015 (the "Original Petition"), at Ex. 1.

Id., at Ex. 6.

Id., at Ex. 8.

^{28 5} Id., at Ex. 3.

On October 30, 2013, Alaska USA executed the "Resignation of Trustee", indicating that the effective date of such resignation was intended to be "December 5, 2013 or upon the acceptance of trusteeship by a successor, whichever occurs earlier." Dunham Trust Company ("Dunham") was thereafter appointed and accepted tenure as successor Trustee of the Trust on February 24, 2015. Contemporaneously with the appointment and acceptance of trusteeship by Dunham, Mr. Lehnardt, by and through the authority vested in him as Trust Protector, transferred the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada. The transfer of the Situs was acknowledged by Ms. Davis, Christopher, and Winfield.

Pursuant Article One, Section 2 of the First Amendment, ⁹ the Trust situs is now Nevada, and the Trust and all trusts created thereunder are governed by Nevada law. ¹⁰ Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, appointed Dunham as the "Directed Trustee" pursuant to NRS §163.553 et. seq. ¹¹ Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, further appointed Christopher as the "Investment Trust Advisor" pursuant to NRS §163.5543, and designated him as a "Fiduciary" under NRS §16.554. ¹² Pursuant to the First Amendment, Christopher is provided the "full power to manage the investments and reinvestments of the trust", and Dunham, as Directed Trustee, has no authority act or interfere with the actions of Christopher, as the

Id., at Ex. 4.

⁷ Id., at Ex. 5.

Id,

The First Amendment To The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, dated February 24, 2014 (the "First Amendment"), a true and correct copy of which is attached to the Original Petition as Ex. 5.

See, Original Petition, at Ex. 5, p. 1, Art. 1, §2.

¹¹ Id., at Ex. 5, p. 2, Art. 13, §2.d., First.

¹² Id., at Ex. 5, p.2-3, Art. 13, §2.d., Second.

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Investment Trust Advisor, unless otherwise directed. 13 Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, appointed Mr. Lehnardt, in his capacity as the Trust Protector of the Trust, as the "Distribution Trust Advisor" pursuant to NRS §163.5537, and designated him as "Fiduciary" pursuant to NRS §163.554.14

Shortly after Dunham's appointment as Directed Trustee and Christopher's appointment as Investment Trust Advisor, Dunham created FHT Holdings, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, to which the Policy was transferred. According to the Operating Agreement of FHT Holdings, LLC, Christopher is currently serving as the sole Manager thereof. 15

11. Procedural Background

Although Ms. Davis has attempted to acquire the documentation and information related to the Policy and the related loans without court intervention, Christopher has consistently stonewalled Ms. Davis and refused to provide information regardless of the fact that: (1) Christopher is acting as a Fiduciary of the Trust, and (2) Ms. Davis is a beneficiary of the Trust entitled to such information.

As such, Ms. Davis filed the Original Petition requesting, in relevant part, that this Court grant the following relief:

- 56.7 That this Court assume Jurisdiction over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014, as proceeding in in rem:
- That this Court assume Jurisdiction over Christopher D. Davis as the Investment Trust Advisor for the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended;

Id., at Ex. 5, p. 3., Art. 13, § 2.d, Second.

Id., at Ex. 5, p. 3 Art. 13, §2.d, Third.

See, Objection To Petition For Reconsideration Of The Order Dated May 19, 2015 Re: Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014, To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor, Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor, To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee, And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis; And Counterpetition For Sanctions, filed on July 31, 2015, (the "Objection And Counterpetition"), at Ex. 2.

- 4. That this Court confirm Dunham Trust Company as the Directed Trustee of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended;
- 5. That this Court require Christopher D. Davis, as the Investment Trust Advisor of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended, and as the sole Member of FHT Holdings, LLC, to disclose any and all documentation and information related to: (a) the Policy loans, including, but not limited to, the identity of any entity, trust or individual who has received and/or benefited from such loans, the purpose of such loans, the circumstances surrounding the distribution and use of such loans, the repayment of such loans (if any), the collateral for such loans, executed promissory notes, etc.; and, (b) FHT Holdings, LLC." ¹⁶

Subsequently, Christopher filed his Motion To Dismiss on March 3, 2015, ¹⁷ which contended that Ms. Davis: (1) failed to join necessary parties; (2) failed to provide requisite notice to proper parties; and (3) the Court lacked subject matter jurisdiction. ¹⁸ Christopher's Motion To Dismiss hinged upon his contention that the First Amendment, which transferred situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada, was invalid and that the validity of such document must first be determined before the Court could assume jurisdiction. ¹⁹

In response, Ms. Davis filed her Opposition to the Motion To Dismiss on April 13, 2015.²⁰ In her Opposition to the Motion To Dismiss, Ms. Davis argued that the Court may properly assume jurisdiction over the Trust and respective parties and grant the relief requested in the Original Petition.²¹ Additionally, Ms. Davis set forth arguments as to why the prior trustees,

See, Original Petition at p. 9, ¶¶ I-5.

See, Christopher D. Davis' Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP 12(b) And NRCP 16, previously filed with this Court on March 3, 2015.

Id.

Id., at p. 11:7-8.

See, Opposition To Christopher D. Davis' Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP 12(b) and NRCP 19, previously filed with this Court on April 13, 2015.

Id., at Section II.

Alaska and Alaska USA, are not necessary or indispensable parties,²² and that Ms. Davis did, in fact, properly serve all interested parties.²³ Christopher filed a Reply to Ms. Davis' Opposition to the Motion To Dismiss on April 20, 2015.²⁴ It is important to note, however, that Ms. Davis' counsel were not served with a copy of Christopher's Reply until after the hearing regarding the Original Petition, the Motion To Dismiss, and related pleadings was held on April 22, 2015 (the "Hearing").

During the Hearing, and <u>for the first time</u>, Christopher's counsel, Anthony L. Barney, Esq. ("Mr. Barney") made several material misrepresentations of fact to the Court. First, Mr. Barney argued that Christopher's wife, Tarja Davis ("Tarja"), was a beneficiary of the Trust and did not provide the requisite consent in order to the transfer the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada. ²⁵ Indeed, raising such argument at the Hearing was completely contrary to the facts presented to this Court in Christopher's Motion To Dismiss. Specifically, Christopher identified: (1) himself; (2) his son, Winfield; and (3) Ms. Davis as the "<u>three descendants</u> [that] are the current beneficiaries of the Trust." Second, Mr. Barney argued <u>for the first time</u> at the Hearing that there was not "an acting Alaska Trustee at the point to consent to the transfer" of the Trust's situs. ²⁷ Indeed, both of Christopher and Mr. Barney's fabricated arguments at the Hearing are patently false.

Notwithstanding such misrepresentations, after hearing the oral arguments of the parties' respective counsel, this Court issued its Findings and Orders, which was subsequently filed on June 24, 2015, and notice of entry of such order was filed on July 1, 2015.²⁸

Id., at Section III.

²³ Id., at Section IV.

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Pursuant to the Order, the Court found that:

"...since the first amendment, Christopher has been directing the trust in Nevada, and that everyone involved relied on this amendment as being proper.

...the Court has no affidavit that another beneficiary existed at the time the first amendment was signed.

...the Court has jurisdiction as a constructive trust because action on behalf of the trust has been taken in Nevada."²⁹

Additionally, the Court ordered that: (1) the Original Petition be granted without prejudice; 30 (2) the court would not assume jurisdiction over Mr. Lehnardt, as Distribution Trust Advisor, "until a more definite statement is made"; 31 (3) Dunham be confirmed as Directed Trustee; 32 (4) that Christopher is required to disclose "all information in his possession, custody, or control, as Investment Trust Advisor, and in his role as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC"; 33 (5) that Christopher's Motion To Dismiss is denied;³⁴ and (6) and that the Court "retain[ed] jurisdiction and all matters will be heard by the probate judge."35

On July 14, 2015, Christopher filed and noticed his Petition For Reconsideration, which was scheduled to be heard before this Court on August 19, 2015. In essence, Christopher asserts that this Court improperly assumed jurisdiction over the Trust because: (1) lack of subject matter jurisdiction due to the absence of conditions precedent to the change of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada as provided for in the First Amendment; 36 (2) the failure to add indispensable

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See, Order, at p. 2:13-19.
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Id., at p. 2:21-24.

Id., at p. 2:25-28,

Id., at p. 3: 1-2.

Id., at p. 3: 3-6.

Id., at p. 3: 7-8.

Id., at p. 3:9-10.

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 6:19-20.

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parties;³⁷ and (3) the failure to provide notice and/or service to requisite parties.³⁸ The Petition For Reconsideration is nothing more than a regurgitation of the facts presented in Christopher's prior pleadings and his oral argument before the Court on April 22, 2015.

In response, Ms. Davis filed her Objection And Counterpetition For Sanctions on July 31, In her Objection And Counterpetition, Ms. Davis argued that the Petition For Reconsideration is procedurally improper as it does not present new evidence or facts, does not identify a change in controlling law, and does not identify any clear error made by this Court. 40

Additionally, Ms. Davis set straight the facts that Christopher and/or Mr. Barney materially misrepresented to this Court as it relates to the First Amendment. First, Ms. Davis provided evidence that Christopher's wife, Tarja, is not a "spouse" under the terms of the Trust since she and Christopher have not been married for ten (10) continuous years as required by Article Fourteen, Section 1(j) of the Trust. 41 As such, Tarja is not a "beneficiary then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions" pursuant to Article 8, Section 3(d), and, therefore, her consent is not required to transfer situs under Article Fourteen, Section 6.42

Second, and notwithstanding Christopher and Mr. Barney's representation to the contrary, Ms. Davis provided evidence that Alaska USA was the then-serving Trustee of the Trust when the First Amendment was executed, and that Alaska USA did consent to the transfer of situs from Alaska to Nevada pursuant to Article Fourteen, Section 6 of the Trust. 43 Lastly, and in contradiction to Christopher and Mr. Barney's false representation to this Court, Ms. Davis

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 15:17-18, p. 21:10-11, and p. 23:6-7.

³⁸ Id, at p. 15:17-18, and p. 19:11-12.

³⁹ See, Objection And Counterpetition.

⁴⁰ Id., at § II(A).

Id., at § II(B).

Id. 27

Id., at § II(C).

presented evidence that Alaska USA <u>did</u> receive advice of counsel pursuant to Article Fourteen, Section 6 of the Trust⁴⁴ prior to transferring the Trust's situs.

Ms. Davis further contended that the Court did not commit any clear error with respect to Christopher's assertions and that: (1) Christopher is estopped from asserting such arguments given the fact that he is fully aware of all the facts and circumstances surrounding the First Amendment; (2) that the Court properly evaluated Christopher's contention that Ms. Davis failed to join indispensable parties, and denied the same; (4) and (3) that the Court properly assumed jurisdiction over him as Investment Trust Advisor and as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, and may, therefore, order him to produce any information relative to the Trust that he has in his possession custody or control no matter how such information was obtained. Ms. Davis also argued that, based upon the true and correct facts presented in her Objection And Counterpetition, this Court has jurisdiction over the Trust as a proceeding *in rem* as the First Amendment is valid and properly transferred jurisdiction to Nevada, and because the Trust does business in Clark County, Nevada.

Due to Christopher and Mr. Barney's dissembling of the facts and circumstances involved in this matter to the Court, and because Christopher was integrally involved in the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada and his appointment as Investment Trust Advisor, Ms. Davis submitted her Counterpetition pursuant to EDCR 7.60(b).

III. Legal Argument.

EDCR 2.26 permits this Court to grant a party's request for an order shortening time "upon an unsworn declaration under penalty of perjury or affidavit of counsel describing the

⁴⁴ Id., at § II(D).

⁴⁵ Id., at § II(E).

⁴⁶ Id., at § II(F).

⁴⁷ Id., at § Π(G).

⁴⁸ Id., at § II(H).

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circumstances claimed to constitute good cause and justify shortening of time."49 Because the facts and circumstances of this instant pleading are the same facts and circumstances to be heard by this Court on August 12, 2015, good cause exists to grant Ms. Davis's Petition For An Order Shortening Time. Additionally, granting said Petition For An Order Shortening time will further promote judicial efficiency.

EDCR 7.60(b), in relevant part, provides as follows:

"The Court may, after notice and an opportunity to be heard, impose upon an attorney or party any and all sanctions which may, under the facts of the case, be reasonable, including the imposition of finds, costs or attorney's fees when an attorney or a party without just cause:

- (1) Presents to the court a motion or an opposition to a motion which is obviously frivolous, unnecessary or unwarranted.
- (3) So multiplies the proceedings in a case as to increase costs unreasonably and vexatiously" (Emphasis added).

It is apparent that Christopher has been integrally involved with the following: (1) the drafting of the First Amendment; (2) the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada; (3) the appointment of Dunham as Directed Trustee; (3) the appointment of Mr. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor; (4) his appointment as Investment Trust Advisor; (5) the creation of FHT Holdings, LLC for which he serves as the sole Manager; and (6) the transfer of the Trust's primary asset (the Policy with a face value of \$35,000,000.00) from the Trust to FHT Holdings, LLC.

As fully set forth in Ms. Davis' Objection And Counterpetition, Tarja did not qualify as a "spouse" under the terms of the Trust during the period of time in which the Trust's situs was transferred from Alaska to Nevada. 50 As such, Tarja was not entitled to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions from the Trust, and, therefore, her consent was not required.

See, EDCR 2.26.

⁵⁰ See, Objection And Counterpetition, at §II(B).

Christopher's persistent misrepresentation that the First Amendment is invalid based upon Tarja's lack of consent is disingenuous, and he has known this from the onset of his frivolous defense to Ms. Davis' Original Petition. Indeed, both of Christopher's counsel, Mr. Barney and Harriet Roland, Esq. ("Ms. Roland"), have copies of the Trust, and are well aware of the terms and provisions thereof, including: (1) the provision defining "spouse";⁵¹ (2) the provision related to distributions to a "spouse";⁵² and (3) the provision related to the transfer of situs and the requirements therefor.⁵³ Christopher's continued obfuscation of the facts to this Court regarding Tarja's consent must not be condoned, especially given his intimate knowledge of the facts and circumstances, his participation with the trustees (Alaska USA and Dunham) in transferring the situs of the Trust, and his knowledge of Mr. Lehnardt's actions with respect to transferring the situs of the Trust.

Additionally, Christopher has boldly dissembled the facts to this Court with respect to his contention that: (1) no trustee was serving when the First Amendment was executed; (2) no trustee consented to the transfer of situs; and (3) no trustee obtained advice of counsel prior to transferring situs. It is apparent from the Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement (the "Release"), which was signed by Christopher, that he was keenly aware that Alaska USA was still serving as Trustee on February 24, 2014, and that Alaska consented to the transfer in situs from Alaska to Nevada.⁵⁴

Moreover, as set forth in Mr. Lehnardt's billing invoices, Christopher was well aware of Dennis Brislawn, Esq.'s involvement in the matter and the advice he provided to Alaska with respect to the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada. As fully set forth in Ms. Davis' Objection And Counterpetition Christopher was integrally involved in the transfer of the situs, as

See, Original Petition, at Ex. 1, Art. 14, §1(j).

⁵² Id., at Ex. 1, Art 8, §3(d).

⁵³ *Id.*, at Ex. 1, Art 14, §6.

⁵⁴ See, Objection And Counterpetition, at Ex. 5, p. 4.

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well as the change of trustee, and had full knowledge that Alaska was serving as Trustee, consented to the transfer of Situs, and obtained advice of counsel prior to effectuating the same. 55

Indeed, a cursory review of some of Mr. Lehnardt's billing invoices illustrate that Christopher was intimately involved in the transfer of the Trust's situs and had knowledge of the facts and circumstances surrounding the same:

- (a) 12/23/2013 Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding change of trustee and capital and surplus issue, telephone call to C Davis regarding the same; 56
- (b) 01/07/2014 telephone call to D Brislawn (msg) regarding AK Trust modification, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change and multiple related items, discussion of Dunham trust and modification;⁵⁷
- (c) 01/15/2014 Telephone calls from C Davis regarding transfer of trustee...email to D Brislawn regarding same;⁵⁸
- (d) 01/17/2014 Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding transfer of trustee, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee, Telephone call to D Brislawn to discuss trustee transfer and modification of trust document; 59
- (e) 01/24/2014 Emails to D Brislawn and S. Coressel regarding trustee transfer and LLC items, Telephone call from J Tempel regarding transfer of trustee status, telephone call to C Davis regarding the same;⁶⁰
- (f) 02/04/204 Telephone call form C Davis regarding trustee change, telephone call from D Brislawn regarding same, review documents, telephone call to C Davis regarding same;⁶¹

⁵⁵ Id., at §§ II(C) and II(D).

⁵⁶ Id., at Ex. 7.

⁵⁷ Id.

^{25 | 58} Id.

^{26 59} Id.

⁶⁰ Id.

⁶¹ Id.

(g) 02/18/2014 - Prepare for and Meeting with C Davis, discuss with D Brislawn regarding Trust Distribution Advisor and trustee changes; 62

Based upon the forgoing, Christopher's repeated contentions regarding the validity of the First Amendment and the validity of the transfer of the Trust's situs set forth in his constant barrage of pleadings before this Court, including, his Motion To Dismiss, his Reply to the Opposition To Motion To Dismiss, his Petition For Rehearing, and his Ex Parte Application is obviously <u>frivolous</u>, <u>unnecessary and unwarranted</u>. Knowing full-well the inaccuracy of the facts presented in the aforementioned pleadings, Christopher's tactics have been for the sole purpose of delaying the inevitable (i.e. the production of information in his capacity as Investment Trust Advisor and as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC), and have done nothing but multiply the proceedings in this matter to vexatiously increase the cost of litigation.

Christopher is the sole Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, which currently owns the \$35,000,000 Policy. As such, Christopher is the only individual with the power to take additional loans from said Policy and use the proceeds from such additional loans to fund his frivolous defense. It is apparent that Christopher, who has significant sums of money at his disposal, has attempted to multiply the proceedings in such a manner so as to dissuade Ms. Davis from pursuing her rights under the terms of the Trust – her right to inspect the books and records pursuant to Article Twelve, Section 4 of the Trust. Christopher's obfuscations and intentional misrepresentations of the facts must not be permitted by this Court.

Based upon the frivolousness of Christopher's pleadings since the inception of this matter, Ms. Davis respectfully requests that this Court sanction Christopher pursuant to EDCR 7.60 and award Ms. Davis her attorneys' fees and costs for being forced to: (1) respond to his unnecessary Motion To Dismiss; (2) appear at oral arguments on April 22, 2015 and object to his baseless arguments presented at said hearing; and (3) respond to his unwarranted Petition For Reconsideration. Additionally, as the facts and circumstances set forth in this Amendment And

⁶² Id.

²⁷ d., at Ex. 9.

See, Original Petition, at Ex. 1, Art. 12, § 4.

Supplement To Counterpetition involve the same facts and circumstances to be heard on August 12, 2015, Ms. Davis respectfully requests that an Order Shortening Time be granted to have the instant pleading heard on August 12, 2015, at 9:00 a.m.

WHEREFORE, Caroline D. Davis respectfully requests that this Court:

1. That Caroline D. Davis be awarded attorneys' fees and costs pursuant to EDCR 7.60(b) for being forced to: (1) respond to his unnecessary Motion To Dismiss; (2) appear at oral arguments on April 22, 2015 and object to his baseless arguments presented at said hearing; and (3) respond to his unwarranted Petition For Reconsideration.

Dated this to the day of August, 2015.

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DISTRICT COURT

CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

The BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY

HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014

Case No.: P-15-083867-T Dept.: Probate (26)

Hearing Date: August 12, 2015 Hearing Time: 9:00 A.M.

MOTION TO AMEND OR MODIFY ORDER PURSUANT TO NRCP 60(b)(3)

Caroline D. Davis ("Ms. Davis"), as beneficiary of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended February 24, 2014, by and through her counsel, the law firm of Solomon Dwiggins & Freer, Ltd., hereby files this Motion To Amend Or Modify Order Pursuant to NRCP 60(b)(3) (the "Motion"). The foregoing Motion is made and based on the pleadings and papers on file in this action, the attached Memorandum Of Points And Authorities, all attached exhibits, and any oral argument that this honorable Court may entertain at the time of hearing.

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MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

I. Introduction

From this inception of this matter, Christopher D. Davis ("Christopher") has continued to present misrepresentation after misrepresentation to this Court. Indeed, it is apparent that from the first pleading Christopher filed with this Court, he has taken it upon himself to conceal the true nature of the facts and circumstances related to the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada. Specifically, Christopher has knowingly misidentified the true beneficiaries of the Trust, has perpetually misrepresented that there was no acting Trustee during the time in which the Trust's situs was transferred, has concealed the fact that consent was provided by the then-serving Trustee to transfer the situs, and has blatantly lied about the fact that legal advice was obtained by the Trustee prior to transferring the situs. Based upon the facts and evidence discovered throughout the duration of this matter, it is obvious that Christopher and his counsel have dissembled the true and correct facts, have exhibited a complete lack of candor to this Court, to Ms. Davis, and the other interested parties.

Indeed, Christopher's fraudulent misrepresentations with respect to the First Amendment caused this Court to enter an order assuming jurisdiction over the Trust based upon the theory of "constructive trust." As fully set forth below, the First Amendment is valid in its entirety and the transfer of the Trust's situs is proper under the terms of the Trust. As such, this Court should amend or modify its June 24, 2015 Order, and assume jurisdiction over the Trust in its entirety as a proceeding *in rem* pursuant to NRS 164.010.

II. Factual Background.

Beatrice B. Davis ("Beatrice") created the Trust on July 28, 2000, naming Alaska Trust Company ("Alaska") as the initial Trustee and Stephen K. Lehnardt ("Mr. Lehnardt") as Trust Protector. As fully set forth in the prior pleadings before this Court, the primary asset that was held in the Trust is an Ashley Cooper Life Insurance Policy (the "Policy"), with a face cover value of \$35,000,000.00 and a revolving line of credit for \$4,000,000.

Pursuant to Article Three of the Trust, during Beatrice's lifetime, the primary beneficiaries were Christopher, Ms. Davis, and Christopher's son, Winfield Davis ("Winfield). On August 2, 2011, Mr. Lehnardt, as Trust Protector, removed Alaska as Trustee and appointed Alaska USA Trust Company ("Alaska USA"). During Alaska and Alaska USA's tenure as Trustee, certain loans were taken against the Policy and further distributed to Christopher in his individual capacity, his capacity as Trustee of the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust, dated April 4, 1990, as amended (the "Revocable Trust"), and his capacity as Manager of the Davis Family Office, a Missouri limited liability company (the "Davis Family Office").

On October 30, 2013, Alaska USA executed a "Resignation of Trustee", indicating that the effective date of such resignation was intended to be "December 5, 2013 or upon the acceptance of trusteeship by a successor, whichever occurs earlier." Dunham Trust Company ("Dunham") was thereafter appointed and accepted tenure as successor Trustee of the Trust on February 24, 2014. Contemporaneously with the appointment and acceptance of trusteeship by Dunham, Mr. Lehnardt, by and through the authority vested in him as Trust Protector, transferred the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada. The transfer of the Situs was acknowledged and consented to by Ms. Davis, Christopher, and Winfield.

Pursuant Article One, Section 2 of the First Amendment, the Trust situs is now Nevada, and the Trust and all trusts created thereunder are governed by Nevada law. Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, appointed Dunham as the "Directed Trustee" pursuant to NRS §163.553 et. seq. Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, further appointed Christopher as the "Investment Trust Advisor" pursuant to NRS §163.5543, and designated him as a "Fiduciary" under NRS §16.554. Pursuant to the First Amendment, Christopher is provided the "full power to manage the investments and reinvestments of the trust", and Dunham, as Directed Trustee, has no authority act or interfere with the actions of Christopher, as the Investment Trust Advisor, unless otherwise directed. Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, appointed Mr. Lehnardt, in his capacity as the Trust Protector of the Trust, as the "Distribution Trust Advisor" pursuant to NRS §163.5537, and designated him as "Fiduciary" pursuant to NRS §163.554.

Shortly after Dunham's appointment as Directed Trustee and Christopher's appointment as Investment Trust Advisor, Dunham created FHT Holdings, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, to which the Policy was transferred. Christopher is currently serving as the sole Manager FHT Holdings, LLC.

Although Ms. Davis has attempted to acquire the documentation and information related to the Policy and the related loans without court intervention, Christopher has consistently stonewalled Ms. Davis and refused to provide information regardless of the fact that: (1) Christopher is acting as a Fiduciary of the Trust, and (2) Ms. Davis is a beneficiary of the Trust entitled to such information.

III. Procedural Background

This Court will recall that Ms. Davis filed her Original Petition, on February 10, 2015, requesting that this Court: (1) assume jurisdiction over the Trust² as a proceeding *in rem*; (2) assume jurisdiction over Christopher as Investment Trust Advisor; (3) assume jurisdiction over Stephen K. Lehnardt ("Mr. Lehnardt") as Distribution Trust Advisor; (4) confirm Dunham Trust Company ("Dunham") as Directed Trustee; and (5) require Christopher, as Investment Trust Advisor and as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, to disclose any and all documentation and information related to the Trust with specific reference to certain loans that were taken against the Trust's primary asset (i.e. the Policy with a face cover value of \$35,000,000.00).³

On March 3, 2015, Christopher filed his Motion To Dismiss, contending that Ms. Davis:

(1) failed to join necessary parties; (2) failed to provide requisite notice to proper parties; and (3)

Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014; To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor And Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor; To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee; And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis, filed with this Court on February 10, 2015 (the "Original Petition").

The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014 (the "Trust"), a true and correct copy of which is attached to the Original Petition, at Ex. 1.

See, Original Petition at p. 9, ¶¶ 1-5.

See, Christopher D. Davis' Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP 12(b) And NRCP 16, previously filed with this Court on March 3, 2015.

In response, Ms. Davis filed her Opposition to the Motion To Dismiss on April 13, 2015.7 In her Opposition to the Motion To Dismiss, Ms. Davis argued that the Court may properly assume jurisdiction over the Trust and respective parties and grant the relief requested in the Original Petition. Additionally, Ms. Davis set forth arguments as to why the prior trustees, Alaska and Alaska USA, are not necessary or indispensable parties, and that Ms. Davis properly served all interested parties. Christopher filed a Reply to Ms. Davis' Opposition to the Motion To Dismiss on April 20, 2015. It is important to note, however, that Ms. Davis and her counsel were not served with a copy of Christopher's Reply until after the hearing regarding the Original Petition, the Motion To Dismiss, and related pleadings was held on April 22, 2015 (the "Hearing").

This Court will also recall that Christopher's counsel, Mr. Barney, <u>for the first time</u> at the Hearing, attempted to make several factual arguments <u>not presented in his Motion To Dismiss</u>. First, Mr. Barney argued that Christopher's wife, Tarja Davis ("Tarja"), was a beneficiary of the Trust and did not provide the requisite consent to the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to

5 Id.

22 6 Id., at p. 11:7-8.

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8 Id., at Section II.

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10. Id., at Section IV.

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Second, Mr. Barney also argued, for the first time at the Hearing, that there was not "an acting Alaska Trustee at the point to consent to the transfer" of the Trust's situs. As Mr. Barney is well aware, a trustee's duties do not terminate upon the submission of a resignation when no successor trustee has been appointed and accepted. Furthermore, and illustrative of Christopher and Mr. Barney's dissembling to this Court, the Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement, attached as Exhibit 1 to Christopher's Motion To Dismiss, which was executed by Christopher, expressly provides that Alaska USA was the then-serving Trustee of the Trust on the date on which the situs was transferred to Nevada, and that Alaska USA consented to the same. As Such, Christopher had full and complete knowledge that: (1) Alaska USA was serving as trustee at the point when the situs was changed; and (2) Alaska USA provided its consent to transfer the Trust's situs. Notwithstanding the same, Christopher and his counsel have continuously misrepresented the same to this Court by arguing to the contrary. Indeed, both of Christopher and Mr. Barney's fabricated arguments at the Hearing are patently false.

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On July 14, 2015, Christopher filed and noticed his Petition For Reconsideration, which was scheduled to be heard before this Court on August 19, 2015. Notwithstanding the fact that this Court already addressed each of Christopher's arguments set forth in his Motion To Dismiss. Christopher asserted that this Court improperly assumed jurisdiction over the Trust because: (1)

See, Order, previously filed with this Court on June 24, 2015, and Notice Of Entry of Order, previously filed with this Court on July 1, 2015.

^{22 | 16} See, Order, at p. 2:13-19.

^{23 | 17} Id., at p. 2:21-24.

^{24 18} Id., at p. 2:25-28.

^{25 19} Id., at p. 3: 1-2.

²⁶ Id., at p. 3: 3-6.

Id., at p. 3: 7-8.

²² Id., at p. 3:9-10.

lack of subject matter jurisdiction due to the absence of conditions precedent to the change of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada as provided for in the First Amendment; ²³ (2) the failure to add indispensable parties; ²⁴ and (3) the failure to provide notice and/or service to requisite parties. ²⁵ The Petition For Reconsideration was nothing more than a regurgitation of the misrepresented facts presented in Christopher's prior pleadings and his oral argument before the Court on April 22, 2015.

In addition to his recapitulation misrepresented facts, Christopher's Petition For Reconsideration also boldly misstates that Alaska did not receive an opinion of counsel with respect to transferring the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada. As set forth below, Mr. Lehnardt, as Trust Protector, retained the services of Dennis Brislawn, Esq. ("Mr. Brislawn") in 2014, to provide support with the transition of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada. Mr. Brislawn communicated with Mr. Lehnardt, Dunham Trust, and Alaska USA, and provided an opinion of counsel regarding the transfer of the Trust's situs to Nevada. Indeed, as set forth in Mr. Lehnardt's billing records, Christopher was integrally involved with the transfer of situs and met with or conferred with Mr. Lehnardt to discuss the same. Each and every allegation made by Christopher and Mr. Barney in Christopher's Motion To Dismiss and his Petition For Reconsideration regarding the "invalidity" of the transfer of situs are false, and they have continued to perpetuate these material misrepresentations to this Court in an effort to avoid providing the required information to Ms. Davis pursuant to the June 24, 2015 Order.

Ms. Davis filed her Objection And Counterpetition For Sanctions on July 31, 2015, 26 wherein Ms. Davis argued, among other things, that the Petition For Reconsideration is

²³ See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 6:19-20.

¹d., at p. 15:17-18, p. 21:10-11, and p. 23:6-7.

²⁵ Id, at p. 15:17-18, and p. 19:11-12.

See, Objection To Petition For Reconsideration Of The Order Dated May 19, 2015 Re: Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014, To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor, Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor, To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee, And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis; And Counterpetition For Sanctions, filed on July 31, 2015 (the "Objection And Counterpetition").

Specifically, Ms, Davis provided evidence that Christopher's wife, Tarja, is <u>not</u> a "spouse" under the terms of the Trust since she and Christopher have not been married for ten (10) continuous years as required by Article Fourteen, Section 1(j) of the Trust.²⁸ As such, Tarja is not a "beneficiary then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions" pursuant to Article 8, Section 3(d), and, therefore, her consent is not required to transfer situs under Article Fourteen, Section 6.²⁹

Second, and notwithstanding Christopher and Mr. Barney's representation to the contrary, Ms. Davis provided evidence that Alaska USA was the then-serving Trustee of the Trust when the First Amendment was executed, and that Alaska USA <u>did</u> consent to the transfer of situs from Alaska to Nevada pursuant to Article Fourteen, Section 6 of the Trust. Lastly, and in contradiction to Christopher and Mr. Barney's false representation to this Court, Ms. Davis presented evidence that Alaska USA <u>did</u> receive advice of counsel pursuant to Article Fourteen, Section 6 of the Trust³¹ prior to transferring the Trust's situs.

On July 30, 2015, Christopher also filed a Notice Of Appeal and Case Appeal Statement, 32 appealing the Court's June 24, 2015 Order pursuant to NRS 155.190(h) to the Nevada Supreme Court. Although Mr. Barney may argue that this Court does not have the authority to entertain

23 27 Id., at § II(A).

28 Id., at § II(B).

25 29 Id.

1d., at § II(C).

3) Id., at § II(D).

See, Notice Of Appeal and Case Appeal Statement, previously filed with this Court on July 30, 2015.

arguments related to the Petition For Reconsideration, this Court does have the authority to entertain collateral or independent matters involved in the same case or controversy. Ms. Davis' Motion To Amend Or Modify Order Pursuant to NRCP 60(b)(3) is a collateral matter, involving the same facts and circumstances, that this Court may entertain.³³

III. LEGAL ARGUMENT

NRCP 60(b), in relevant part, provides that "[o]n motion and upon such terms as are just, the court may relieve a party...from a final judgment, order, or proceeding for the following reasons...(3) fraud (whether heretofore denominated intrinsic or extrinsic), misrepresentation or other misconduct of an adverse party." Further, pursuant to <u>Foster v. Dingwall</u>, 228 P.3d 453, 455 (Nev. 2010), "a party seeking to alter, vacate, or otherwise change or modify an order or judgment challenged on appeal should file a motion for relief from the order of judgment in the district Court."

As such, and for the reasons set forth herein, Ms. Davis hereby requests that this Court: (1) amend or modify its Order assuming jurisdiction over the trust under the theory of "constructive trust"; (2) assume jurisdiction over the trust in its entirety as a proceeding *in rem* pursuant to NRS 164.010; and (3) make a specific finding that the transfer of the Trust's situs Alaska to Nevada was consistent with the terms of the Trust. Additionally, if this Court is inclined to amend or modify its Order, Ms. Davis further requests that this Court certify its intent to grant the relief so that this matter may be remanded back "to the district court for entry of an order granting the requested relief." *Id.* Such certification would render the issues currently raised on appeal moot.

A. Christopher Fraudulently Misrepresented That Tarja's Consent To The First Amendment And The Change In Situs Was Required.

In his Petition For Reconsideration, Christopher's contends that "all the facts and evidence prove the change of situs (a condition precedent) was invalid and not permitted under the terms of the [Trust]" is without merit. Christopher relies heavily on the fact that his current wife, Tarja,

See, Foster v. Dingwall, 228 P.3d 453 (Nev. 2010).

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 7:6-8.

did not consent to the transfer in situs.³⁵ Christopher, however, knew that Tarja's consent to the change in situs was <u>not required</u> to effectuate the same. Indeed, Christopher and his counsel Anthony L. Barney, Esq. ("Mr. Barney") and Harriet H. Roland, Esq. ("Ms. Roland") each have a copy of the trust, and are familiar with the terms and provision thereof, including (1) the provision defining "spouse";³⁶ (2) the provision related to distributions to a "spouse";³⁷ and (3) the provision related to the transfer of situs and the requirements therefor.³⁸

Specifically, Article Fourteen, Section 6 of the Trust provides, in relevant part, as follows:

"Except as expressly provided herein, the situs of this agreement or any subtrust established hereunder may be changed by the unanimous consent of all beneficiaries then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions of net income under this agreement or such subtrust, with the consent of any thenacting Protector and the Trustee thereof, which shall be given only after the Trustee has obtained advice from counsel as to the tax and other consequences of a change in situs."

While Article 8, Section 3(d) permits a trustee to "make distributions from the trust share of a Primary Beneficiary to or for the health, education, maintenance and support of the <u>spouse</u> of the Primary Beneficiary," such person <u>must</u> first qualify as a "spouse" pursuant to the express terms of the Trust.

Article Fourteen of the Trust, entitled "Definitions and General Provisions", provides that
"[f]or purposes of this agreement, the following words and phrases <u>shall</u> be defined as follows:"
Section 1(j), defines "Spouses":

"An individual is a 'spouse' if such individual is the then current spouse of a child of mine on the signing date of this trust. If an individual enters into a valid

Id., at p.8:17-21.

See, Original Petition, at Ex. 1, Art. 14, §1(i).

^{24 | 37} Id., at Ex. 1, Art 8, §3(d).

³⁸ Id., at Ex. 1, Art 14, §6.

^{26 39} Id., at Ex. 1, Art. 14, § 6. (Emphasis added).

Id., at Ex. 1, Art. 8, §3(d). (Emphasis added).

⁴¹ Id., at Ex. 1, Art 14, § 1.

marital union, as defined in paragraph a. of this section, with a child of mine or a beneficiary of mine following the signing of this trust, then such individual may qualify as a 'spouse' if that if the (sic) marital union exists continuously for a period of ten years, and that individual is not legally separated from the person under a decree of divorce or separate maintenance."

According to the Declaration Of Tarja Davis, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1, Christopher and Tarja did not get married until February 22, 2012. As Christopher and Tarja were only married for a little over two (2) years at the time the situs was transferred, February 24, 2014, Tarja did not meet the ten (10) year criteria as set forth in the Trust and, therefore, did not qualify as a "spouse" thereunder. Indeed, pursuant to the terms of the Trust, Tarja still does not qualify as a "spouse". Consequently, and despite Christopher's intentional misrepresentation of the fats, Tarja is not, and was not, a "beneficiary then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions." and her consent was not required to transfer the situs from Alaska to Nevada. As such, Christopher's contention that Tarja's consent was necessary is meritless.

B. Christopher Fraudulently Misrepresented that Alaska USA Was Not The Then-Acting Trustee At The Point In Time In Which The Trust's Situs Was Changed And Did Not Consent To Such Transfer Of Situs.

Replete throughout Christopher's pleadings before this Court, and from Christopher's counsel's oral arguments at the April 22, 2015 Hearing, Christopher has continued to materially misrepresent the facts related to the validity of the transfer of situs from Alaska to Nevada. Indeed, Christopher has continued to falsely represent to this Court that "there was no acting Trustee to provide informed consent to the change in situs." Christopher fabricated this contention because Alaska USA tendered its resignation as of December 5, 2013, and the First Amendment effectuating the change in situs was executed on February 24, 2014. As Christopher's counsel, Mr. Barney and Ms. Roland are clearly aware, simply submitting a

Id., at Ex. 1, Art 14, §1(j). (Emphasis added).

⁴³ Id., at Ex. 1, Art. 14, § 6.

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 8:13-14.

resignation of trusteeship does not, in and of itself, obviate a trustee of its duties to act, nor does it automatically remove the trustee from its role as such. Indeed, pursuant to the Declaration Of Janet K. Tempel, Senior Trust Officer at Alaska USA, because "[a] successor trustee was not designated on or before December 5, 2013, [] Alaska USA retained the duties of trustee and powers necessary to protect the trust property pursuant to Alaska law...Pursuant to the [Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement], Alaska USA effectively resigned as Trustee of the Trust on February 24, 2014, as Dunham Trust Company was contemporaneously appointed as successor Trustee.

Moreover, pursuant to the recitals set forth in the Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement (the "Release"), which was signed by Christopher, Alaska USA was still serving as Trustee of the Trust on February 24, 2014, the date the Frist Amendment was executed. Specifically, the pertinent recital of the Release provides as follows: "WHEREAS, AUTC⁴⁷ is the currently serving trustee of the Trust..."

NRS 47.240, entitled "Conclusive presumptions" provides that "[t]he truth of the fact recited, from the recital in a written instrument between the parties thereto..." is presumed conclusive. Therefore, contrary to Christopher's misplaced assertion, there was an acting Trustee (i.e. Alaska USA) acting on behalf of the Trust to transfer the situs from Alaska to Nevada on February 24, 2014.

Alaska has codified such principle in Alaska Statutes, Section 13.36.077(1), which provides that "unless a co-trustee remains or the court otherwise orders, and until the trust property is delivered to a successor trustee or another qualified person entitled to the trust property, a trustee who has resigned or been removed has the duties of a trustee and the powers necessary to protect the trust property."

See, Declaration Of Janet K. Tempel, Senior Trust Officer, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 2, at ¶¶ 5 and 7. (Emphasis added).

⁴⁷ See, Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 3 (defining Alaska USA Trust Company of Anchorage, Alaska as "AUTC").

⁴⁸Id. (Emphasis added).

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Christopher's assertion that "the change in situs under the purported First Amendment must be presumed invalid until such evidence of an acting Trustee's consent can be produced"49 is without merit. Another well-known tenet of trust law is that a trust or amendment thereto is presumed to be valid unless proven otherwise, and the burden of proving the invalidity of such instrument rests upon the person so claiming. 50 Notwithstanding the burden of proof resting upon Christopher's shoulders, Christopher has not produced a single piece of evidence to support his position that Alaska USA did not consent to the transfer of situs, which he so adamantly contends. Indeed, the fact that Alaska USA executed the Release, which includes within it a provision entitled "Consent to Change of Situs and Amendment of Trust", is sufficient evidence that Alaska USA, as the "the currently serving trustee of the Trust", expressly consented to the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada. Section 1 of the Release, in relevant part, specifically provides that "AUTC (Alaska USA) and the Protector hereby consent to the changing of the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada."51 Given the facts and circumstances regarding the transfer in situs (i.e. the First Amendment and Release), it cannot reasonably be argued that Alaska USA did not provide the requisite consent for such action. Notwithstanding the clear evidence and Christopher's knowledge of such evidence, Christopher continues to fraudulently misrepresent the fact that Alaska USA was serving as Trustee of the Trust and consented to the transfer of the Trust's situs on February 24, 2014.

C. Christopher Fraudulently Misrepresented That Alaska USA Did Not Receive Advice Of Counsel.

Notwithstanding Christopher's intimate involvement throughout the drafting and execution of the First Amendment, the appointment of Dunham Trust as Directed Trustee, and the facts and circumstances regarding the transfer of the Trust's situs, Christopher continually

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 11:19-20.

See, In re Melter, 167 Wash.App. 285, 298, 273 P.3d 991, 998 (Wash.App. 2012) (providing that unless proven otherwise, "[a] will [or trust] is presumed to be valid. It may be disregarded when a will [or trust] contestant presents clear, cogent and convincing evidence" that it is invalid).

⁵¹ See, Ex. 3, at ¶ 1, p. 2.

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represents to this Court that "[a]ny amendment to change the situs of the [Trust] would require the opinion of legal counsel as to its effect...[and that] [t]here is simply no evidence to suggest that such an opinion was obtained..."⁵². Such representation is patently false. Indeed, Alaska USA received a legal opinion from Mr. Brislawn regarding the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada.⁵³ Specifically, Mr. Brislawn was retained by Mr. Lehnardt, as Trust Protector, "to provide limited support in changing trust situs from Alaska (where [he] is also licensed to practice) to Nevada.⁵⁴ In so doing, Mr. Brislawn "communicated with both trust companies (referring to Dunham and Alaska USA) in documenting the transfer...[and] provided an opinion of counsel with documentation supporting trust protector action.⁵⁵

Christopher's contention that Alaska USA did not obtain advice of counsel is a gross misrepresentation of the facts to this Court. A review of several of Mr. Lehnardt's billing invoices indicates that Christopher was deeply aware of the facts and circumstances regarding the transfer of the Trust's situs and Mr. Brislawn's involvement:

- (a) 12/23/2013 Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding change of trustee and capital and surplus issue, <u>telephone call to C Davis regarding the</u> <u>same</u>; 56
- (b) 01/07/2014 telephone call to D Brislawn (msg) regarding AK Trust modification, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change and multiple related items, discussion of Dunham trust and modification;⁵⁷
- (c) 01/15/2014 Telephone calls from C Davis regarding transfer of trustee...email to D Brislawn regarding same;⁵⁸

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 14:25-15:1; 15:3-4.

See, Email communication from Dennis Brislawn, Esq. to Joshua M. Hood, Esq., dated August 22, 2014, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 4.

⁵⁴ Id.

Id. (Emphasis added).

See, Lehnardt & Lehnardt, LLC invoices, true and correct copies of which are attached hereto as Exhibit 5.

^{27 | 57} Id.

⁵⁸ Id.

(d)	01/17/2014 - Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding transfer of trustee
	Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee, Telephone call to D
	Brislawn to discuss trustee transfer and modification of trust document; 59

- (e) 01/24/2014 Emails to D Brislawn and S. Coressel regarding trustee transfer and LLC items, Telephone call from J Tempel regarding transfer of trustee status, telephone call to C Davis regarding the same;⁶⁰
- (f) 02/04/204 Telephone call form C Davis regarding trustee change, telephone call from D Brislawn regarding same, review documents, telephone call to C Davis regarding same; 61
- (g) 02/18/2014 Prepare for and Meeting with C Davis, discuss with D Brislawn regarding Trust Distribution Advisor and trustee changes; 62

Based upon the fact that: (1) Tarja's consent was not required to transfer situs; (2) Alaska USA was acting as Trustee at the time the situs was transferred and consented to such transfer; and (3) Alaska USA did obtain advice of counsel regarding the transfer of situs, the Trust was properly and validly transferred from Alaska to Nevada.

III. Conclusion

Notwithstanding Christopher's continued intentional and fraudulent misrepresentation to this Court that Tarja's consent is required in order to effectively amend the Trust or to transfer situs, the First Amendment is valid, and the steps required to effectuate the transfer of the Trust's situs were properly executed. As fully set forth above, Tarja does not qualify as a "spouse" under the terms of the Trust, she was not entitled to receive distributions from the Trust, and her consent was not required to transfer the situs from Alaska to Nevada.

Article Fourteen, Section 6, in relevant part, requires "the unanimous consent all of the beneficiaries then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions." As evidenced by the "Acknowledgment And Consent Of Beneficiary" attached to the First Amendment, each of

59 Id.
 60 Id.
 61 Id.

Id.

the beneficiaries then eligible to receive distributions from the Trust, namely: (1) Ms. Davis; (2) Christopher; and (3) Winfield, provided their consent. Moreover, Ms. Davis, Christopher, and Winfield each executed the Release, which contain a provision entitled "Consent to Change Of Situs and Amendment of Trust". Said provision, in relevant part, provides that "[t]he Beneficiaries hereby unanimously consent to changing the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada..."

Article Fourteen, Section 6, in relevant part, further requires that the Trustee provide its consent to the transfer of situs, "which shall be given only after the Trustee has obtained advice of counsel..." As fully set forth above, Alaska USA was the "then-acting" trustee, and provided its express consent to the transfer of situs after receiving the advice of Dennis Brislawn, Esq.

In conclusion, Christopher's blatant and fraudulent misrepresentations of fact regarding the validity of the First Amendment and the transfer of the Trust's situs caused this Court to mistakenly assume jurisdiction over the Trust under the theory of "constructive trust". But for Christopher's intentional misrepresentations, this Court would have properly assumed jurisdiction over the Trust in its entirety as a proceeding *in rem* pursuant to NRS 164,010. Therefore, Ms. Davis respectfully requests that this Court enter an Order amending or modifying the June 24, 2014 Order and assume jurisdiction over the Trust as a proceeding *in rem*. Ms. Davis further requests that, if this Court is inclined to grant such relief, this Court certify its intent to grant the relief so that this matter may be remanded back "to the district court for entry of an order granting the requested relief" pursuant to Nevada Supreme Court case Foster v. Dingwall, 228 P.3d 453, 455 (Nev. 2010).

WHEREFORE, Caroline Davis respectfully request that:

(1) This Court Order amending or modifying the June 24, 2014 Order and assume jurisdiction over the Trust as a proceeding in rem; and

See, Ex. 3, at ¶ 1. (Emphasis added).

(2) if this Court is inclined to grant such relief, that this Court certify its intent to grant the relief so that this matter may be remanded back "to the district court for entry of an order granting the requested relief" pursuant to Nevada Supreme Court case <u>Foster v. Dingwall</u>.

Dated this for day of August, 2015.

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Exhibit 1

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MR. BARNEY: Taria [phonetic] is the wife of Christopher Davis.

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MR. SOLOMON: Not at the time of this.

THE COURT: Okay. All right.

MR. BARNEY: Yes. And, in fact, it's clear that they understood she was a beneficiary because in their Opposition to our Motion to Dismiss, they actually notice -- they took to notice her, okay, but they hadn't previously done so. Okay. It's clear that she did not consent to this.

There also wasn't an acting Alaska Trustee at that point to consent to the transfer. Mr. Solomon presented evidence that was very clear that on December 5th that Alaska Trust OSA tendered their resignation and was no longer the Trustee at that point. Then, allegedly, in February, the first amendment was produced wherein the change in situs occurred, allegedly, and a new Trustee was appointed in that same document.

Now, Your Honor, that begs the question: How 24 could a Nevada Trustee based in Nevada who could only operate within that situs be the Trustee that referred to in the trust but had to receive counsel before they made the change in situs that would also make the amendment operative as a condition precedent and then go ahead and

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RESIGNATION, RELEASE, ACKNOWLEDGMENT, CONSENT AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

This Agreement ("Agreement") is executed as of this 24th day of February, 2014, by and among Alaska USA Trust Company of Anchorage, Alaska ("AUTC"), Dunham Trust Company of Reno, Nevada ("Dunham"), Christopher D. Davis of Kansas City, Missouri ("Chris"), Caroline D. Davis of Seattle, Washington ("Caroline"), and Winfield B. Davis of Los Angeles, California ("Win") (Chris, Caroline and Win are collectively referred to herein as the "Beneficiaries"), and Stephen K. Lehnardt, in his capacity as "Protector" of the BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000 (the "Trust").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, AUTC is the currently serving trustee of the Trust and has stated that it is unwilling to continue to serve as trustee and wishes to resign;

WHEREAS, Article Eleven, Section 3.b. of the Trust grants the Protector the authority to remove and replace the trustee when a trustee is anable or unwilling to serve;

WHEREAS, Article Twelve, Section 7 of the Trust independies the trustee of the frust from all liability in connection with its service as trustee, excepting only willful misconduct or gross negligence;

WHEREAS, Article Fourteen, Section 6 of the Trust authorizes the change of situs of the trust, upon the unanimous consent of all of the beneficiaries then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions of net income under the trust, and the consent of any then acting Protector and Trustee. Article Fourteen, Section 6 further authorizes the Protector to amend the Trust in writing so as to change situs, conform the terms of the trust so that it may achieve its purposes in the new situs; and

WHEREAS, Dunham is willing to accept its appointment as successor trustee to AUTC, expressly conditioned on the appointment of one or more outside (non-Dunham) investment advisors and/or investment trustees so that Dunham serves as a directed trustee under Nevada law.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree to and do hereby take the following actions:

 Consent to Change of Situs and Amendment of Trust. The Beneficiaries hereby unanimously consent to changing the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada, and further

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unanimously coasent to the amendment of trust by the Protector to reflect the change of sites, applicable law, provision required by Dunham, and other amendments as required to allow the trust to achieve its purposes, substantially in the form of First Amendment to the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust attached hereto as <u>Exhibit 1</u>. AUTC and the Protector hereby consent to changing the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada.

- 2. Removal of AUTC and Appointment of Dunham. Protector shall, effective Pebruary 24, 2014, take the actions described in the Memorandum of Action by Pretector, substantially in the form of memorandum attached hereto as Exhibit 2.1, and shall issue written notices to AUTC and Dunham, substantially in the forms attached hereto as Exhibit 2.2 and Exhibit 2.3, to remove AUTC as Trustee of the Trust, and Appoint Dunham as successor trustee of the Trust.
- Acknowledgment of Indemnification of Trustee. AUTC, Dunham, and the Beneficiaries hereby acknowledge the provisions of the Trust which provide for the indemnification of Trustee from liability, excepting only willful misconduct or gross negligence.

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- a. Independent Counsel. The parties hereto acknowledge and agree that each of them has had an opportunity to review this Agreement and all Exhibits and to seek its own independent legal counsel with respect to the legal consequences of entering this Agreement.
- b. <u>Atterney's Fees</u>. In any action brought either party to enforce any of the terms of this Agreement, the prevailing party in such action shall be entitled to such reasonable atterney fees as the court or arbitrator shall determine to be appropriate
- c. Entire Agreement. This Agreement shall not be modified, amended or changed in any respect except by written document signed by all parties hereto. This Agreement and all attachments thereto, contain the entire agreement and understanding of the parties and supersedes any and all prior negotiations, understandings and written agreements.
- d. Interpretation/Venue. If any portion of this Agreement shall be held to be void or unenforceable, the balance thereof shall nanetheless be effective. This Agreement has been made and entered into in the State of Alaska and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Alaska. Venue for any dispute shall be Anchorage, Alaska.
- e. <u>Headings</u>. The headings used herein are for convenience only, and shall not be construed as a part of this Agreement or as a limitation on the scape of the particular paragraphs to which they refer.

- f. Binding Effect. This Agreement shall bind and shall innue to the benefit of the heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns of the parties.
 - g. <u>Coenterparts/Facsimile Signatures</u>. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, which together shall constitute one instrument. The parties hereto agree to accept signatures transmitted by facsimile.

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BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY

By

Stephen K. Lehnardt, Protector

HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date first written

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Subject

FW: Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust

From: Dennis Brislawn [mailto:dbrislawn@ohswlaw.com]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2014 12:03 PM To: Shanna Coressel; Joshua M. Hood

Cc: 'Stephen K Lehnardt'; Caroline D. Davis (cddavis@cddavismediation.com)

Subject: RE: Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust

I do not represent any party to the trust at present. Mr. Lehnardt requested a phone conversation with me today, in his capacity as Trust Protector, to discuss my current role, if any. I have no recollection or knowledge of pertinent information about the policies in question or any other trust investments.

In 1999 and 2000 or so I assisted attorney Lehnardt in case consulting and document drafting in his representation of Bea Davis. This year I was retained by Mr. Lehnardt, acting in his capacity as Trust Protector, to provide limited support in changing trust situs from Alaska (where I am also licensed to practice) to Nevada. I communicated with both trust companies in documenting that transfer consistent with the terms of the trust and requirements of the new jurisdiction/trustee, provided an opinion of counsel with documentation supporting trust protector action. My representation essentially concluded at that time as there was no additional service requested.

C. Dennis Brislawn, Jr., J.D. | Shareholder
Oseran Hahn, P.S.
Attn: Private Client Law Group
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Janet Tempel Bea Davis Family Heritage Trust c/c Alaska USA Trust Company P.O. Box 196757 Anchorage, AK 99519-6767

Date: 1/20/2014

Regarding: Davis - BBD FHT Invoice No. 39380

Services Rendered

Date	Staff	Description	Hours	Charges
12/02/2013	SKL	Email from and to N Williams regarding involces, forward to C Davis and T Watts	0.20	\$63.00
42/03/2013	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis regarding FHT, emails to and from S Coressel at Dunham Trust and telephone call to same regarding FHT transfer (msg). Telephone call from S Coressel, discussed review of FHT and initial questions, review structure in brief, telephone call to C Davis with update	0.80	\$252.00
12/04/2013	SKL	Email from and to J Tempel regarding AUTS resignation	0.50	\$157.50
12/06/2013	SKL	Email from J Tempel regarding AC statements for FHT! policy	0:30	\$94.50
12/10/2013	SKL	Emails to and from S. Coressel regarding Dunham trust and change of trustee!	0.40	\$126,00
12/11/2013	SKL	Email from and to S Corresel regarding review of AK trust, email to S Corresel regarding same. Telephone call from C Davis to discuss	0.40	\$126,00
12/18/2013	SKL	Ernall from S Coressel (Dunham Trust) regarding transfer of trusteestilp, telephone call to C Davis regarding same and issues raised by S Coressel, review FHT for best method to modify	0.60	\$189,00
12/20/2018	MIA	Discuss with Stephen regarding trustee issues and busice research regarding terms of the trust;	0.40	\$86;00
12/20/2013	SKL	Emails from J Temper regarding AUTC resignation and statements from policy	0.30	\$94.50
12/23/2013	SKL	Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding change of busice and capital and surplus issue, telephone call to C Davis regarding same, email from J Tempel regarding change of trustee and email to J Tempel regarding status of same	0.60	\$189.00

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Janet Tempel Bea Davis Femily Hentage Trust c/o Alaska USA Trust Company P.O. Box 1967-57 Anchorage, AIX 99519-6757

Date: 2/10/2014

Regarding: Davis BBD FHT Invoice No. 39428

Services Rendered

Date	Staff	Description	Hours:	Charges
1/03/2614	SKL,	Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee transfer and update in execuble instruction set for new bank accounts, discussion of method for transfer of trustee and beneficiary waivers and consent, emails from and to D Brislawn regarding coordinating same	0.90	\$283.50
1/06/2014	AJM	Call Jackson County Probate Court regarding filing issues for Davis probate matter	0.20	\$43.00
1/06/2014	SKL	Emails from and to DiBrislawn and S Corresel regarding transfer of trusteeship to Dunham trust and other matters	0,50	\$157,50
1/07/2014	SKL	Telephone call to C Davis returning his call of yesterday, email to C Davis regarding same, telephone call to D Brislawn (msg) regarding AK Trust modification, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change and multiple related items, discussion of Dunham trust and modification	0.70	\$220,50
1/08/2014	MCA.	Davis probate matters - discuss items with Jackson County probate court and trait and file continuance documents for probate proceedings.	0.20	\$43,00
1/08/2014	SKL	Email from and to D Brislawn regarding trustee transfer, review FHT for Trust Redector power for change of frustee and change of jurisdiction. Telephone call from D Brislawn to discuss same and review trust restatement.	0.80	\$252.00
1/10/2014	AUM	Review documents sent into office from clients; draft and submit response to Exception Letter regarding Davis probate matter	0,20	\$43.00
1/10/2014	SKL	Telephone call from 3 Tempel regarding trust transfer status, email from 3 Tempel regarding policy statements	0.40	\$126.00

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171372014	AJM	Phone call from Phylis at the probate count regarding final submissions; draft additional waiver forms and	0,20	\$43.00
1/13/2014	\$KL	submit to court; felephone call to C Dayls (msg); Telephone call from C Dayls regarding same, email to D Brislawn regarding change of busice (msg); review FHT for loan; provisions; Telephone call from D Brislawn regarding trustee transfer considerations and best method of	tdo	\$346,50
1/15/2014	akir	doing this as Trust Protector. Telephone calls from C Davis regarding transfer of trustee; email from J Tempel regarding transfer of trustee, email to D Brislawn regarding same, schedule telephone call with Dunham trust and Brislawn to review any items or questions.	0.80	\$252,00
1/15/2014	SKL	Telephone call to F Moseley to discuss NV; telephone call to conference with D Brislawn and S Coressel regarding change of trust, Telephone call from S Coressel regarding that matters	7.20	\$378.00
1/17/2014	SKL	Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding transfer of trustee, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee, Telephone call to D Brislawn to discuss trustee transfer and modification of trust document, email to S Correset regarding same	1,30	\$409.50
1/20/2014	SKT*	Complete review of FHT document and email to D Brislewn for additional drafting and comments vis a vis change of jurisdiction and change of trustee, and additional work on trust:	0:80	\$252,00
1/23/2014	AJM	B Davis probate review materials for filing and obtain final Individual waivers and consents from beneficianes	0,30	\$64,50
1/24/2014	MLA	Probate items update and sending to client discuss with Stephen regarding FHT next steps and client meating	0:40	\$86,00
1/24/2014	SKL	Emails to D Brislawn and S Coressel regarding trustee transfer and LLC items, Telephone call from J Tempel regarding transfer of trustee status, telephone call to C Davis regarding same	1.30	\$409.50
1/27/2014	SKL	Review draft documents for change of trustee, ernail from B Brislawn, email to D Brislawn regarding same and my comments back. Telephone call from S Coressel regarding NV LLC discussion for NV Trust and LLC as solution to policy loans, felephone call to C Davis to discuss same, work on trust document drafts	2,70	\$850,50
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1730/2014		Outside Counsel - Oseran, Hann, Spring, Straight & Wa	ts, P.S.	\$700,00
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Janet Tempel Bea Davis Family Hentage Trust do Alaska USA Trust Company P.O. Box 196757 Anchorage, AK 99519-6757

Date: 3/13/2014

Regarding: Davis - BBD FHT Invoice No: 39462

Services Rendered

Date:	Staff	Description	Hours	Charges
2/08/2014	SKL	Telephone call to Kathy (D Brislawn office) msg, Telephone call from Kathy regarding same, schedule telephone call to conf with D Brislawn	0.40	\$126.00
2/04/2014	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change, telephone call to D.Brislawn regarding same, review documents, felephone call to C Davis regarding same, telephone call to D Brislawn regarding additional items required for documents.	1,10	\$346.60
2/07/2014	SKL	Telephone call from D. Brislawn regarding amendment, draft questions;	0.30	\$94,50
2/10/2014	SKL	Email from D.Brislawn regarding frust amendment drafts, review same and edit	2.00	\$630.00
2/12/2014	SKL	Continue editing EHT documents, email to D. Brislawn regarding same, email from 5 Conesei regarding draff documents to Dunham acceptance committee for review and approval	2.40	\$756.00
2/13/2014	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change, continue editing resignation and consent document, email to D Brislawi, with changes.	3.50	\$1,102:50
2/14/2014	SKL	Email to and from D Brislawn regarding attorney coursel regarding moving jurisdictions as required by trust agreement.	0.46	\$126.00
-2/18/2014	skr	Prepare for and Meeting with C Davis, discuss with D Brislawn regarding Trust Distribution Advisor and trustee changes:	3.20	\$1,008.00
2/19/2014	SKL	Emails from and to S.Conesel regarding FHT questions	0,60	\$189.00
2/20/2014	SKE	Email from S Coressel regarding trust committee, approval of FHT transfer to Dunham Trust Company, amail to S Coressel regarding same, fibaliza	0.90	\$283,50

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		documents for transfer to Dunham and prepare packages for sending to C Davis for signature, review with A McCarter, email from and to D Brislawn a and S Corresel regarding attorney letter and final documents for signature comments.		
2/21/2014	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis and T Watts regarding P Fordham questions on P Notes, review file and email to C Davis and T Watts regarding same, emails from and to D Brislavin and S Coressel regarding trustee transfer and final comments on documents, finalize documents for signature; emails to C Davis regarding same, draft Trustee Distribution Advisor letter to FHT beneficiaries.	1,30	\$409.50
2/25/2014	SKL	Email to C Day's regarding final documents for signature by all beneficiaries for FHT trustee transfer and trust modification by trust protector	0.40	\$126.00
2/26/2014	AJM	Davis probate - finalize collection of documents and e-file with courf	0.40	\$66.00
2/26/2014 2/27/2014 2/27/2014	SKL	Email from S Gallup regarding Caldwell statements FHT shutdown document prep Emails from and to D Brislavin regarding atterney letter, review and comment on same, and on Trust Distribution Advisor letter comments, and on Trust	0.20 2.70 0.70	\$63,00 \$580,60 \$220,50
2/28/2014	AJM	Walts regarding C Davis algued documents Revada LLC updates and loan modification review issues	0.60	\$0.00
212812014	<u>ś</u> ki.	Emails from and to O Davis and Caroline Davis and T Watts regarding beneficiary signature pages regarding trustee change, Telephone call from C Davis regarding questions by Caroline, telephone call to R inovergarding assistance in Japan with Win's signature, telephone call to O Davis regarding same	1.20	\$378,00
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2/28/2014		Outside Counsel - Oseran, Hatm, Spring, Straight, & Wa	its, P.S.	\$2,600,00
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12	Attorneys for Christopher D. Davis	
13 14	EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTR CLARK COUNTY, NE	
10	In the matter of:	
15	In the matter of	Case No.: P-15-083867-T
16 17	The BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014.	Dept. No.: 26
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2 3 Hood Esq. of Solomon Dwiggins & Freer, Ltd. 4 5 6 Counsel Law Group 7 8 9 10 11 12 may be heard. 13 Christopher D. Davis, by and through his attorneys HARRIET H. ROLAND. 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 that will be heard in this matter. 23 DATED this 'day of August, 2015. 24 25 26

COURT WITHOUT HEARING PRIOR TO THE SCHEDULED HEARING DATE.

Caroline Davis, through her attorneys Mark Solomon, Esq. and Joshua

Dunham Trust Company, through its attorney Charlene Renwick, Esq., of the law firm of Lee, Hernandez, Landrum & Garofalo, Attorneys at Law

Stephen Lehnardt, through his attorney Jonathan Barlow, of Clear

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned will bring the foregoing motion on for hearing before the Honorable Judge Sturman in Dept. 26 of the Eighth Judicial District Court, located at 200 Lewis Avenue, Las Vegas, NV 89155, on the ____day of 2015, at ____o'clock of said day, or as soon thereafter as counsel

Esq., of the ROLAND LAW FIRM and ANTHONY L. BARNEY, Esq., of the law office of ANTHONY L. BARNEY, LTD, hereby present their petition requesting this Court to stay Discovery until the August 19, 2015 Hearing on Motion for Reconsideration or in the alternative, to enter its protective order from the discovery by subpoena made upon the ROLAND LAW FIRM by subpoena duces tecum issued by Caroline Davis, which far exceeds the Court's order for production of documents by Christopher Davis in the case. This pleading is based on the Memorandum of Points and Authorities attached hereto, any exhibits attached hereto, and any oral argument

> Respectfully Submitted: ROLANDILAW EXEM

> Nevada Bar Nó.: 5471

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MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

I. FACTS PRESENTED

Christopher D. Davis ("Christopher") hereby incorporates the facts presented in his Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b) and NRCP 19 filed on March 4, 2015, his Reply to Opposition filed April 20, 2015, and his Petition for Reconsideration of the Order dated May 19, 2015, as if set forth fully herein. He further alleges:

This matter commenced on February 10, 2015 when Christopher's sister Caroline Davis ("Caroline") filed her

Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Trust, To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor And Stephen K. Lehnhardt As Distribution Trust Advisor; To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee; And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis.

A hearing on the matter was held April 22, 2015. In its Order signed May 19, 2015 and entered June 24, 2015, this Court found that "the Court has jurisdiction as a constructive trust because action on behalf of the trust has been taken in Nevada." Based on this finding that jurisdiction was proper, this Court assumed Jurisdiction over Christopher D. Davis and granted immediate disclosure of "all information in his possession, custody and control in his role as Investment Trust Advisor and or his role as manager of FHT Holdings."

On June 8, 2015, a subpoena duces tecum was issued at the behest of the law firm of Solomon Dwiggins Freer, Ltd. and served upon the custodian of records for the Roland Law Firm (not upon Christopher Davis). The subpoena far exceeds the scope of the Court's order for production of documents; it requests copies of documents that are irrelevant, privileged, more easily obtained from other sources if they do in fact exist; burdensome, and all of which were provided by Christopher to his attorneys in anticipation of litigation and with the expectation of privilege and confidentiality. The subpoena is attached as Exhibit C.

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On July 14, 2015, Christopher Davis filed and noticed his Motion for Reconsideration, which comes on for hearing on August 19, 2015. On July 30, 2015, he filed his Notice of Appeal. Both of these actions are based upon jurisdictional challenges and due process claims of insufficient service of process.

II. LEGAL AUTHORITY AND ARGUMENT

A. NRCP 26(c) allows for a protective order.

NRCP 26(c) indicates that a protective order may be sought in which justice requires to protect a party or person from annoyance, embarrassment, oppression, or undue burden or expense, including one or more of the following:

- (1) that the discovery not be had;
- (2) that the discovery may be had only on specified terms and conditions, including a designation of the time or place;
- (3) that the discovery may be had only by a method of discovery other than that selected by the party seeking discovery;
- (4) that certain matters not be inquired into, or that the scope of the discovery be limited to certain matters;
- (5) that discovery be conducted with no one present except persons designated by the court;
- (6) that a deposition after being sealed be opened only by order of the court;
- (7) that a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information not be revealed or be revealed only in a designated way;
- (8) that the parties simultaneously file specified documents or information enclosed in sealed envelopes to be opened as directed by the court.

B. NRCP Rule 45 allows this court to quash or modify a subpoena.

NRCP 45 (c) Protection of Persons Subject to Subpoena provides in pertinent part:

(1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court on behalf of which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney's fee.

C. Caroline is using her subpoena power as an end run around this Court's June 24, 2015 Order for production of documents and well outside its scope, and outside the scope of permitted discovery.

Caroline is attempting to circumvent this Court's order of production of documents and gain access to Christopher's attorneys' files, all of which were provided by Christopher to the attorneys with the expectation of attorney/client privilege and in anticipation of litigation. Caroline has not caused a subpoena to be issued to Christopher personally, nor arranged to take his deposition. In good faith, Christopher has provided the correspondence and documentation regarding the Family Heritage Trust since the purported amendment was instituted on February 24, 2014. This Court did not order the production of documents concerning any of his private activities prior to the time he was purportedly appointed Investment Advisor to the trust.

The basic guideline as to the permissible scope of discovery under Nevada law is provided by NRCP Rule 26 (b): Discovery Scope and Limits. Unless otherwise limited by order of the court in accordance with these rules, the scope of discovery is as follows:

(1) In General. Parties may obtain discovery regarding any matter, not privileged, which is relevant to the subject matter involved in the pending action, whether it relates to the claim or defense of the party seeking discovery or to the claim or defense of any other party, including the existence, description, nature, custody, condition and location of any books, documents, or other tangible things and the identity and location of persons having knowledge of any discoverable matter. It is not ground for objection that the information sought will be inadmissible at the trial if the information sought appears reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence[.] (Emphasis added.)

N.R.C.P. Rule 34 includes the following:

- (b) Procedure.
- (1) Contents of the Request. The request:
- (A) must describe with reasonable particularity each item or category of items to be inspected[.] (Emphasis added.)

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3 561 P.2d 1342 (Nev. 1977). In applying the phrase in Rule 26(b)(1), "which is relevant 4 to the subject matter involved in the pending action," the court, in a personal injury 5 action against a hotel, stated that where, as in the case before it, a party's physical 6 condition was in issue, it was proper for a court to "order discovery of medical records 7 containing information relevant to the injury complained of or any pre-existing injury 8 related thereto." 93 Nev. at 192, 561 P.2d at 1343. The court found that the discovery 9 order issued by the court below was proper to the extent that it required the 10 production of the petitioner's tax returns and medical records relating to the issues 11 raised by the action (the court below was itself the respondent in a mandamus action 12 brought by the petitioner in challenging the discovery order) but that the order was 13 overly broad: 14

The Supreme Court of Nevada dealt with the scope of discovery under N.R.C.P.

Rule 26 in Schlatter v. Eighth Jud. Dist. Ct. In and For Clark County, 93 Nev. 189,

[R]espondent's order went beyond this and permitted carte blanche discovery of all information contained in these materials without regard to relevancy. Our discovery rules provide no basis for such an invasion into a litigant's private affairs merely because redress is sought for personal injury. Respondent court therefore exceeded its jurisdiction by ordering disclosure of information neither relevant to the tendered issues nor leading to discovery of admissible evidence.

Id., 561 P.2d at 1343-44.

D. Caroline has not stated a cause of action or requested any remedy; her subpoena is over-broad and not relevant to her interest in the Trust.

To assess the relevancy of the items requested in Caroline's subpoena "to the subject matter involved in the pending action," it is necessary to review the Petition, starting, in slightly abbreviated form, with its heading:

PETITION TO ASSUME JURISDICTION OVER THE BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY TRUST, . . . OVER CHRISTOPHER D. DAVIS AS INVESTMENT TRUST ADVISOR AND STEPHEN K. LEHNHARDT AS DISTRIBUTION TRUST ADVISOR; TO CONFIRM DUNHAM TRUST COMPANY AS DIRECTED TRUSTEE; AND FOR IMMEDIATE

DISCLOSURE OF DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION FROM CHRISTOPHER D. DAVIS.

After reviewing a number of actions that have affected the Family Heritage Trust from the time of its creation on July 28, 2000 (primarily changes in the identity of the trustee, with Dunham Trust Company of Reno, Nevada purportedly now serving as Successor Trustee and as Directed Trustee (Petition ¶¶ 6-8, 11), and a First Amendment to the Trust, purportedly changing the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada (¶¶ 9-10), Caroline commences the heart of her pleading with the heading:

PETITION FOR THE IMMEDIATE DISCLOSURE OF DOCUMENTS AND INFORMATION FROM CHRISTOPHER D. DAVIS

Caroline recounts that on May 9, 2011, the Trust became the owner and beneficiary of an Ashley Cooper Life Insurance Policy (Policy Number ACLI 1105-8007 PC; the "Policy"), with a face value of \$35,000,000 and Cheryl Davis (Christopher's ex-wife) as the insured. (Petition ¶¶ 15·17.) Section 10 of the Policy permits the owner (the Trust) to obtain loans from the Policy. (¶ 18.) The original Trustee, Alaska Trust Company, and its successor, Alaska USA Trust Company (¶¶ 19-20) borrowed funds from the Policy, paid administrative expenses of the trust and also made loans from the borrowed funds.

At ¶ 24 of the Petition, it is alleged that the Trust distributed a total of \$1,300,689.00 in Policy loans to a separate trust created by Beatrice B. Davis on April 4, 1990 (the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust), Davis Family Office LLC ("DFO") and Christopher D. Davis, individually, all of which loans and distributions were allegedly made "at Christopher's insistence or direction in either his individual capacity, his capacity as the sole acting Trustee of the Revocable Living Trust, and his capacity as the sole manager of DFO. Caroline's basis for seeking the production of the documents as per the subpoena is set forth in the following two paragraphs of the Petition:

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25. As Caroline is a current beneficiary of the Trust and the loans are current assets held within the Trust, Caroline is entitled to complete documentation and information related to the Policy loans, including but not limited to, the identity of any entity, trust or individual who has received and/or benefitted from such loans, the purpose of such loans, the circumstances surrounding the distribution and use of such loans, the repayment of such loans (if any), the collateral for such loans, executed promissory notes, etc.

26. Further, the Trust is the one-hundred percent (100%) owner of FHT Holdings, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company ("FHT Holdings"), of which Christopher serves as the sole Manager. As FHT Holdings is an asset of the Trust, Caroline is entitled to information related to the assets held by FHT Holdings, including but not limited to the principal, income, and liabilities of the LLC. (Footnotes omitted.)

In addition to Caroline's contention in ¶ 24 that, because she is a beneficiary of the Trust and because the Policy is an asset of the Trust, she is entitled to review every possible document or record that in any way relates to the loans made by the Trustees, she also cites the following subsections of Nev. Rev. Stat. § 153.031 "Petition by trustee or beneficiary concerning affairs of trust: Purposes of petition; contents; notice and hearing; additional relief":

- A trustee or beneficiary may petition the court regarding any aspect of the affairs of the trust, including:
- (e) Ascertaining beneficiaries and determining to whom property is to pass or be delivered upon final or partial termination of the trust, to the extent not provided in the trust instrument;
- (f) Settling the accounts and reviewing the acts of the trustee, including the exercise of discretionary powers;
- (h) Compelling the trustee to report information about the trust or account, to the beneficiary.

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(q) Compelling compliance with the terms of the trust or other applicable law[.]

(Emphasis added; this is the version of §153.031 prior to amendment by 2015 Nevada Laws Ch. 524 (S.B. 484), but subsection (h) was not changed.)

Subsection (h) by its very wording points out a fatal flaw in Caroline's view of her rights to the documents and records that she is seeking: very simply, Christopher D. Davis is not the trustee of the Family Heritage Trust and therefore is not the individual or entity to whom subsection (h) applies. Subsection (h) also suggests the need to determine the limits of a beneficiary's rights to information concerning the trust. This question has been addressed by N.R.S. §165.137 "Duties of trustee with regard to providing account; circumstances when account deemed approved by beneficiary," which provides in part:

- 1. The following provisions apply to the extent that the trust instrument does not expressly provide otherwise:
- (a) The trustee shall provide an account to each current beneficiary and to each remainder beneficiary upon request but is not required to provide an account to a remote beneficiary;
- (b) A trustee is not required to provide an account more than once in any calendar year unless ordered by a court to do so upon good cause shown; . . .
- (j) A trustee is not required to provide to a beneficiary information that does not affect the beneficiary's interest in the trust[.]

(Emphasis added.)

This provision has been repealed, but a trustee's duty to account and provide information to beneficiaries is covered by 2015 Nevada Laws Ch. 524 (S.B. 484) § 73, which provides in part:

1. To the extent that the trust instrument does not provide otherwise, the trustee of a nontestamentary trust shall satisfy the duty to account for the nontestamentary trust estate by delivery of an account which conforms with the requirements of NRS 165.135, and pursuant to the following:

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(a) Except as otherwise limited by paragraph (b), the trustee shall deliver an account, upon demand pursuant to NRS 165.141, to each current beneficiary, and to each remainder beneficiary of the trust. A trustee is not required to provide an account to a remote beneficiary pursuant to this section.

(b) Notwithstanding paragraph (a), a trustee may satisfy the duty to account in accordance with subparagraphs (1) to (6), inclusive, where applicable:

(4) The trustee is not required to provide an account of any portion of the trust estate to a beneficiary that does not affect the beneficiary's interest in the trust, and the trustee may redact the account as to such portions that do not affect the beneficiary's interest. (Emphasis added.)

Therefore, even without considering whether the Petitioner's request for documents and records under her subpoena satisfies the N.R.C.P. Rule 26(b)(1) requirement of relevancy to the pending action, there are two obstacles standing in her way: (1) Christopher D. Davis is not the Trustee of the Family Heritage Trust and therefore is not the proper party to be served with a subpoena seeking trustrelated documents and records, and (2) even in the absence of the first obstacle, Caroline, as a beneficiary, has the burden of showing that her request for each item is justified as affecting her beneficial interest. Caroline makes no attempt in the Items to be Produced (attached to the subpoena) to explain, even in a general way, how the requests or groups of requests relate to the protection of her beneficial interest in the Trust.

Instead, her requests blanket full groups of records possessed by Christopher D. Davis: all of his records in his possession, custody or control concerning the Family Heritage Trust (¶ 1), the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust (¶ 2), Davis Family Office, (¶ 4), and FHT Holdings, LLC (¶ 5). These are not documents that would reflect Christopher's investment decisions as to Trust assets in his purported capacity as Investment Trust Advisor, even if he did have any control over them, or documents

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that could, arguably, have a bearing on the value of the Petitioner's beneficial interest. Notably, it includes documents over which Caroline has control also, in her capacities as Co-Trustee and beneficiary.

It is difficult to see how records pertaining to the Revocable Living Trust, Davis Family Office and FHT Holdings LLC have anything bearing on Caroline's interest in the policy. Similarly, there is no indication of any bearing on Caroline's interest in the Family Heritage Trust, or of a connection between Christopher's purported status as owner, manager, director or officer of "any and all entities", and the Family Heritage Trust or the Revocable Living Trust (¶ 8). This request constitutes a fishing expedition into Christopher's financial affairs. Even if Ashley Cooper Life Insurance Policy is the sole asset of the Family Heritage Trust, it is difficult to see how any records concerning the Policy itself (¶ 2) have a bearing on Caroline's interest. As discussed below, she is not complaining about the Trust's acquisition of the Policy, because she consented to it. The only relevance of the disbursements made from the loan proceeds to Caroline's interest in the Trust is if the loans to Christopher are not repaid, they should not be charged against her interest in the proceeds should she survive him.

Even if Caroline clears the foregoing obstacles, she must still face the statutory requirements of NRCP Rule 26 (b)(1) that the materials she seeks under the subpoena are "relevant to the subject matter involved in the pending action."

First, it is obvious that the documents and records sought by Caroline have no bearing on the question that is presently before this Court in the immediate proceeding: whether this Court was correct in concluding in its Order of May 19, 2015 that it has jurisdiction in this matter "as a constructive trust because action on behalf of the trust has been taken in Nevada." No item in the subpoena relates to the jurisdictional or constructive trust issue. Instead, as described above, Caroline, without any degree of specificity, seeks the production of any document or record in

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the possession of Christopher D. Davis that has any connection, regardless of how
tangential, to the (1) Family Heritage Trust or to entities owned by the Trust (Items
to be Produced ¶¶ 1 and 6); to the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust and
entities owned by it (¶¶ 2 and 7); to Davis Family Office, LLC (¶ 4); to FHT Holdings,
LLC (¶ 5). Caroline seeks any record possessed by Christopher D. Davis related to
any entity owned or managed by Christopher Davis concerning any business or
financial relationship between the entity and the Family Heritage Trust or the
Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust (¶ 8) and all records possessed by Mr. Davis
related to the loans obtained from the Ashley Cooper Life Insurance Policy (¶ 9). If
these requested groups of items are to be established as "relevant to the pending
action," the nature of the pending action must be determined. As summarized above,
at ¶ 24 of the Petition to Assume Jurisdiction, Caroline alleges without foundation
that the disbursements made from the \$1,300,689.00 to the Revocable Living Trust,
Davis Family Office and to Christopher D. Davis individually were made at Christopher's insistence or direction in either his individual capacity, his capacity as the sole acting Trustee of the Revocable Living Trust

Caroline cites N.R.S. § 163.115 as one of the provisions under which the Petition has been filed. The first part of the heading of that provision is "Breach of trust by trustee" and the provision reads:

Interestingly, in the introductory paragraph of the Petition (page 1),

and his capacity as the sole Manager of the DFO.

If a trustee commits or threatens to commit a breach of trust, a beneficiary or cotrustee" has an assortment of actions available, including a proceeding to compel the trustee to perform his duties or to redress the breach.

But Caroline cannot be implicitly alleging a breach of trust by Christopher since he is not the Trustee of the Family Heritage Trust (the Trustee during the period of the loans and distributions were Alaska Trust Company or Alaska USA Trust Company). Further, at pages 7-8 of her Opposition to Christopher D. Davis' Motion to Dismiss. . . she denies any claim of breach of trust:

Ms. Davis is not now objecting to the loans and distributions being made 12 of 21

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or claiming any breach of fiduciary duty on Alaska or Alaska USA's part. Rather, Ms. Davis is simply requesting from Mr. Davis information related to who received and/or benefited from the loans, the purpose of the loans, the circumstances surrounding the distribution and use of the loan proceeds, the repayment of such loans, the collateral, and any other relevant information.

This admission confirms an important point: given that the items requested under the subpoena do not relate to the Petitioner's request that this Court assume jurisdiction over the Family Heritage Trust, Christopher D. Davis and Stephen K. Lehnardt. The pending action here, for purposes of the subpoena, has only one object: the acquisition from Christopher of the groups of documents and records listed on the document attached to the subpoena, Items to be Produced. Therefore, it must be concluded that this is essentially an action to enforce a subpoena without establishing that the subpoena is relevant to a pending action other than the very proceeding of acquiring the items listed on the subpoena. In other words the subpoena is strictly self-referential and therefore cannot be regarded as relevant to a pending action since the subpoena constitutes the action itself. This fatal defect in the subpoena does not even take into consideration that, even if there were a pending action to which the subpoena could be attached so as to establish relevancy under N.R.C.P. Rule 26 (b), there is the additional defect that the descriptions of the records requested on the subpoena fail, as summarized above in regard to the failure to relate the items requested to the Petitioner's interest in the Family Heritage Trust, to provide any focus as to the Petitioner's purpose in requesting the documents. To repeat a portion of the excerpt set forth above from the Supreme Court of Nevada's opinion in Schlatter v. Eighth Jud. Dist. Ct. In and For Clark County, the court found that court's order enforcing the subpoena was overly broad in that it

permitted carte blanche discovery of all information contained in these materials without regard to relevancy. Our discovery rules provide no basis for such an invasion into a litigant's private affairs merely because redress is sought for personal injury. Respondent court therefore exceeded its jurisdiction by ordering disclosure of information neither relevant to the tendered issues nor leading to discovery of admissible

evidence.

93 Nev. at 192, 561 P.2d at 1343-44. In the present case, Caroline did not (and could not) provide any specificity as to the purpose and relevancy of the requested materials because, as discussed, there is no underlying, pending action to which the test of relevancy of the requests can be applied. To the contrary, the subpoena constitutes an attempt to get at Christopher's personal and financial records under the subterfuge that such action is necessary to safeguard the Petitioner's rights under the Family Heritage Trust and to protect the integrity of the Trust itself.

Caroline Davis is not requesting the production of records in broad terms in order to use such records as an aid in formulating future requests, focusing on specific documents. To the contrary, the Petitioner clearly intends the present subpoena to serve as a one-time request in the broadest terms possible.

E. Individual Parties or Entities Have Not Been Properly Served, and Discovery Should Not be Taken Until They Are. Caroline is using her subpoena power to circumvent due process.

In Swensen v. Sheppard, Swensen v. Sheppard (In re Aboud), 314 P.3d 941, 946 (Nev. 2013) the Nevada Supreme Court found that it could not impose personal liability on individuals or entities which "required the court to acquire 'personal jurisdiction over [them as] part[ies], normally through appropriate process based on contacts with the jurisdiction or through [their] general appearance therein to defend on the merits."

Caroline takes exception to the requirements for proper service and notice, or the necessity of stating a claim against Christopher or any Trustee, making an end run around due process safeguards, using her subpoena power to interfere with Christopher's privacy, apparently in order to obtain information to use personally or in the Missouri litigation which she has brought against Christopher as her co-trustee of their mother's revocable trust. This is entirely improper; it is an abuse of process, a waste of this court's resources, and if allowed by this Court, it accomplishes her

In Christopher's jurisdictional objection in his Petition for Reconsideration, he alleges Caroline is attempting to use the relaxed standards of statutory in rem jurisdiction for the more stringent requirements necessary to obtain the necessary personal jurisdiction over Christopher Davis, individually or upon FHT Holdings, LLC. Proper notice and service are required for personal jurisdiction over a party especially when requesting the court to exercise power and authority over an individual party or upon a business entity. Before any discovery demanded by the subpoena is allowed, this Court should require the due process rights of the corporation must be respected, and service properly administered in order to obtain jurisdiction over Christopher, individually, and as manager of FHT Holdings, LLC. The Court should further require Caroline to request from the creator of FHT Holdings, LLC, not from Christopher, any documents relating to the entity's creation and governance. As a mere beneficiary, co-equal with Caroline, Christopher had no power, authority or ability to act as trustee and create an entity solely owned by the Family Heritage Trust.

F. Christopher in good faith has produced the documents required under the June 24, 2015 Court Order. He should not be required to bear Caroline's discovery costs.

While Caroline may characterize Christopher's and his attorneys' production of documents as "only a few pieces of correspondence", the fact is that Christopher has produced hundreds of pages of documents, both before the Court's order was issued, and in compliance with the Court's order. In her opening Petition, she produced approximately 280 pages of relevant exhibits. She now demands that Christopher hunt down and produce many more documents which Caroline has already obtained from Dunham Trust Company and/or other persons, possibly so that

she can complain when he doesn't produce something she thinks he should have in his possession but doesn't. If any loans, disbursements, or distributions have been authorized or made during Dunham Trust Company as purported Trustee, it is the Trustee's responsibility, not Christopher's, to account for them.

G. The subpoena issued to the Custodian of Records at Roland Law Firm demands confidential client information which cannot be produced under NRPC 1.6.

Rule 1.6. Confidentiality of Information.

(a) A lawyer shall not reveal information relating to representation of a client unless the client gives informed consent, the disclosure is impliedly authorized in order to carry out the representation, or the disclosure is permitted by paragraphs (b) and (d).

All the information and documents transmitted by Christopher Davis to Roland Law Firm and Anthony Barney Ltd. were given in the course of legal representation, without any implied authority to disclose them to opposing counsel or opposing parties. The attorneys are not able to produce the confidential information required by the subpoenas; to do so would violate the NRPC 1.6. The subpoena should have been directed to the appropriate parties – i.e. the trustees of the trusts, the custodian of records for FHT Holdings, LLC, Christopher Davis, and any other persons; but not to the attorneys for Christopher Davis.

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSION

Once again, at great cost and undue burden to Christopher, Caroline is simply attempting to gain access to records that she could request from the parties that she has always claimed are not indispensable, and to delve into Christopher's personal affairs. Without ever having stated any claim for relief, or alleging any wrongdoing whatsoever by Christopher or any trustee, and without contesting any of the provisions of the trust, she demands an accounting from him as to the use of all the loan proceeds which he or any person or entity received from the Alaska trustees, before there was any action attempting to move the trust to Nevada and invest him

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with fiduciary powers. She further demands all information regarding virtually all activities of the Family Heritage Trust and the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Trust from its inception forward, even though she has the same power and authority to obtain the information that Christopher has, and in fact she already appears to have the relevant documentation.

The loans to beneficiaries and other persons or entities clearly were allowed under the trust, and even if they were not, it is a question for the Alaska trustee as to whether the loans or distributions were properly made to any beneficiary or entity. When an individual borrows funds for personal or investment use from a bank, the bank does not inquire into how the funds were spent; it looks only to the borrower's credit or the sufficiency of the collateral in making the loan. Presumably the Alaska trustees who made the loans did their due diligence. There has been no allegation by any party to the contrary.

Based upon the foregoing, Christopher D. Davis respectfully requests:

- That the Court stay all discovery until the hearing of the Petition for Reconsideration to be held on August 19, 2015; OR
- 2) OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE this Court quash the subpoena issued on June 8, 2015, in all respects; and
- 3) That it deny discovery based upon the subpoena; and
- 4) That it award Attorney's fees and costs in the amount of \$2,500 from Caroline Davis; and

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CERTIFICATION OF HARRIET H. ROLAND, ESQ. IN SUPPORT OF CHRISTOPHER DAVIS'S MOTION FOR A PROTECTIVE ORDER, AND FOR ATTORNEYS FEES AND COSTS

- I, Harriet H. Roland, hereby certify, declare and say as follows:
- 1. I am an attorney in the above entitled action.
- 2. I attempted in good faith to confer with the Petitioner Caroline Davis's attorneys regarding their actions of attempting to obtain and obtaining irrelevant personal and confidential information from Christopher Davis, and from Roland Law Firm, and from Anthony Barney, Ltd.
- I attempted to resolve the dispute without court action before filing the present motion.
- On or around June 8, 2010, I received a subpoena duces tecum from Petitioner directed toward Roland Law Firm as custodian of records.
- 5. On June 24, the Court's order was entered directing Christopher Davis to release information.
- There were several emails and correspondence between Roland Law Firm,
 Anthony Barney, Ltd., and Solomon Dwiggins Freer regarding the propriety and form of the subpoena, and the scope of discovery.
- On July 27, I transmitted numerous electronic documents and a privilege log to Petitioner.
- 8. On July 31, 2015, I received a phone call from Attorney Mark Solomon and Attorney Joshua Hood informing me that the production of documents consisted of "only a few pieces of correspondence" and that they would proceed to move for sanctions. We discussed our disagreement regarding the scope of discovery but were not able to resolve the disagreement.
- I informed Petitioner their request to Roland Law Firm as custodian of records was a request for privileged and confidential records, and it was outside the scope of

the court's order regarding production of documents.

- 10. Further, I explained that many documents had been released, and that Petitioner already had procured many if not all of the documents from other sources available to her, including the trustees of the Family Heritage Trust, the Trust Protector, and other persons.
- Nonetheless, Petitioner has pursued by subpoena the obtaining of information already in Petitioner's hands.
- 12. I requested Petitioner agree to stipulate to the production of all documents in the possession or control of Christopher D. Davis relating to the Family Heritage Trust from the date of February 24, 2014 forward, which is the date of the purported transfer of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada, and the date of the purported appointment of Christopher D. Davis as Investment Advisor for the Trust. Petitioner did not agree to my request for stipulation under these terms.
- 13. In good faith I have attempted to confer with counsel, but was unable to reach a resolution of this matter.

Harriet H. Roland, Esq.

	1	CERTIFICAT	E OF SERVICE
	2	I HEREBY CERTIFY that on August	2015, Via the Court's electronic system.
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DISTRICT COURT

CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

The BEATRIC B. DAVIS FAMILY HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014. Case No.: P-15-083867 Dept.: Probate (26)

NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM

(No Appearance Required)

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that CAROLINE DAVIS, by and through her counsel of, Mark A. Solomon, Esq. and Joshua M. Hood, Esq., of the law firm of Solomon Dwiggins & Freer, Ltd., has issued a Subpoena Duces Tecum for Records ("Subpoena") to ROLAND LAW FIRM. ("ROLAND"). Pursuant to the Subpoena, attached hereto as Exhibit 1, ROLAND is required to respond by delivering a true, legible, and durable copy of the

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requested records to the offices of Solomon Dwiggins & Freer, Ltd., 9060 West Cheyenne Avenue, Las Vegas, Nevada 89129, no later than June 25, 2015.

DATED this & day of June, 2015.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on June 8, 2015, pursuant to NRCP 5(b)(2)(B), I placed a true and correct copy of the following NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM FOR RECORDS, in the United States Mail, with first-class postage prepaid, addressed to the following, at their last known address, and, pursuant to Rule 9 of N.E.F.C.R., caused an electronic copy to be served via Odyssey, to the email address noted below:

Mail only:
Tarja Davis
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ROLAND LAW FIRM

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SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM

(No Appearance Required)

THE STATE OF NEVADA SENDS GREETINGS TO:

The Custodian of Record or Other Qualified Person at

ROLAND LAW FIRM. 2470 East Saint Rose Parkway, Suite 105. Henderson, Nevada 89074

YOU ARE ORDERED, pursuant to Nevada Rule of Civil Procedure ("NRCP") 45, to produce and permit inspection and copying of the books, documents, or tangible things ("records") set forth below that are in your possession, custody, or control, by one of the following methods:

[] Making the original records described below available for inspection at your business address by the attorney's representative or party appearing in proper person and

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permitting copying at your business address under reasonable conditions during normal business hours.

Delivering a true, legible, and durable copy of the financial records described IXI below to the requesting attorney or party appearing in proper person, by United States mail or similar delivery system, no later than May 18, 2015 at the following address:

> Solomon Dwiggins & Freer, Ltd. 9060 West Cheyenne Avenue Las Vegas, Nevada 89129 ihood@sdfnvlaw.com

All documents shall be produced as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall be organized and labeled to correspond with the categories listed below (NRCP 45(d)(1)).

YOU ARE FURTHER ORDERED to authenticate the business records produced, pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute ("NRS") 52.260, and to provide with your production a completed Certificate of Custodian of Records in substantially the form attached as Exhibit "B."

CONTEMPT: Failure by any person without adequate excuse to obey the Subpoena served upon that person may be deemed contempt of the court. (NRCP 45(e)). If you fail to obey, you may be liable to pay \$100, plus all damaged caused by such failure. (NRS 50.195).

Please see Exhibit "A" attached hereto for information regarding the rights of the person subject to this Subpoena.

Dated this 8th day of June, 2015.

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ITEMS TO BE PRODUCED

- Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended.
- Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust, dated April 4, 1990, as amended.
- Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to Ashley Cooper Life Insurance Policy, Policy Number ACLI 1105-8007 PC, formerly known as Policy Number ALIP 008-1031.
- Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to the Davis Family Office, Limited Liability Company.
- Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to the FHT Holdings, Limited Liability Company.
- 6. Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to any and all entities of which Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended, owns, in whole or in part, an interest therein.
- 7. Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to any and all entities of which the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust, dated April 4, 1990, as amended, owns, in whole or in part, an interest therein.
- 8. Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to any and all entities of which Christopher D. Davis is the owner, manager, director, or officer of such entity, which records concern any business or financial relationship between such entity or entities and the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000 and/or the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust, dated April 4, 1990, as amended.
- Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related
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- 10. Any and all non-privileged records in your possession, custody, or control related to any additional loans, lines of credit, or obligations currently held by the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended.
- For any records withheld on the basis of privilege, please provide a privilege log in compliance with NRCP 26(b)(5).

1 AFFIDAVIT/DECLARATION OF SERVICE 2 STATE OF NEVADA SS. 3 COUNTY OF CLARK 4 I, , being duly sworn, or under penalty of 5 perjury, state that at all times herein I was and am over 18 years of age and not a party to or 6 interested in the proceedings in which this Affidavit/Declaration is made; that I received a copy of 7 the SUBPOEAN DUCES TECUM on ______, 20___; and that I served the same on 9 delivering and leaving by copy , 20 , 10 11 Dated this ____ day of June, 2015. 12 13 14 Signature of Affiant/Declarant 15 16 SIGNED and SWORN to before me 17 this ____ day of June, 2015. 18 19 Notary Public 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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(c) Protection of Persons Subject to Subpoena

(1) A party or an attorney responsible for the issuance and service of a subpoena shall take reasonable steps to avoid imposing undue burden or expense on a person subject to that subpoena. The court on behalf of which the subpoena was issued shall enforce this duty and impose upon the party or attorney in breach of this duty an appropriate sanction, which may include, but is not limited to, lost earnings and a reasonable attorney's fee.

(2) (A) A person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying of designated books, papers, documents or tangible things, or inspection of premises need not appear in person at the place of

production or inspection unless commanded to appear for deposition, hearing or trial.

- (B) Subject to paragraph (d)(2) of this rule, a person commanded to produce and permit inspection and copying may, within 14 days after service of the subpoena or before the time specified for compliance if such time is less than 14 days after service, serve upon the party or attorney designated in the subpoena written objection to inspection or copying of any or all of the designated materials or of the premises. If objection is made, the party serving the subpoena shall not be entitled to inspect and copy the materials or inspect the premises except pursuant to an order of the court by which the subpoena was issued. If objection has been made, the party serving the subpoena may, upon notice to the person commanded to produce, move at any time for an order to compel the production. Such an order to compel production shall protect any person who is not a party or an officer of a party from significant expense resulting from the inspection and copying commanded.
- (3) (A) On timely motion, the court by which a subpoena was issued shall quash or medify the subpoena if it:

fails to allow reasonable time for compliance;

- (ii) requires a person who is not a party or an officer of a party to travel to a place more than 100 miles from the place where that person resides, is employed or regularly transacts business in person, except that such a person may in order to attend trial be commanded to travel from any such place within the state in which the trial is held, or
- (iii) requires disclosure of privileged or other protected matter and no exception or waiver applies, or
 - (iv) subjects a person to undue burden.

(B) If a subpoena

- (i) requires disclosure of a trade secret or other confidential research, development, or commercial information, or
- (ii) requires disclosure of an unretained expert's opinion or information not describing specific events or occurrences in dispute and resulting from the expert's study made not at the request of any party, the court may, to protect a person subject to or affected by the subpoena, quash or modify the subpoena or, if the party in whose behalf the subpoena is issued shows a substantial need for the testimony or material that cannot be otherwise met without undue hardship and assures that the person to whom the subpoena is addressed will be reasonably compensated, the court may order appearance or production only upon specified conditions.

(d) Duties in Responding to Subpoena.

- (1) A person responding to a subpoena to produce documents shall produce them as they are kept in the usual course of business or shall organize and label them to correspond with the categories in the demand.
- (2) When information subject to a subpoena is withheld on a claim that it is privileged or subject to protection as trial preparation materials, the claim shall be made expressly and shall be supported by a description of the nature of the documents, communications, or things not produced that is sufficient to enable the demanding party to contest the claim.

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- 8. Indicate whether appellant was granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis, and the date of entry of the district court order granting such leave: Appellant was not granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis.
- 9. Indicate the date the proceedings commenced in the district court (e.g., date complaint, indictment, information, or petition was filed): The Petition to Assume Jurisdiction of Trust was filed on February 10, 2015.
- 10. Provide a brief description of the nature of the action and result in the district court, including the type of judgment or order being appealed and the relief granted by the district court: This action arose with Respondent Caroline Davis requesting the district court to take jurisdiction over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust dated July 28, 2000 ("Trust"), as purportedly amended on February 24, 2014, for an order to confirm appointment of Dunham Trust Company (a Nevada Trustee) as directed Trustee and to take jurisdiction over Christopher D. Davis as an investment advisor and as manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company, and confirm appointment of Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor.

A motion to dismiss was filed by Appellant Christopher D. Davis citing the court's lack of jurisdiction over the Trust, because the Trust situs and indispensable parties reside in Alaska, and there is insufficient basis to assert jurisdiction for purposes of confirming the appointment of any Nevada Trustee, Investment Advisor, or Distribution Trust Advisor for the Trust. The district court took jurisdiction over the Trust under a remedial theory of "constructive trust" and issued its confirmation of the appointment of Dunham Trust Company as trustee of the Trust in its June 24, 2015 Order (See Order attached as Exhibit A). The district court also incorrectly assumed jurisdiction over Christopher D. Davis in both his purported role as investment advisor of the Trust and as manager of FHT Holdings LLC without proper due service of process. The district court also granted the immediate disclosure of documents and information from Christopher D. Davis as to all information in his possession, custody, or control in his role as investment trust advisor, and in his role as manager of F.H.T. Holdings, LLC, which Appellant believes is improper when jurisdiction is absent. This Order is an appealable order pursuant to NRS 155.190(h).

- 11. Indicate whether the case has previously been the subject of an appeal to or original writ proceeding in the Supreme Court and, if so, the caption and Supreme Court docket number of the prior proceeding: This case has not previously been the subject of an appeal or original writ proceeding.
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Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, as Amended on February 24, 2014, to Assume Jurisdiction

over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution

Trust Advisor, to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee, and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis. Christopher D. Davis was represented by Harriet Roland, Esq. of the Roland Law Firm and Anthony L. Barney, Esq., of the law office of Anthony L. Barney, Ltd., Caroline Davis was represented by Mark Solomon, Esq., of the law firm of Solomon Dwiggins and Freer, Ltd.; Stephen K. Lehnardt was represented by Jonathan W. Barlow, Esq. of the law office of Clear Counsel Law Group; and Dunham Trust Company was represented by Charlene N. Renwick, Esq., of the law office of Lee Hernandez Landrum & Garofalo. After reviewing the pleadings on file and in the court record, hearing oral arguments by both parties in this matter, being fully advised in the premises, and for good cause appearing, the Court hereby finds and orders the following:

IT IS FOUND that since the first amendment, Christopher has been directing the trust in Nevada, and that everyone involved relied on this amendment as being proper.

IT IS FURTHER FOUND that the Court has no affidavit that another beneficiary existed at the time the first amendment was signed.

IT IS FURTHER FOUND that the Court has jurisdiction as a constructive trust because action on behalf of the trust has been taken in Nevada.

IT IS SO FOUND.

WHEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the Petition to Assume Jurisdiction over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor is granted without prejudice.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the Petition to

Assume Jurisdiction over Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor is denied until a

more definite statement is filed.

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1/10/2015 Petition to Assume Jurisdiction of Trust

Petition to Assume Jurisdiction over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust Dated July 28 2000 as Amended on February 24, 2014; t Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D Davis As Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor; to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee, and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis

1/10/2015 Notice of Hearing

Notice of Hearing on Petition to Assume Jurisdiction Over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust Dated July 28 2000 as Amended o February 24 2014; to Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor, to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee; and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis

1/20/2015 Notice of Hearing

Amended Notice of Hearing on Petition to Assume Jurisdiction Over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, as Amended on February 24, 2014; to Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K. Lehnardt Distribution Trust Advisor, to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee, and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis

1/04/2015, Motion to Dismiss

Christopher D. Davis' Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP (12)(b) And NRCP 19

1/05/2015 Errata

Errate to Christopher D. Davis' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b) and NRCP 19

1/05/2015 Notice of Hearing

Second Amended Notice of Hearing on Petition to Assume Jurisdiction over the Beatrice B, Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, as Amended on February 24, 2014, to Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher David As Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor; to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee; and for Immediate Disclosure of Docume and Information From Christopher D. Davis

1/06/2015 Petition - HM (9:30 AM) (Magistrate Yamashita, Wesley)

Petition to Assume Jurisdiction Over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust Dated July 28 2000 as Amended on February 24 2014, 1 Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor; to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee, and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis

Minutes

02/27/2015 Reset by Court to 03/06/2015

Result: Off Calendar

1/06/2015 Notice of Appearance

Notice of Appearance

1/23/2015 Notice of Motion

Notice of Motion on Christopher D. Davis' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b) and NRCP 19

1/24/2015 Certificate of Service

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Supplemental Certificate of Mailing Of: Second Amended Notice of hearing on Petition to Assume Jurisdiction over the Beatrice Davis Fa Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000 as Amended on February 24, 2014; to Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor, to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee, and for immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis

1/18/2015 Opposition

Opposition to Petition to Assume Jurisdiction over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as Amended on February 24, 2014; to Assume Jurisdiction over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor; to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee; and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis, and Limited Joinder to Christopher D. Davis's Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b) and NRCP 19

1/16/2015 Notice

Notice of Appearance

1/20/2015 Reply

Reply to Opposition to Petition to Assume Jurisdiction Over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, as Amende on February 24, 2014; to Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis as Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor; to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee; and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D. Davis and Limited Joinder to Christopher D. Davis's Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP12(b) and NRC 19

1/20/2015 Reply

Christopher D. Davis' Reply to Caroline Davis' Opposition to his Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP (12)(b) and NRCP 19

1/22/2015 Petition (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer Sturman, Gloria)

Petition to Assume Jurisdiction over the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, as Amended on February 24, 2014
Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher David As Investment Trust Advisor and Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor; to Conf.
Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee; and for Immediate Disclosure of Documents and Information From Christopher D. Davis
Result, Granted in Part

1/22/2015 Motion to Dismiss (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer Sturman, Gloria)

Motion on Christopher D. Davis' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b) and NRCP 19

Result: Denied

i/22/2015 All Pending Motions (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer Sturman, Gloria)

Parties Present

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Result: Matter Heard

1/28/2015 Recorders Transcript of Hearing

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1/24/2015 Order

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Notice of Petition and Petition for Reconsideration of the Order Dated May 19, 2015 Re. Petition to Assumen Jurisdiction over the Beatrice Davis Family Heritage Trust Dated July 28, 2000, as Amended on February 24, 2014, to Assume Jurisdiction over Christopher D Davis as Investment Trust Advisor, Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor, to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee, and for Imeediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D Davis

714/2015 Notice

Notice of petition and petition for reconsideration of the order dated may 19, 2015 re, petition to assume jurisdiction over the Beatrice B. Davis family heritage trust dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014, to assume jurisdiction over Christopher D. Davis as investment trust advisor, Stpehen K. Lehnardt as distribution trust advisor, to confirm Dunham Trust Company as directed trustee, and for immediate disclosure of documents and information from Christopher D. Davis:

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1/23/2015 Ex Parte Application

Ex Parte Application for Order Shortening Time on Christopher Davis' Petition to Reconsider Order to Assume Jurisdiction, or in the alternative Petition to Stay the Court's Order Assuming Jurisdiction over Christopher Davis Dated May 19, 2015

1/28/2015 Declaration

Declaration of Taria Davis

1/29/2015 Response

Response to Petition for Reconsideration

1/19/2015 Petition (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer Sturman, Gloria)

Notice of Petition and Petition for Reconsideration of the Order Dated May 19, 2015 Re: Petition to Assumen Jurisdiction over the Beatrice Davis Family Heritage Trust Dated July 28, 2000, as Amended on February 24, 2014, to Assume Jurisdiction over Christopher D Davis a: Investment Trust Advisor, Stephen K. Lehnardt as Distribution Trust Advisor, to Confirm Dunham Trust Company as Directed Trustee, and for Imeediate Disclosure of Documents and Information from Christopher D Davis



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DISTRICT COURT

CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

In the Matter of:

The BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000, as amended on February 24, 2014

Case No.: P-15-083867-T Dept.: Probate (26)

Hearing Date: August 79, 2015 Hearing Time: 9:00 A.M.

OBJECTION TO PETITION FOR RECONSIDERATION OF THE ORDER DATED
MAY 19, 2015 RE: PETITION TO ASSUME JURISDICTION OVER THE BEATRICE B.
DAVIS FAMILY HERITAGE TRUST DATED JULY 28, 2000, AS AMENDED ON
FEBRUARY 24, 2014, TO ASSUME JURISDICTION OVER CHRISTOPHER D. DAVIS
AS INVESTMENT TRUST ADVISOR, STEPHEN K. LEHNARDT AS DISTRIBUTION
TRUST ADVISOR, TO CONFIRM DUNHAM TRUST COMPANY AS DIRECTED
TRUSTEE, AND FOR IMMEDIATE DISCLOSURE OF DOCUMENTS AND
INFORMATION FROM CHRISTOPHER D. DAVIS;
AND

COUNTERPETITION FOR SANCTIONS

Caroline D. Davis, as beneficiary of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, as amended February 24, 2014, by and through her counsel, the law firm of Solomon Dwiggins & Freer, Ltd., hereby files this Objection To Petition For Reconsideration Of The Order Dated May 19, 2015 Re: Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014, To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor, Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor, To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee, And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis; And Counterpetition For Sanctions (the "Objection"). The foregoing Objection is made and based on the pleadings and papers on file in this action, the attached Memorandum Of Points And

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Authorities, all attached exhibits, and any oral argument that this honorable Court may entertain at the time of hearing.

MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

I. INTRODUCTION

Christopher D. Davis ("Christopher") unsuccessfully proffered the exact same arguments before this Court at the April 22, 2015 hearing (the "Hearing"), and the instant Petition For Rehearing is nothing more than Christopher's attempt to take a second bite of the apple. What is even more troubling is Christopher's counsel's lack of candor to this Court. This Court will recall that Christopher's counsel, Anthony Barney, Esq. ("Mr. Barney"), for the first time at the Hearing attempted to make several factual arguments not presented in his Motion To Dismiss. First, Mr. Barney argued that Christopher's wife, Tarja Davis ("Tarja"), was a beneficiary of the Trust and did not provide the requisite consent to the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada. Indeed, raising such argument at the Hearing was completely contrary to the facts presented to this Court in Christopher's Motion To Dismiss. Specifically, Christopher identified: (1) himself; (2) his son, Winfield Davis ("Winfield"); and (3) Caroline D. Davis ("Ms. Davis") as the "three descendants [that] are the current beneficiaries of the Trust." As more fully discussed below, and as Christopher and Mr. Barney are fully aware, Tarja does not qualify as a

See, Petition For Reconsideration Of The Order Dated May 19, 2015 Re: Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014, To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor, Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor, To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee, And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis (the "Petition For Reconsideration").

² Christopher filed the "Christopher D. Davis' Reply To Caroline Davis' Opposition To His Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP (12)(b) And NRCP 19" on April 20, 2015 (the "Reply"), which sets forth the same exact arguments. It is important to note, however, that such pleading was never served on Caroline D. Davis' counsel.

³ Christopher D. Davis' Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP (12)(b) And NRCP 19, filed on March 4, 2015 (the "Motion To Dismiss").

The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000 (the "Trust").

See, Hearing transcript at p. 8:10-11, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

⁶ Id., at p. 3:14-18. (Emphasis added).

Second, Mr. Barney also argued <u>for the first time</u> at the Hearing that there was not "an acting Alaska Trustee at the point to consent to the transfer" of the Trust's situs. As Mr. Barney is aware, a trustee's duties as such do not terminate upon the submission of a resignation when no successor trustee has been appointed and accepted. Furthermore, and illustrative of Mr. Barney's dissembling to this Court, the Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement, attached as Exhibit I to Christopher's Motion To Dismiss, expressly provides that Alaska USA Trust Company ("Alaska USA") was the then-serving as Trustee of the Trust on the date on which the situs was transferred to Nevada, and that Alaska USA consented to the same. As such, there was a trustee serving at the point when the situs was changed, and such trustee provided its consent to transfer the Trust.

Both of Christopher and Mr. Barney's newly fabricated arguments regarding Tarja's consent and the lack of a trustee are patently false. Additionally, in another attempt to improperly bolster his claim that the transfer of the Trust's situs was invalid, Christopher and his counsel boldly misstate that Alaska did not receive an opinion of counsel with respect to transferring the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada. As set forth below, Stephen K. Lehnardt ("Mr. Lehnardt"), as Trust Protector, retained the services of Dennis Brislawn, Esq. ("Mr. Brislawn") in 2014, to provide support with the transition of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada. Mr. Brislawn communicated with Mr. Lehnardt, Dunham Trust, and Alaska USA, and provided an opinion of counsel regarding the transfer of the Trust's situs to Nevada. Indeed, as set forth in Mr. Lehnardt's billing records, Christopher was integrally involved with the transfer of situs and met with or conferred with Mr. Lehnardt to discuss the same.

As such, each and every allegation made by Christopher and Mr. Barney regarding the "invalidity" of the transfer of situs are false, and they have continued to perpetuate these material misrepresentations to this Court.

⁷ See. Ex. 1, at lines 12-13.

In essence, Christopher asserts that this Court improperly assumed jurisdiction over the Trust because: (1) lack of subject matter jurisdiction due to the absence of conditions precedent to the change of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada⁸ as provided for in the First Amendment;⁹ (2) the failure to add indispensable parties;¹⁰ and (3) the failure to provide notice and/or service to requisite parties.¹¹ Notwithstanding the fact that the Court has already properly addressed each of these issues, and subsequently entered an Order thereon, Christopher's Petition For Reconsideration should be denied for the reasons fully set forth herein. Moreover, because the Petition For Reconsideration is obviously frivolous, unnecessary, unwarranted, and multiplies the proceedings to increase the costs unreasonably and vexatious, this Court should award sanctions of attorneys' fees and costs to Ms. Davis for being forced to file the instant Objection.

II. FACTS

Beatrice B. Davis ("Beatrice") created the Trust on July 28, 2000, naming Alaska Trust Company ("Alaska") as the initial Trustee and Mr. Lehnardt as Trust Protector. As fully set forth in the prior pleadings before this Court, the primary asset held in the Trust is an Ashley Cooper Life Insurance Policy (the "Policy") with a face cover value of \$35,000,000, and a revolving line of credit for \$4,000,000.

Pursuant to Article Three of the Trust, during Beatrice's lifetime, the primary beneficiaries are Christopher, Caroline D. Davis ("Ms. Davis"), and Christopher's son, Winfield Davis

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 6:19-20.

The First Amendment To The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000, dated February 24, 2014 (the "First Amendment").

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 15:17-18, p. 21:10-11, and p. 23:6-7.

¹¹ Id, at p. 15:17-18, and p. 19:11-12.

See, Petition To Assume Jurisdiction Over The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, Dated July 28, 2000, As Amended On February 24, 2014; To Assume Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Investment Trust Advisor And Stephen K. Lehnardt As Distribution Trust Advisor; To Confirm Dunham Trust Company As Directed Trustee; And For Immediate Disclosure Of Documents And Information From Christopher D. Davis, filed with this Court on February 10, 2015 (the "Original Petition"), at Ex. 1.

¹³ Id., at Ex. 6.

¹⁴ Id., at Ex. 8.

("Winfield). On August 2, 2011, Mr. Lehnardt, as Protector, removed Alaska as Trustee and appointed Alaska USA.¹⁵ During Alaska and Alaska USA's tenure as Trustee, certain loans were taken against the Policy and further distributed to Christopher in his individual capacity, his capacity as Trustee of the Beatrice B. Davis Revocable Living Trust, dated April 4, 1990, as amended (the "Revocable Trust"), and his capacity as Manager of the Davis Family Office, a Missouri limited liability company (the "Davis Family Office").

On October 30, 2013, Alaska USA executed the "Resignation of Trustee", indicating that the effective date of such resignation was intended to be "December 5, 2013 or upon the acceptance of trusteeship by a successor, whichever occurs earlier." Dunham Trust Company ("Dunham") was thereafter appointed and accepted tenure as successor Trustee of the Trust on February 24, 2015. Contemporaneously with the appointment and acceptance of trusteeship by Dunham, Mr. Lehnardt, by and through the authority vested in him as Trust Protector, transferred the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada. The transfer of the Situs was acknowledged by Ms. Davis, Christopher, and Winfield.

Pursuant Article One, Section 2 of the First Amendment, the Trust situs is now Nevada, and the Trust and all trusts created thereunder are governed by Nevada law.¹⁹ Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, appointed Dunham as the "Directed Trustee" pursuant to NRS §163.553 et. seq.²⁰ Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, further appointed Christopher as the "Investment Trust Advisor" pursuant to NRS §163.5543, and designated him as a "Fiduciary" under NRS §16.554.²¹ Pursuant to the First Amendment, Christopher is provided

¹⁵ Id., at Ex. 3.

¹⁶ Id., at Ex. 4.

¹⁷ Id., at Ex. 5.

¹⁸ Id.

¹⁹ Id., at Ex. 6, p. 1, Art. 1, §2.

²⁰ Id., at Ex. 6, p. 2, Art. 13, §2.d., First.

²¹ Id., at Ex. 6, p.2-3, Art. 13, §2.d., Second.

the "full power to manage the investments and reinvestments of the trust", and Dunham, as Directed Trustee, has no authority act or interfere with the actions of Christopher, as the Investment Trust Advisor, unless otherwise directed. Article Thirteen, Section 2.d. of the First Amendment, appointed Mr. Lehnardt, in his capacity as the Trust Protector of the Trust, as the "Distribution Trust Advisor" pursuant to NRS §163.5537, and designated him as "Fiduciary" pursuant to NRS §163.554.

Shortly after Dunham's appointment as Directed Trustee and Christopher's appointment as Investment Trust Advisor, Dunham created FHT Holdings, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, to which the Policy was transferred. According to the Operating Agreement of FHT Holdings, LLC, Christopher is currently serving as the sole Manager thereof.²⁴

Although Ms. Davis has attempted to acquire the documentation and information related to the Policy and the related loans without court intervention, Christopher has consistently stonewalled Ms. Davis and refused to provide information regardless of the fact that: (1) Christopher is acting as a Fiduciary of the Trust, and (2) Ms. Davis is a beneficiary of the Trust entitled to such information.

II. LEGAL ARGUMENT

A. Christopher D. Davis' Petition For Reconsideration Is Procedurally Improper As It Does <u>Not</u> Present New Evidence, Does <u>Not</u> Identify A Change In Controlling Law, And Does <u>Not</u> Identify Any Clear Error.

The Nevada Supreme Court has expressly held that a district court may only reconsider "a previously decided issue if substantially different evidence is subsequently introduced or the decision is clearly erroneous." Masonry and Tile Contractors Ass'n of S. Nevada v. Jolley, Urga & Wirth, Ltd., 113 Nev. 737, 741, 941 P.2d 486, 489 (1997) (citations omitted). See also, Moore v. City of Las Vegas, 92 Nev. 402, 405, 551 P.2d 244, 246 (1976) ("Only in very rare instances in which new issues of fact or law are raised supporting a rule contrary to the ruling already reached

²² Id., at Ex. 6, p. 3., Art. 13, § 2.d, Second.

²³ Id., at Ex. 6, p. 3 Art. 13, §2.d, Third.

A true and correct copy of the Operating Agreement of FHT Holdings, LLC is attached hereto as Exhibit 2.

Additionally, reconsideration is not to "be used to ask the Court to rethink what it has already thought," Motorola Inc. v. J.B. Rodgers Mechanical Contractors, 215 F.R.D. 581, 582 (D. Ariz. 2003), or "to dress up arguments that previously failed." Waddell & Reed Fin., Inc. v. Torchmark Corp., 338 F. Supp. 2d 1248, 1250 (D. Kan. 2004)(citations omitted). Thus, reconsideration motions cannot not be used merely to reargue the arguments the movant already made to the court. See, Moore, 92 Nev., at 405, 551 P.2d, at 246 (1976).

Christopher has <u>not</u> presented any new facts that were not presented in his pleadings or falsely presented during Mr. Barney's oral arguments at the Hearing that may give rise to this Court reconsidering its Order. Indeed, Christopher's Petition For Reconsideration is nothing more than a reiteration of the facts submitted in his Motion To Dismiss and his Reply to Ms. Davis' Opposition to the Motion to Dismiss.

Additionally, Christopher has failed to cite to a single change in any of the controlling law that this Court has already addressed.²⁵ Moreover, Christopher has not identified any indication that this Court made a "clear error" which would justify reconsidering its prior judgment. The issues related to the joinder of indispensable parties raised in Christopher's Motion To Dismiss, which were regurgitated in his Petition For Reconsideration, were properly addressed by this Court, and the Court did not find that Ms. Davis failed to join any party that would preclude this Court from assuming jurisdiction over the Trust. Indeed, Christopher further fails to point to any facts or cite to any legal authority that would result in a "manifest unjustice" if Christopher is required to disclose the information he has in his possession, custody, or control as Investment Trust Advisor and Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC. As such, his Petition For Reconsideration is

It is important to note that the arguments and case law cited in Christopher's Petition For Reconsideration are exactly the same as presented in his Reply.

procedurally improper and should be denied. Notwithstanding the procedural impropriety, if this Court is inclined to entertain Christopher's Petition For Reconsideration, it should still be denied for the reasons fully set forth below.

B. The Transfer Of The Trust's Situs From Alaska To Nevada Is Valid – Tarja's Consent Was Not Required.

Christopher's contention that "all the facts and evidence prove the change of situs (a condition precedent) was invalid and not permitted under the terms of the [Trust]" is without merit. In his Petition For Reconsideration, Christopher relies heavily on the fact that his current wife, Tarja, did not consent to the transfer in situs. Tarja's consent to the change in situs, however, was <u>not required</u> to effectuate the same. Article 14, Section 6 of the Trust provides in relevant part as follows:

"Except as expressly provided herein, the situs of this agreement or any subtrust established hereunder may be changed by the unanimous consent of all beneficiaries then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions of net income under this agreement or such subtrust, with the consent of any thenacting Protector and the Trustee thereof, which shall be given only after the Trustee has obtained advice from counsel as to the tax and other consequences of a change in situs." ²⁸

While Article 8, Section 3(d) permits a trustee to "make distributions from the trust share of a Primary Beneficiary to or for the health, education, maintenance and support of the <u>spouse</u> of the Primary Beneficiary,"²⁹ such person <u>must</u> first qualify as a "spouse" pursuant to the express terms of the Trust.

Article Fourteen of the Trust, entitled "Definitions and General Provisions" provides a definition for what/who qualifies as a "spouse". Specifically, Article Fourteen, Section 1(j), entitled "Spouses", provides as follows:

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 7:6-8.

Id., at p.8:17-21.

See, Original Petition, at Ex. 1, Art. 14, § 6. (Emphasis added).

²⁹ Id., at Ex. 1, Art. 8, §3(d). (Emphasis added).

"An individual is a 'spouse' if such individual is the then current spouse of a child of mine on the signing date of this trust. If an individual enters into a valid marital union, as defined in paragraph a. of this section, with a child of mine or a beneficiary of mine following the signing of this trust, then such individual may qualify as a 'spouse' if that if the (sic) marital union exists continuously for a period of ten years, and that individual is not legally separated from the person under a decree of divorce or separate maintenance."

According to the Declaration Of Tarja Davis, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as **Exhibit 3**, Christopher and Tarja did not get married until February 22, 2012. As Christopher and Tarja were only married for a little over two (2) years at the time the situs was transferred, Tarja <u>did not</u> meet the ten (10) year criteria as set forth in the Trust and, therefore, <u>did not qualify as a "spouse"</u> thereunder. Indeed, pursuant to the terms of the Trust, Tarja still does not qualify as a "spouse". Consequently, Tarja is not, and was not, a "beneficiary then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions" and her consent was not required to transfer the situs from Alaska to Nevada.

C. The Transfer Of The Trust's Situs From Alaska To Nevada Is Valid – Alaska USA Was The Then-Acting Trustee At The Point In Time In Which The Trust's Situs Was Changed And Consented To Such Transfer Of Situs.

Christopher also hinges his argument related invalidity of the transfer of situs from Alaska to Nevada on the supposition that "there was no acting Trustee to provide informed consent to the change in situs." Christopher bases this misplaced contention on the fact that Alaska USA tendered its resignation as of December 5, 2013, and the First Amendment effectuating the change in situs was executed on February 24, 2014. It is a well-known tenet of trust law that simply submitting a resignation of trusteeship does not, in and of itself, obviate a trustee of its duties to act, nor does it automatically remove the trustee from its role as such. Indeed, Alaska has codified such principle in Alaska Statutes, Section 13.36.077(1), which provides that "unless

³⁰ Id., at Ex. 1, Art 14, §1(j). (Emphasis added).

³¹ Id., at Ex. 1, Art. 14, § 6.

³² See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 8:13-14.

a co-trustee remains or the court otherwise orders, and until the trust property is delivered to a successor trustee or another qualified person entitled to the trust property, a trustee who has resigned or been removed has the duties of a trustee and the powers necessary to protect the trust property." Indeed, pursuant to the Declaration Of Janet K. Tempel, Senior Trust Officer at Alaska USA, because "[a] successor trustee was not designated on or before December 5, 2013, [] Alaska USA retained the duties of trustee and powers necessary to protect the trust property pursuant to Alaska law...Pursuant to the Agreement, Alaska USA effectively resigned as Trustee of the Trust on February 24, 2014, as Dunham Trust Company was contemporaneously appointed as successor Trustee."

Moreover, pursuant to the recitals set forth in the Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement (the "Release"), Alaska USA was still serving as Trustee of the Trust on February 24, 2014, the date the Frist Amendment was executed. Specifically, the pertinent recital provides as follows: "WHEREAS, AUTC³⁴ is the currently serving trustee of the Trust..." NRS 47.240, entitled "Conclusive presumptions" provides that "[t]he truth of the fact recited, from the recital in a written instrument between the parties thereto..." is presumed conclusive. Therefore, contrary to Christopher's misplaced assertion, there was an acting Trustee (i.e. Alaska USA) acting on behalf of the Trust to transfer the situs from Alaska to Nevada on February 24, 2014.

Christopher's assertion that "the change in situs under the purported First Amendment must be presumed invalid until such evidence of an acting Trustee's consent can be produced" is without merit. Another well-known tenet of trust law is that a trust or amendment thereto is

See, Declaration Of Janet K. Tempel, Senior Trust Officer, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 4, at ¶¶ 5 and 7.

See, Resignation, Release, Acknowledgement, Consent And Indemnification Agreement, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 5 (defining Alaska USA Trust Company of Anchorage, Alaska as "AUTC").

³⁵ Id. (Emphasis added).

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 11:19-20.

presumed to be valid <u>unless</u> proven otherwise, and the burden of proving the invalidity of such instrument rests upon the person so claiming.³⁷ Notwithstanding the burden of proof resting upon Christopher's shoulders, Christopher has not produced a single piece of evidence to support his position that Alaska USA did not consent to the transfer of situs. Indeed, the fact that Alaska USA executed the Release, which includes within it a provision entitled "Consent to Change of Situs and Amendment of Trust", is sufficient evidence that Alaska USA, as the "the currently serving trustee of the Trust", <u>expressly</u> consented to the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada. Section 1 of the Release, in relevant part, specifically provides that "AUTC (Alaska USA) and the Protector hereby consent to the changing of the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada."³⁸ Given the facts and circumstances regarding the transfer in situs (i.e. the First Amendment and Release), it cannot reasonably be argued that Alaska USA did not provide the requisite consent for such action.

D. The Transfer Of The Trust's Situs From Alaska To Nevada Is Valid – Alaska USA Did Receive Advice Of Counsel.

Additionally, Christopher's contention that, "[a]ny amendment to change the situs of the [Trust] would require the opinion of legal counsel as to its effect...[and that] [t]here is simply no evidence to suggest that such an opinion was obtained..." is also false. Notwithstanding the fact that the <u>burden rests upon Christopher to prove that no such opinion was obtained</u>, Alaska did receive a legal opinion from Mr. Brislawn regarding the transfer of the Trust's situs from Alaska to Nevada. Specifically, Mr. Brislawn was retained by Mr. Lehnardt, as Trust Protector, "to provide limited support in changing trust situs from Alaska (where [he] is also licensed to

See, In re Melter, 167 Wash.App. 285, 298, 273 P.3d 991, 998 (Wash.App. 2012) (providing that unless proven otherwise, "[a] will [or trust] is presumed to be valid. It may be disregarded when a will [or trust] contestant presents clear, cogent and convincing evidence" that it is invalid).

³⁸ See, Ex. 4, at ¶ 1, p. 2.

³⁹ *Id.*, at p. 14:25-15:1; 15:3-4.

See, Email communication from Dennis Brislawn, Esq. to Joshua M. Hood, Esq., dated August 22, 2014, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 6.

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practice) to Nevada." In so doing, Mr. Brislawn "communicated with <u>both trust companies</u> (referring to Dunham and Alaska USA) in documenting the transfer...[and] <u>provided an opinion</u> <u>of counsel</u> with documentation supporting trust protector action."

Christopher's contention that Alaska USA did not obtain advice of counsel is a gross misrepresentation of the facts to this Court, especially considering how integrally involved Christopher was in the process of transferring the Trust's situs. Indeed, a review of Mr. Lehnardt's billing invoices indicates that Christopher was keenly aware of the facts and circumstances regarding Mr. Brislawn's involvement:

- (a) 12/23/2013 Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding change of trustee and capital and surplus issue, telephone call to C Davis regarding the same;⁴³
- (b) 01/07/2014 telephone call to D Brislawn (msg) regarding AK Trust modification, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change and multiple related items, discussion of Dunham trust and modification;⁴⁴
- (c) 01/15/2014 Telephone calls from C Davis regarding transfer of trustee...email to D Brislawn regarding same;⁴⁵
- (d) 01/17/2014 Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding transfer of trustee, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee, Telephone call to D Brislawn to discuss trustee transfer and modification of trust document; 46
- (e) 01/24/2014 Emails to D Brislawn and S. Coressel regarding trustee transfer and LLC items, Telephone call from J Tempel regarding transfer of trustee status, telephone call to C Davis regarding the same;⁴⁷

⁴¹ Id.

⁴² Id. (Emphasis added).

See, Lehnardt & Lehnardt, LLC invoices, true and correct copies of which are attached hereto as Exhibit 7.

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Based upon the fact that: (1) Tarja's consent was not required to transfer situs; (2) Alaska USA was acting as Trustee at the time the situs was transferred; and (3) Alaska USA did obtain advice of counsel regarding the transfer of situs, the Trust was properly and validly transferred from Alaska to Nevada.

E. Christopher Is Estopped From Claiming: (1) That The Transfer Of The Trust's Situs Is Invalid; (2) That The Appointment And Acceptance Of Dunham Trust Is Invalid; and (3) That His Appointment And Acceptance Of Himself As Investment Trust Advisor Is Invalid.

Due to the fact that Christopher consented to the transfer of the Trust's situs, the appointment of Dunham as Directed Trustee, and the appointment of himself as Investment Trust Advisor, he is estopped from now claiming that: (1) transfer is invalid; (2) Dunham's appointment Directed Trustee is invalid; and (3) that his appointment as Investment Trust Advisor is invalid.

Equitable estoppel consists of the following elements: (1) the party to be estopped must be apprised of the true facts, (2) that party must intend that his conduct shall be acted upon or must so act that the party asserting estoppel has the right to believe it was so intended, (3) the party asserting estoppel must be ignorant of the true state of the facts, and (4) the party asserting estoppel must have detrimentally relied on the other party's conduct. Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority v. Miller, 124 Nev. 669, 698, 191 P.3d 1138, 1157 (Nev. 2008).

Christopher was apprised of the facts and intended that his conduct be acted upon, and, in fact, did act by directing the creation of FHT Holdings LLC and the transfer of the Policy to such entity. Again, Dunham's authority to act rests solely in the hands of Christopher as Dunham

⁴⁸ Id.

⁴⁹ Id.

serves only as a Directed Trustee. Without Christopher providing his direction and authorization, Dunham could not have created FHT Holdings, LLC or transferred the Trust's primary asset (the Policy) thereto. Additionally, the creation of FHT Holdings, LLC and the transfer of the Policy all took place without Caroline's knowledge or consent. Although Caroline did provide her consent related to the appointment of Christopher as Investment Trust Advisor, her reliance upon Christopher to properly perform his duties as a Fiduciary and protect her interest in the Trust was not only unintentionally misplaced, but detrimental to her.

The actions Christopher has taken as Investment Trust Advisor, all the meanwhile having full knowledge of the facts and circumstance relating the First Amendment and its implications, precludes him from asserting that the First Amendment or any provision thereof is invalid. As this Court correctly pointed out during the April 22, 2015 hearing, the parties involved have been relying on the First Amendment (and the authority granted therein) and have been acting based upon the presumed validity of such document. Specifically, the Court noted that, notwithstanding all that has taken place over the last year, Christopher, after being hauled into court, now contends that "[a]II of those things I told you to do this last year, I was wrong. I should never have told you to do those things because I don't have a valid authority. Ooops. My bad. Let's go back to Alaska and fix it." See, April 22, 2015 Hearing Transcript, at p. 43:13-17, a copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 8. Christopher's own actions and acquiescence preclude him from now claiming that the Frist Amendment is invalid.

Equitable estoppel functions to prevent a person, who by his actions or conduct, or silence when it is his duty to speak, from asserting a right that he otherwise would have had. <u>Gardner v. Pierce</u>, 22 Nev. 146, 36 P. 782, 783 (Nev. 1894). Furthermore, equitable estoppel also functions to prevent the assertion of legal rights that, in equity and good conscience, should not be available due to the party's conduct. *Id.* As such, Christopher must not be permitted to assert such baseless claims relating to the invalidity of the First Amendment or the implications thereof.

F. All Necessary And Indispensable Parties Have Been Made Parties To This Matter And Have Received Proper Notice.

This Court has already addressed Christopher's contention that Ms. Davis failed to join indispensable parties in Christopher's Motion To Dismiss, and subsequently denied such motion. Notwithstanding, Christopher attempts to raise this very same argument in his Petition For Rehearing, and further attempts to bolster this argument by claiming that Ms. Davis failed to join other additional indispensable parties. In essence, Christopher is now claiming that any person or entity who may have been involved in the distribution or receipt of loan proceeds or who may be involved in the administration of the Trust or Policy, no matter how remotely involved, must be made parties to this matter and receive proper notice.

Although it has already been set forth in great detail throughout the prior pleadings (and addressed by this Court), Ms. Davis, again, asserts that Alaska and Alaska USA are not necessary or indispensable parties as they do not have an interest in the outcome of this matter. The request for information and documentation from Christopher does not place Alaska or Alaska USA in a position in which they would need to protect any interest, nor are they subjected to any "substantial risk of incurring double, multiple, or otherwise inconsistent obligations by reason of the claimed interest." Furthermore, joinder of Alaska and Alaska USA in the instant matter is not necessary or integral to granting Ms. Davis' relief requested (i.e. compelling Mr. Davis to produce information and documents relative to the Trust administration pursuant to his obligation to do so as Investment Trust Advisor). As such, neither Alaska nor Alaska USA need be joined or provided notice.

Christopher, in his capacity as Investment Trust Advisor, has possession, custody, and control over all of the documentation and information requested by Ms. Davis, which is information and documentation that she is specifically entitled to. Requiring Ms. Davis to join Alaska and Alaska USA as parties to this matter simply because they were involved as <u>prior</u>

See, Order, previously filed with this Court on June 24, 2015 (providing "IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Christopher D. Davis' Motion to Dismiss is denied.")

See, NRCP 19(a)(2)(i)-(ii).

trustees would be tantamount to requiring any beneficiary to join each and every prior trustee of a trust that may have information or documentation relevant to the administration of a trust no matter how far removed such prior trustee is. Christopher's argument regarding the joinder of Alaska and Alaska USA may be more compelling if they were the only parties with such information. This, however, is not the case. The Policy loans are still outstanding, and are still assets of the Trust – a Trust for which Christopher is currently serving as a Fiduciary, and for which he owes fiduciary duties. In a desperate attempt to further muddy the water, Christopher asserts that the custodian of the Policy was not properly served with notice of the instant matter. However, much like Alaska and Alaska USA, the custodian of the Policy is not an indispensable party as no claims for relief have been sought against it, and service upon the custodian is not necessary.

Likewise, Christopher's assertion that he "will be subjected to double or multiple or otherwise inconsistent obligations in possibly many jurisdiction" without the joinder of Alaska and Alaska USA is without merit. Christopher, upon accepting his tenure as Investment Trust Advisor, also accepted the fiduciary duties that accompany such position, including the duty to accept and maintain the Trust's books and records, and the duty to account for the management of the Trust's assets. The Trust specifically requires that the "books and records along with all trust documentation shall be available and open at all reasonable times to the inspection of the trust beneficiaries and their representatives." Notwithstanding the express language of the trust relating to the inspection of the books and records, it is a well-established principle of trust law that a beneficiary is entitled to inspect the books and records of a trust. See, In re Rosenblum's Estate, 459 Pa. 201, 215, 328 A.2d 158, 165 (1974) (holding that it is "[n]ot that a trustee is bound to submit to a vexatious and unwarrantable call for books and papers, but that at all reasonable

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 22:22-23.

⁵³ See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 23:22-23.

⁵⁴ Id., at Ex. 1, Art. 12, § 4. (Emphasis added).

times, in proper places, the books and accounts should, on call, be submitted to those who have a right to the inspection of them (S)ubject to the principles above stated, he must give to his co-trustee and the parties interested ample opportunity to look into the condition of the estate.) (Emphasis added).

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Ms. Davis' requests for relief are simply an attempt exercise her rights under the Trust and existing trust law. Unfortunately, Christopher has taken it upon himself to ignore the express terms of the Trust and to deny Ms. Davis of her rights thereunder. As the Trust's situs was properly transferred to Nevada and Christopher accepted his tenure and duties as Investment Trust Advisor, thereby submitting to the jurisdiction of the State of Nevada, Ms. Davis' request for information from him is properly before this Court. Additionally, Christopher is not subject to any additional obligations in any other jurisdiction as Investment Trust Advisor.

Christopher also materially misrepresents Ms. Davis' claims for relief by asserting that Ms. Davis requested that this Court assume "jurisdiction over Christopher Davis, individually, as trustee of the Revocable Trust, and as manager for FHT Holdings without bothering to properly serve them with personal service pursuant to NRCP 4."55 Ms. Davis, however, <u>has not</u> requested this Court to assume jurisdiction over Christopher, individually, or as Trustee of the Revocable Trust. Christopher's misrepresentations are simply an attempt to divert this Court's attention from the relief requested from the actual person who has this information – Christopher.

Based upon the forgoing, Ms. Davis has named each of the necessary and indispensable parties to this action, and has provided the requisite notice to each party pursuant to NRS 155.010.

See, Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 22:19-21.

See, Original Petition, at 9:21.

G. This Court Properly Assumed Jurisdiction Over Christopher D. Davis As Manager Of FHT Holdings, LLC And May Exercise Authority Over Christopher D. Davis To Produce Documents Relevant To The Trust And Beneficiaries Thereto.

Christopher alleges "proper notice and service are required for personal jurisdiction over a party especially when requesting the court to exercise power and authority over an individual party or upon a business entity." First, and foremost, Christopher is the Investment Trust Advisor of the Trust and is the only individual who possesses the authority to act with respect to the investment of Trust assets. Second, Dunham is the Directed Trustee and may only act upon the direction of Christopher, as Investment Trust Advisor. As such, the creation FHT Holdings, LLC could not have been accomplished but for Christopher instructing Dunham to do so. FHT Holdings, LLC is: (1) an entity that is wholly owned by the Trust; (2) the entity to which ownership of the Trust's primary asset (the Policy) was transferred to; and (3) solely Managed by Christopher.

Christopher's contention that he "has no power over the Ashley Cooper policy" is disingenuous. Christopher, as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, has considerable power over the Policy. FHT Holdings, LLC is the <u>Owner</u> of the Policy, ⁵⁹ and, therefore, Christopher, as Manager, may: (1) terminate the Policy; ⁶⁰ (2) change the beneficiary; ⁶¹ (3) change the specified amount of the Policy; ⁶² and (4) make additional loans from the Policy⁶³ without the consent of

⁵⁷ Id., at p. 20:20-23.

Id., at p. 5:11-12.

See, Assignment Of Policy Interest, dated April 10, 2014 and Change Of Owner, dated April 10, 2014, true and correct copies of which are collectively attached hereto as Exhibit 9.

See, Original Petition, at Ex 6, § 2.2(d) (which provides that the Policy may be terminate when "You request the coverage be terminated and You return this Policy.")

¹d., at Ex. 6, § 2.9, ("Subject to Section 2.10, You may change the Beneficiary during the Insured's lifetime.")

Id., at Ex. 6, § 9.1 ("After the Policy has been in effect for one year, You can increase or decrease the Specified Amount.)

Id., at Ex. 6, § 10.2 ("At any time or times after the Policy anniversary, You may obtain one or more Policy loans from Us.")

any of the Trust's beneficiaries.⁶⁴ Again, Christopher, in his capacities as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC and Investment Trust Advisor, is the only person who possesses the authority to manage the assets of the Trust. Indeed, it is apparent that Christopher, as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, has already exercised his authority over the Policy and requested an additional loan. *See*, Email from Shanna Coressel, dated April 9, 2014 (stating that Christopher can "take the proverbial 'bull by the horns' and move forward with the funding [he] needs."); *see also*, Email from Mr. Lehnardt, dated April 29, 2014, with the Subject entitled "RE: Ashley Cooper" (stating that the "[f]ollowing is the amount of the interim draw request: \$489,500" to be distributed to the Revocable Living Trust, LLC (presumably the Davis Family Office), and to Christopher), true and correct copies of the aforementioned emails are collectively attached hereto as Exhibit 10.

Christopher cites to Matter of Schnur, 39 Misc.2d 880, 242 N.Y.S.2d 216 (1963) to supposedly support his position that FHT Holdings, LLC's corporate form must be respected. This case, however, actually supports Ms. Davis' position that the Court may look passed FHT Holdings, LLC's corporate form, as an asset of the Trust, given the circumstances. Specifically, the Schnur court stated that "it is not so much a matter of disregarding the corporate form, but rather giving paramount consideration to the testamentary plan and scheme, and effectuating it in the manner prescribed by the testator. (citations omitted). Sometimes due consideration of the testamentary plan demands that the corporate form be respected. This is particularly true where the testator directed the formation of a corporation or the continuance of one formed during his lifetime." Schnur. 39 Misc.2d, at 887-888. (Emphasis added). As Christopher correctly points out, Beatrice did not create FHT Holdings, LLC, nor did she specify that it be given consideration as part of her testamentary scheme. This is all the more reason why the corporate form need not be strictly adhered to in this particular situation.

¹d., at Ex. 6, § 2.7 ("Subject to provisions in Section 2.10, during the life of the Insured You are entitled to exercise all rights and privileges under this Policy...To exercise a right, You do not need the consent of anyone who has only a conditional or future interest in this Policy.")

Petition For Reconsideration, at p. 20:3-5.

Indeed, the paramount consideration to Beatrice's testamentary scheme "is to provide a financial resource base that will support and protect [her] family for generations to come." Nowhere in the Trust is there reference to Beatrice's testamentary plan involving or predicting Christopher be appointed as Investment Trust Advisor, and/or be vested with the authority to manage the entirety of the Trust assets. Similarly, Beatrice's testamentary plan entirely devoid of any intent for the removal of the primary Trust asset (the Policy), which is specifically intended for the benefit and use of Beatrice's family for generations to come. Moreover, FHT Holdings, LLC is wholly owned by the Trust and currently holds the \$35,000,000 policy intended to benefit the beneficiaries of the Trust. In situations where an entity is "wholly owned by the trust and directly holds and controls all of the [entity's] assets, courts are less reluctant to ignore the corporate entity and to consider the corporation, which is usually a holding company, an adjunct of the trust." Matter of Estate of Butterfield, 418 Mich. 241, 257-258, 341 N.W.2d 453, 460 (Mich. 1983).

As this Court may properly look beyond the corporate form, this Court may also exercise its authority over Christopher as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, and further require him to disclose any and all information as it relates to the Trust or the beneficiaries without regard to which capacity he obtains such information. Indeed, "the Court may control and direct the actions of the fiduciaries, and this may, whether directly or indirectly, affect their actions as officers or directors of corporations of the stock which they hold in their fiduciary capacities, and by virtue of the same power the Court may direct a fiduciary to exhibit all information within its control which bears on the fortunes of the estate and to take whatever actions may be necessary to get the required data." Matter of Murray's Will, 88 N.Y.S.2d 579, 582 (N.Y. Sur. Ct. 1949) (Emphasis added). As set forth in Jennings v. Speaker, 1 Kan.App.2d 610, 616, 571 P.2d 358, 364 (Kan. Ct. App. 1977), "[w]hether the corporate entity should be ignored and the corporation considered an adjunct of the estate depends on the circumstances [] but accountability was indisputable. The court reemphasized that in his capacity as director a

See, Original Petition, at Ex. 6, Art.8, § 3(b).

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trustee is bound by the same fiduciary standards that govern his conduct as trustee, including the duty of undivided loyalty to the beneficiary untrammeled by the trustee's private interests." As such, the Jennings Court found that a court has the "equitable power to ignore the corporate entity and to require the trustees to account." *Id. See also*, Blue Chip Emerald LLC, A.D.2d 278, 279 N.Y. 2008) "[w]hen a fiduciary, in furtherance of its individual interest, deals with the beneficiary in a matter relating to the fiduciary relationship, the <u>fiduciary is strictly obligated to make full disclosure of all material facts</u>." (referencing <u>Brinbaum v. Brinbaum</u> 73 N.Y.2d 461, 539 N.E.2d 574 (N.Y. 1989)). (Emphasis added).

In In re Steuers Estate, 4 Misc.2d 129, 152 N.Y.S.2d 257 (N.Y. Surr 1956), the executors of an estate, one of which was also officer and director of a corporation partly owned by the estate, opposed the beneficiaries' request for information that the executors had in their possession, custody, and control as officers or directors of such corporation. The Court stated that "[a] fiduciary who holds in trust stock of a corporation in which he is also an officer or employee, may become liable as a fiduciary for a depreciation of the estate's shares due to his own act or neglect." 4 Misc.2d, at. 130, 152 N.Y.S.2d, at. 259. As such, the Court held that "the activities of an executor in the corporate affairs and his knowledge of the actions of others in running the business are proper subjects of inquiry." Id. Therefore, a fiduciary who is also serving as director or officer of a corporation may be compelled to disclose any information related to the estate or trust's interest that the fiduciary possesses in his capacity as director or officer. See also, In re-Voice's Will, 35 Misc.2d 225, 227, 227 N.Y.S.2d 991, 994 (N.Y. Surr. 1962) (holding that "[s]ince the trustee controls the corporation by reason of the stock held by the trust added to the stock held by them personally, they can be compelled to disclose the details of the corporation's activities. Since an examination of the corporate activities is proper, the production of relevant and material books and records of the corporation upon such examination is also proper.")

Although FHT Holdings, LLC is an entity separate from the Trust, the Trust is the sole member owning a 100% interest in said entity. By virtue of Christopher's status as Investment Trust Advisor and Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, he is the sole person in control of the Trust's

primary asset (the Policy), and, therefore, may be ordered to produce any and all information pertaining thereto. See, In re Rappaport's Estate, 96 N.Y.S.2d 741, 743 (N.Y. Surr. 1950) (holding that a Trustee of a trust that controls the majority interest of a corporation by virtue of being trustee and in his individual capacity may be compelled to disclose information related to the corporation and the corporation's wholly owned subsidiary. Specifically, the Court held that "[i]nformation obtained by an executor in his capacity of a stockholder may likewise be disclosed.")

As such, whether acting as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, Trustee of the Revocable Trust, or Manager of the Davis Family Office, or acting in his individual capacity, Christopher, as a "Fiduciary" of the Trust, is required to disclose any and all information that he has in his possession, custody, or control that may affect the beneficiaries of the Trust without regard to the character of the "capacity" Christopher was serving in at the time. This Court's order requiring Christopher, as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC, to provide all information in his possession, custody or control was proper.

H. This Court Has Jurisdiction Over The Trust As A proceeding In Rem.

This Court originally assumed jurisdiction over the Trust under the theory of "constructive trust" based upon the fact that the Trust situs was transferred to Nevada, a Nevada Trustee was currently serving, and "action on behalf of the trust has been taken in Nevada." However, as fully set forth above, the transfer in situs was proper and this court should, therefore, assume jurisdiction over the Trust as a proceeding *in rem* pursuant to NRS 164.010.

Christopher's contention that the Court improperly assumed jurisdiction "without determining whether [he] resides or conducts business here in the capacity of a Trustee..." pursuant NRS 164.010 is misplaced. Christopher's capacities as Investment Trust Advisor and Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC are inextricably intertwined, and actions taken by Christopher as Manager of FHT Holdings, LLC are imputed to him as Investment Trust Advisor.

See, Order, at p.2:18-19.

According to the Nevada Secretary of State, the registered agent for FHT Holdings, LLC is Registered Agent Solutions, Inc., located at 4625 West Nevso Drive, Suite 2, Las Vegas, Nevada 89103. Based upon the fact that FHT Holdings, LLC's registered agent is located in the city of Las Vegas, Clark County, Nevada, Christopher does conduct business in Clark County, and jurisdiction in Clark County is proper. Consequently, because the transfer in situs was proper, and because the Trust "conducts business" in Clark County, this Court may assume jurisdiction over the Trust as a proceeding *in rem*.

I. Petition For Sanctions.

Because Christopher's Motion For Reconsideration is obviously frivolous, unnecessary, and unwarranted and so multiplies the proceedings in this matter, Ms. Davis should be awarded attorneys' fees and costs for being forced to prepare an Objection to the Petition For Reconsideration. Specifically, EDCR 7.60(b), in relevant part provides:

"The Court may, after notice and an opportunity to be heard, impose upon an attorney or party any and all sanctions which may, under the facts of the case, be reasonable, including the imposition of finds, costs or attorney's fees when an attorney or a party without just cause:

- Presents to the court a motion or an opposition to a motion which is obviously frivolous, unnecessary or unwarranted.
- (3) So multiplies the proceedings in a case as to increase costs unreasonably and vexatiously" (Emphasis added).

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See, Nevada Secretary of State, Entity Details, print-out, a true and correct copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit 11.

WHEREFORE, Caroline Davis respectfully request that:

- (1) Christopher D. Davis' Petition For Rehearing be denied in its entirety; and
- (2) Caroline Davis be awarded attorneys' fees and costs for being forced to file the instant Objection to Christopher D. Davis' Petition For Reconsideration.

Dated this 31st day of July, 2015.

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Exhibit 1

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MR. BARNEY: Taria [phonetic] is the wife of Christopher Davis.

THE COURT: Okay.

MR. SOLOMON: Not at the time of this.

THE COURT: Okay. All right.

MR. BARNEY: Yes. And, in fact, it's clear that they understood she was a beneficiary because in their Opposition to our Motion to Dismiss, they actually notice — they took to notice her, okay, but they hadn't previously done so. Okay. It's clear that she did not consent to this.

There also wasn't an acting Alaska Trustee at that point to consent to the transfer. Mr. Solomon presented evidence that was very clear that on December 5th that Alaska Trust USA tendered their resignation and was no longer the Trustee at that point. Then, allegedly, in February, the first amendment was produced wherein the change in situs occurred, allegedly, and a new Trustee was appointed in that same document.

Now, Your Honor, that begs the question: How could a Nevada Trustee based in Nevada who could only operate within that situs be the Trustee that referred to in the trust but had to receive counsel before they made the change in situs that would also make the amendment operative as a condition precedent and then go ahead and

Exhibit 2

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OPERATING AGREEMENT

of

FHT HOLDINGS L.L.C.

A Nevada Limited Liability Company

This Operating Agreement (the "Agreement") of FHT holdings L.L.C., a Nevada limited liability company, is entered into by Dunham Trust Company of 241 Ridge Street, Suite 100, Reno, Nevada 89501 (the "Trustee"), Trustee of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, dated July 28, 2000 (the "Trust), the sole member (the "Member").

Article 1. Formation of Company

1.1. Name

The name of the limited liability company is FHT holdings L.L.C. (the "Company").

1.2. Formation

The Company was formed on Noce 28, 2014, pursuant to the Nevada Limited Liabilty Company Act (the "Act") when its Certificate of Formation (the "Certificate") was filed with the office of the Secretary of State of Nevada.

1.3. Principal Place of Business

The Company's principal place of business is:

FHT Holdings L.L.C. c/o Dunham Trust Company 241 Ridge Street, Suite 100 Reno, Nevada 89501

1.4. Registered Office and Registered Agent

The Company's registered agent in Nevada is Registered Agent Solutions, Inc. . The Company's registered office in Nevada is 4625 W. Nevso Drive, Suite 2, Las Vegas, NV 89103. The registered office and/or registered agent may be changed by the Member as provided in the Act.

1.5. Defects as to Formalities

A failure to observe any formalities or requirements of this Agreement, the Certificate, or the Act shall not be grounds for imposing personal liability on the Member for the liabilities of the Company.

Article 2. Business of Company

The business of the Company shall be to carry on any lawful business or activity, which may be conducted by a limited liability company organized under the Act.

Article 3. Member, Contribution, Duty of Loyalty

3.1. Name and Address of Member

The Member's name and address is:

Dunham Trust Company, Trustee of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust 241 Ridge Street, Suite 100 Reno, Nevada 89501

3.2. Contribution

The Member shall make the contribution described on Exhibit A having the value there specified. No interest shall accrue on any contribution and the Member shall not have the right to withdraw or be repaid any contribution except as provided in this Agreement. The Member may, at the Member's sole discretion, make additional contributions, but, notwithstanding anything to the contrary in this Agreement, the Member shall have no obligation to do so.

3.3. Duty of Loyalty

The Member may have and engage in business and investment interests and activities other than the Company, and need not account to the Company for profits or remuneration gained thereby. The Member may enter into transactions considered to be competitive with or similar to those of the Company, or a business opportunity beneficial to the Company, and the Company waives any right or claim to participate therein. The Member has no duty to account to the Company or to hold as trustee for the Company any property, profit or benefit derived by the Member in the formation, conduct or winding-up of the Company or from the use or appropriation of any Company property.

3.4. Other Self Interest

The Member does not violate a duty or obligation to the Company merely because the Member's conduct furthers the Member's own interests. The Member may lend money to and transact other business with the Company, and the rights and obligations of the Member in such transactions shall be the same as those of a person who is not a member. No transactions with the Company shall be voidable solely because the Member has a direct or indirect interest in the transaction.

Article 4. Manner of Action by Member

4.1. Meetings

4.1.1. Right to Call

The Manager or the Member, may call a meeting by giving written notice to the Member, Manager and the Company not less than thirty (30), or more than sixty (60), days prior to the date of the meeting. The notice must specify the date, time and place of the meeting and the nature of any business to be transacted. The Member may waive notice of a meeting, in writing, or by attendance at the meeting.

4.1.2. Time and Place

Unless otherwise specified in the notice of meeting, all meetings shall be held at 2:00 p.m. on a regular business day of the LLC, at the LLC's principal place of business unless otherwise stated in the notice of such meeting. No meeting may be held on a Sunday or legal holiday; at a time that is before 7:30 a.m. or after 9:00 p.m.; or at a place more than sixty (60) miles from the LLC's principal place of business.

4.1.3. Proxy Voting

A Member may act at a meeting through a person authorized by signed proxy.

4.1.4. Required Vote

Except with respect to matters for which a greater minimum vote is required by the Act or this Agreement, the vote of Members whose aggregate holdings exceed three-fourths (3/4) of the outstanding Membership Interests will constitute the act of the Members at a meeting of Members.

4.2. Written Consent

The Member may act without a meeting by written consent describing the action and signed by the Member.

4.3. Limitation on Individual Authority

A Member who is not also the Manager has no authority to bind the LLC. A Member whose unauthorized act obligates the LLC to a third party is hereby obligated to indemnify the LLC for any costs or damages the LLC incurs as a result of the unauthorized act.

4.4. Negation of Fiduciary Duties

A Member who is not also the Manager owes no fiduciary duties to the LLC solely by reason of being a Member.

Article 5. Manager Managed

5.1. Representative Management

The LLC will be managed by one Manager. By execution of this Agreement, and without prejudice to the right of the Members to remove the Manager as set forth in Article 5.8.3, the Initial Member and each person hereafter admitted as a Member, other than Transferees, shall be deemed to have elected such Manager. The initial manager of the LLC shall be: Christopher D. Davis.

5.2. Time Devoted to Business

The Manager will devote to the LLC's activities the amount of time reasonably necessary to discharge the Manager's responsibilities.

5.3. Powers and Authority

5.3.1. General Scope

Except for matters on which the Member's approval is required by the Act or this Agreement, the Manager has full power, authority and discretion to manage and direct the LLC's business, affairs and properties, including, without limitation, the specific powers referred to in §5.3.2 below.

5.3.2. Specific Powers.

Subject to the provisions of §5.4:

5.3.2.1. The Manager is authorized on the LLC's behalf to make all decisions as to (i) the development, sale, lease or other disposition of the LLC's assets; (ii) the management of all or any part of the LLC's assets and business; (iii) the borrowing of money and the granting of security interests in the LLC's assets (including loans from the Member) as, and only if, provided for in the Memorandum; (iv) the prepayment, refinancing or extension of any mortgage affecting the LLC's assets; (vi) the compromise or release of any of the LLC's claims or debts; (vii) the

employment of persons for the operation and management of the LLC's business; and (viii) all elections available to the LLC under any federal or state tax law or regulation.

5.3.2.2. The Manager on the LLC's behalf may execute and deliver (i) all contracts, conveyances, assignments, leases, subleases, franchise agreements, licensing agreements, management contracts and maintenance contracts covering or affecting the LLC's business; (ii) all checks, drafts and other orders for the payment of the LLC's funds; (iii) all promissory notes, mortgages, deeds of trust, security agreements and other similar documents; (iv) all articles, certificates and reports pertaining to the LLC's organization, qualification and dissolution; (v) all tax returns and reports; and (vi) all other instruments of any kind or character relating to the LLC's affairs.

5.4. Required Member Approval

Except as specifically provided herein, without the approval of the Member, the LLC may not take any action with respect to: (a) the sale, lease, exchange, mortgage, pledge or other disposition of all or substantially all of the LLC's assets; (b) the LLC's merger with or conversion into another Entity; (c) an undertaking involving a debt or obligation in excess of \$5,000; or (d) a transaction, not expressly permitted by this Agreement or Memorandum, involving a conflict of interest between the Manager and the LLC.

5.5. Duties of Manager

5.5.1. Fiduciary Duty

The Manager shall have fiduciary responsibility for the safekeeping and use of all funds and assets of the LLC, whether or not in the Manager's possession or control. Except as expressly permitted herein, or by subsequent approval of the Member, the Manager shall not employ, or permit another to employ LLC funds or assets in any manner except for the exclusive benefit of the LLC.

5.5.2. Standard of Care

5.5.2.1. Exculpation

The Manager will not be liable to the LLC or the Member for an act or omission done in good faith to promote the LLC's best interests, unless the act or omission constitutes gross negligence, intentional misconduct or a knowing violation of law.

5.5.2.2. Justifiable Reliance

The Manager may rely on the LLC's records maintained in good faith and on information, opinions, reports or statements received from any person pertaining to matters the Manager reasonably believes to be within the person's expertise or competence.

5.5.3. Competing Activities

The Manager may participate in any other business or activity without accounting to the LLC or the Member. The Member waives the benefit of the corporate opportunity doctrine, on his or her own behalf and on behalf of the LLC, and agrees that the Manager may deal in other business transactions for its own account and/or for the accounts of others without any requirement to account to the LLC or the Member for such dealings.

5.5.4. Self-Dealing

In addition to the transactions expressly permitted by this Agreement, the Manager may enter into business transactions with the LLC if the terms of the transaction are no less favorable to the LLC than those of a similar transaction with an independent third party.

5.5.5. Reimbursement of Business Expenses

The LLC shall pay its own general administrative and operating expenses. It shall reimburse the Manager for any expenses incurred by the Manager that are properly considered ordinary and reasonable business expenses of the LLC, including without limiting the generality of the foregoing, stationery, office supplies, postage, accounting and legal fees related to the LLC's business, notary, document preparation fees and other ordinary and reasonable business expenses.

5.6. Indemnification of Manager

Except as limited by law, the LLC shall indemnify the Manager for all expenses, losses, liabilities and damages the Manager actually and reasonably incurs in connection with the defense or settlement of any action arising out of or relating to the conduct of the LLC's activities, except an action with respect to which the Manager is adjudged to be liable for breach of a fiduciary duty owed to the LLC or the Members under the Act or this Agreement. The LLC shall advance the costs and expenses of defending actions against the Manager arising out of or relating to the management of the LLC, provided it first receives the written undertaking of the Manager to reimburse the LLC if ultimately found not to be entitled to indemnification.

5.7. Compensation to Manager

The Manager is entitled to receive a reasonable salary or other compensation for services provided. The Manager is entitled to reimbursement for reasonable costs and expenses the Manager incurs in conducting Company business.

5.8. Tenure

5.8.1. Term

The Manager will serve until the earlier of (1) the Manager's resignation per Section 5.8.2; (2) the Manager's removal per Section 5.8.3; (3) the Manager's Bankruptcy; (4) as to a Manager who is a natural person, the Manager's death or adjudication of incompetency; and (5) as to a Manager that is an Entity, the Manager's dissolution. In any such event, a majority of the Members, shall promptly elect a successor as Manager.

5,8.2. Resignation

The Manager at any time may resign by written notice delivered to the Members at least thirty (30) days prior to the effective date of the resignation.

5.8.3. Removal

The Member may remove the Manager if: (1) the Manager commits an act of willful misconduct which materially adversely damages the LLC, or (2) the Member votes in favor of such removal.

Article 6. Taxes

6.1. Elections

The Member may make any tax elections for the Company allowed under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as amended from time to time ("Code") or the tax laws of any state or other jurisdiction having taxing jurisdiction over the Company. It is the intent of the Member and the Company that the Company is to be disregarded as an entity separate from the Members for purposes of the Code. The Company shall qualify as a flow-through entity.

6.2. Taxes of Taxing Jurisdictions

To the extent that the laws of any taxing jurisdiction require, the Member will prepare and the Member will execute and submit an agreement indicating that the Member will make timely income tax payments to the taxing jurisdiction and that the Member accepts personal jurisdiction of the taxing jurisdiction with regard to the collection of income taxes attributable to the Member's income, and interest, and penalties assessed on such income, if such agreement is required by the taxing jurisdiction. If the Member fails to provide such agreement, the Company may withhold and pay over to such taxing

jurisdiction the amount of tax, penalty and interest determined under the laws of the taxing jurisdiction with respect to such income. Any such payments with respect to the income of the Member shall be treated as a distribution for purposes of Article 7.

Article 7. Distributions

The Company may make distributions at such times and in such amounts as determined by the Member. No distribution shall be declared and paid unless, after the distribution is made, the assets of the Company are in excess of all liabilities of the Company.

Article 8. Disposition of Membership Interest and Admission of Assignees and Additional Members

8.1. Transferability

No member shall be entitled to transfer, assign, convey, sell, gift, encumber or in any way alienate all or any part of his or its membership interest without the prior approval of all members.

8.2. Dissociation of Member

Notwithstanding anything contained in this Article 8, the transfer of all or any part of the Member's interest in the Company, for any reason whatsoever, shall result in the dissociation of such Member and may lead to the dissolution of the Company as stipulated under Section 9.1.

Article 9. Dissolution and Winding Up

9.1. Effect of Dissolution

The Company shall be dissolved and its affairs wound up, upon the will of the Member, upon the dissociation of the Member, or at such time as the Company has no members. Notwithstanding the foregoing, if a dissociation of the Member occurs at any time when there is only one (1) member of the Company, the legal representative of the dissociating Member or the person succeeding the Member's interest as a result of such dissociation may, at the election of such legal representative or other person, become a member without further action upon the part of the transferee, the Company, or the Member.

Dissolution of the Company shall not occur if the Member or members, by unanimous consent, decide to continue the Company's business within 120 days after the dissociation of the Member.

9.2. Distribution of Assets on Dissolution

Upon the winding up of the Company, the Company's assets shall be distributed as follows:

- (a) to creditors, including the Member if the Member is a creditor, to the extent permitted by law, in satisfaction of Company liabilities; and
- (b) to the Member.

Such distributions shall be in cash, property other than cash, or partly in both, as determined by the Member.

9.3. Winding Up and Articles of Dissolution

The winding up of a Company shall be completed when all debts, liabilities, and obligations of the Company have been paid and discharged or reasonably adequate provision therefore has been made, and all of the remaining property and assets of the Company have been distributed to the Member. Upon the completion of winding up of the Company, the Member or other person designated by the Member shall deliver articles of dissolution to the Secretary of State for filing. The articles of dissolution shall set forth the information required by the Act.

Article 10. Miscellaneous Provisions

10.1. Governing Law

This Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of Nevada.

10.2. Amendments

This Agreement may be amended or modified from time to time only by a written instrument adopted by all of the Members and by the Company.

10.3. Entire Agreement

This Agreement represents the entire agreement between the Member and the Company.

10.4. Rights of Creditors and Third Parties under Operating Agreement

This Agreement is entered into between the Company and the Member for the exclusive benefit of the Company, the Member, and its successors and assigns. This Agreement is expressly not intended for the benefit of any creditor of the Company or any other person. Except and only to the extent provided by applicable statute, no such creditor or third party shall have any rights under this Agreement or any agreement between the Company and the Member with respect to any capital contribution or otherwise.

[Signatures at next page. The remainder of this page has been intentionally left blank.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned have executed this Operating Agreement as of the 1 day of 2014.

BEATRICE DAVIS FAMILY B. HERITAGE TRUST

BY: DUNHAM TRUST COMPANY,

TRUSTEE

By: Shanna Coressel, Trust Officer

Shanna Coressel, Trust Officer, Member

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

STATE OF Neucoda COUNTY OF Washes

On this ____ day of ______, 2014, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said state, personally appeared Shanna Coressel as Trust Officer of Dunham Trust Company, Trustee of the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust, as Member of FHT holdings L.L.C., known to me to be the person who executed the within Operating Agreement in behalf of said limited liability company and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein stated as his free act and deed.

My Commission Expires: 5-1-2017

JACQUELINE MILLER Notary Public - State of Nevada No: 09-9838-2 - Expires May 1, 2017

EXHIBIT A

FHT Holdings L.L.C.

The Members and Contributions

Member's Name	Contribution	Value	% Interest
Beatrice B Davis Family Heritage Trust	Cash*	\$100*	100.0%

Date: April 1, 2014

BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY HERITAGE

TRUST

BY: DUNHAM TRUST COMPANY,

TRUSTEE

BY: SHANNA CORESSEL, TRUST OFFICER

By: Shanna Coressel, Trust Officer, Member

This Exhibit or a copy of it must be prepared and signed by the Member(s) each time an additional contribution is made to the Company, and/or each time a transfer of Membership Interest is made between or among Members in order to keep Membership Interests up to date for voting and distribution purposes. Each revised Exhibit must be attached to this Agreement and available for inspection by each Member.

^{*}This Exhibit is being executed to reflect the ownership of the Company as of the date hereof as a part of the new Operating Agreement.

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DECLARATION OF TARJA DAVIS - I

The Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust from Alaska to Nevada.

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I was not informed of and did not consent to any change in situs of The Beatrice B. Davis
Family Heritage Trust from Alaska to Nevada.

Dated this $\frac{24}{}$ day of July, 2015.

Tarja Davis, Declarant

DECLARATION OF TARJA DAVIS - 2

CALIFORNIA JURAT WITH AFFIANT STATEMENT

+ See Allached Document (Notary to cross out lines 1-6 below)

I See Statement Below (Lines 1-5 to be completed only by document signer(s), not Notary)

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DEAN C. LOGAN Registrar-Recorder County Clark







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RESIGNATION, RELEASE, ACKNOWLEDGMENT, CONSENT AND INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

This Agreement ("Agreement") is executed as of this 24th day of February, 2014, by and among Alaska USA Trust Company of Anchorage, Alaska ("AUTC"), Dunham Trust Company of Reno, Nevada ("Dunham"), Christopher D. Davis of Kansas City, Missouri ("Chris"), Caroline D. Davis of Seattle, Washington ("Caroline"), and Winfield B. Davis of Los Angeles, California ("Win") (Chris, Caroline and Win are collectively referred to herein as the "Beneficiaries"), and Stephen K. Lehnardt, in his capacity as "Protector" of the BEATRICE B. DAVIS FAMILY HERITAGE TRUST, dated July 28, 2000 (the "Trust").

RECITALS

WHEREAS, AUTC is the currently serving trustee of the Trust and has stated that it is unwilling to continue to serve as trustee and wishes to resign;

WHEREAS, Article Eleven, Section 3.b. of the Trust grants the Protector the authority to remove and replace the trustee when a trustee is unable or unwilling to serve;

WHEREAS, Article Twelve, Section 7 of the Trust indemnifies the trustee of the trust from all liability in connection with its service as trustee, excepting only willful misconduct or gross negligence;

WHEREAS, Article Fourteen, Section 6 of the Trust authorizes the change of situs of the trust, upon the unanimous consent of all of the beneficiaries then eligible to receive mandatory or discretionary distributions of net income under the trust, and the consent of any then-acting Protector and Trustee. Article Fourteen, Section 6 further authorizes the Protector to amend the Trust in writing so as to change situs, conform the terms of the trust so that it may achieve its purposes in the new situs; and

WHEREAS, Dunham is willing to accept its appointment as successor trustee to AUTC, expressly conditioned on the appointment of one or more outside (non-Dunham) investment advisors and/or investment trustees so that Dunham serves as a directed trustee under Nevada law.

AGREEMENT

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree to and do hereby take the following actions:

 Consent to Change of Situs and Amendment of Trust. The Beneficiaries hereby unanimously consent to changing the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada, and further

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unanimously consent to the amendment of trust by the Protector to reflect the change of sites, applicable law, provision required by Dunham, and other amendments as required to allow the trust to achieve its purposes, substantially in the form of First Amendment to the Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**. AUTC and the Protector hereby consent to changing the situs of the Trust from Alaska to Nevada.

- 2. Removal of AUTC and Appointment of Dunham. Protector shall, effective February 24, 2014, take the actions described in the Memorandum of Action by Protector, substantially in the form of memorandum attached hereto as Exhibit 2.1, and shall issue written notices to AUTC and Dunham, substantially in the forms attached hereto as Exhibit 2.2 and Exhibit 2.3, to remove AUTC as Trustee of the Trust, and Appoint Dunham as successor trustee of the Trust.
- 3. Acknowledgment of Indemnification of Trustee. AUTC, Dunham, and the Beneficiaries hereby acknowledge the provisions of the Trust which provide for the indemnification of Trustee from liability, excepting only willful misconduct or gross negligence.

4. Miscellaneous.

- a. <u>Independent Counsel</u>. The parties hereto acknowledge and agree that each of them has had an opportunity to review this Agreement and all Exhibits and to seek its own independent legal counsel with respect to the legal consequences of entering this Agreement.
- b. Attorney's Fees. In any action brought either party to enforce any of the terms of this Agreement, the prevailing party in such action shall be entitled to such reasonable attorney fees as the court or arbitrator shall determine to be appropriate
- c. <u>Entire Agreement</u>. This Agreement shall not be modified, amended or changed in any respect except by written document signed by all parties hereto. This Agreement and all attachments thereto, contain the entire agreement and understanding of the parties and supersedes any and all prior negotiations, understandings and written agreements.
- d. <u>Interpretation/Venue</u>. If any portion of this Agreement shall be held to be void or unenforceable, the balance thereof shall nonetheless be effective. This Agreement has been made and entered into in the State of Alaska and shall be governed by the laws of the State of Alaska. Venue for any dispute shall be Anchorage, Alaska.
- e. <u>Headings</u>. The headings used herein are for convenience only, and shall not be construed as a part of this Agreement or as a limitation on the scope of the particular paragraphs to which they refer.

- f. <u>Binding Effect</u>. This Agreement shall bind and shall inure to the benefit of the heirs, legal representatives, successors and assigns of the parties.
- g. <u>Counterparts/Facsimile Signatures</u>. This Agreement may be executed in counterparts, which together shall constitute one instrument. The parties hereto agree to accept signatures transmitted by facsimile.

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IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties have executed this Agreement as of the date first written above.

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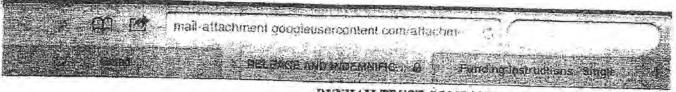
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Joshua M. Hood

Subject:

FW: Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust

From: Dennis Brislawn [mailto:dbrislawn@ohswlaw.com]

Sent: Friday, August 22, 2014 12:03 PM To: Shanna Coressel; Joshua M. Hood

Cc: 'Stephen K Lehnardt'; Caroline D. Davis (cddavis@cddavismediation.com)

Subject: RE: Beatrice B. Davis Family Heritage Trust

I do not represent any party to the trust at present. Mr. Lehnardt requested a phone conversation with me today, in his capacity as Trust Protector, to discuss my current role, if any. I have no recollection or knowledge of pertinent information about the policies in question or any other trust investments.

In 1999 and 2000 or so I assisted attorney Lehnardt in case consulting and document drafting in his representation of Bea Davis. This year I was retained by Mr. Lehnardt, acting in his capacity as Trust Protector, to provide limited support in changing trust situs from Alaska (where I am also licensed to practice) to Nevada. I communicated with both trust companies in documenting that transfer consistent with the terms of the trust and requirements of the new jurisdiction/trustee, provided an opinion of counsel with documentation supporting trust protector action. My representation essentially concluded at that time as there was no additional service requested.

C. Dennis Brislawn, Jr., J.D. | Shareholder

Oseran Hahn, P.S.

Attn: Private Client Law Group

1430 Skyline Tower | 10900 N.E. Fourth Street | Bellevue, WA 98004

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Lehnardt & Lehnardt, LLC 20 Westwoods Drive Liberty, MO 64068

Date: 1/20/2014

Janet Tempel
Bea Davis Family Heritage Trust
c/o Alaska USA Trust Company
P.O. Box 196757
Anchorage, AK 99519-6757

Regarding: Davis - BBD FHT

Invoice No: 39380

Services Rendered

Date	Staff	Description	Hours	Charges
12/02/2013	SKL.	Email from and to N Williams regarding invoices, forward to C Davis and T Watts	0.20	\$63.00
12/03/2013	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis regarding FHT, emails to and from S Coressel at Dunham Trust and telephone call to same regarding FHT transfer (msg), Telephone call from S Coressel, discussed review of FHT and initial questions, review structure in brief, telephone call to C Davis with update	0.80	\$252.00
12/04/2013	SKL	Email from and to J Tempel regarding AUTC resignation	0.50	\$157.50
12/06/2013	SKL	Email from J Tempel regarding AC statements for FHT policy	0.30	\$94.50
12/10/2013	SKL	Emails to and from S Coressel regarding Dunham trust and change of trustee	0.40	\$126.00
12/11/2013	SKL	Email from and to S Corresel regarding review of AK trust, email to S Corresel regarding same, Telephone call from C Davis to discuss	0.40	\$126,00
12/16/2013	SKL	Email from S Coressel (Dunham Trust) regarding transfer of trusteeship, telephone call to C Davis regarding same and issues raised by S Coressel, review FHT for best method to modify	0.60	\$189.00
12/20/2013	AJM	Discuss with Stephen regarding trustee issues and trustee research regarding terms of the trust;	0.40	\$86.00
12/20/2013	SKL	Emails from J Tempel regarding AUTC resignation and statements from policy	0.30	\$94.50
12/23/2013	SKL	Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding change of trustee and capital and surplus issue, telephone call to C Davis regarding same, email from J Tempel regarding change of trustee and email to J Tempel regarding status of same	0.60	\$189.00

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Total Fees

\$1,377.50

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Wire Transfer Instructions:
Commerce Bank
1000 Walnut; Kansas City, MO 64106-3686
Lehnardt & Lehnardt, LLC
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c/o Alaska USA Trust Company P.O. Box 196757 Anchorage, AK 99519-6757	24,309.03			

Regarding: Davis - BBD FHT Invoice No: 39428

Services Rendered

Date	Staff	Description	Hours	Charges
1/03/2014	SKL	Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee transfer and update irrevocable instruction set for new bank accounts, discussion of method for transfer of trustee and beneficiary waivers and consent, emails from and to D Brislawn regarding coordinating same	0,90	\$283.50
1/06/2014	AJM	Call Jackson County Probate Court regarding filing issues for Davis probate matter	0.20	\$43.00
1/06/2014	SKL	Emails from and to D Brislawn and S Corresel regarding transfer of trusteeship to Dunham trust and other matters	0.50	\$157.50
1/07/2014	SKL	Telephone call to C Davis returning his call of yesterday, email to C Davis regarding same, telephone call to D Brislawn (msg) regarding AK Trust modification, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee change and multiple related items, discussion of Dunham trust and modification	0.70	\$220.50
1/08/2014	AJM	Davis probate matters - discuss items with Jackson County probate court and draft and file continuance documents for probate proceedings	0.20	\$43.00
1/08/2014	SKL	Email from and to D Brislawn regarding trustee transfer, review FHT for Trust Protector power for change of trustee and change of jurisdiction, Telephone call from D Brislawn to discuss same and review trust restatement.	0.80	\$252.00
1/10/2014	AJM	Review documents sent into office from clients; draft and submit response to Exception Letter regarding Davis probate matter	0,20	\$43.00
1/10/2014	SKL	Telephone call from J Tempel regarding trust transfer status, email from J Tempel regarding policy statements	0.40	\$126.00

	1/13/2014	AJM	Phone call from Phyllis at the probate court regarding final submissions; draft additional waiver forms and submit to court;	0.20	\$43.00
7	1/13/2014	SKL	telephone call to C Davis (msg), Telephone call from C Davis regarding same, email to D Brislawn regarding change of trustee (msg), review FHT for loan provisions, Telephone call from D Brislawn regarding trustee transfer considerations and best method of doing this as Trust Protector.	1.10	\$346.50
9	1/15/2014	SKL	Telephone calls from C Davis regarding transfer of trustee, email from J Tempel regarding transfer of trustee, email to D Brislawn regarding same, schedule telephone call with Dunham trust and Brislawn to review any items or questions	0.80	\$252.00
	1/16/2014	SKL	Telephone call to F Moseley to discuss NV, telephone call to conference with D Brislawn and S Coressel regarding change of trust, Telephone call from S Coressel regarding trust matters	1.20	\$378.00
i i	1/17/2014	SKL	Emails from and to D Brislawn regarding transfer of trustee, Telephone call from C Davis regarding trustee, Telephone call to D Brislawn to discuss trustee transfer and modification of trust document, email to S Corresel regarding same	1.30	\$409.50
	1/20/2014	SKL	Complete review of FHT document and email to D Brislawn for additional drafting and comments vis a vis change of jurisdiction and change of trustee, and additional work on trust.	0.80	\$252,00
-	1/23/2014	AJM	B Davis probate review materials for filing and obtain final individual waivers and consents from beneficiaries	0.30	\$64.50
1	1/24/2014	MLA	Probate items update and sending to client; discuss with Stephen regarding FHT next steps and client meeting	0.40	\$86.00
	1/24/2014	SKL	Emails to D Brislawn and S Coressel regarding trustee transfer and LLC items, Telephone call from J Tempel regarding transfer of trustee status, telephone call to C Davis regarding same	1.30	\$409.50
	1/27/2014	SKL	Review draft documents for change of trustee, email from D Brislawn, email to D Brislawn regarding same and my comments back, Telephone call from S Coressel regarding NV LLC discussion for NV Trust and LLC as solution to policy loans, telephone call to C Davis to discuss same, work on trust document drafts	2.70	\$850.50
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