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#### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

MEI-GSR HOLDINGS, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, d/b/a GRAND SIERRA RESORT,

District Court Case no. CV13-01704

Appellant,

VS.

PEPPERMILL CASINOS, INC., a Nevada corporation, d/b/a/ PEPPERMILL CASINO; and Ryan Tors, an individual,

Defendants.

#### CONSENT FOR WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL

Ryan Tors, previously a Defendant in the underlying action (CV13-01704), was dismissed from the District Court action on March 9, 2015. Appellant, Grand Sierra Resort, has filed an appeal in which I am named as a Respondent. It is my informed and voluntary decision to consent to the withdrawal of Mark Gunderson and the Gunderson Law Firm as my attorney in this appeal and in all further proceedings in the Nevada Supreme Court or Second Judicial District Court. I will represent myself pro per in these proceedings and service of process can be accomplished by serving me at the following address:

Ryan Tors 3095 Idlewild Drive Reno, NV 89509 Email: rtors@yahoo.com Telephone: 775-530-4799

DATED this \_\_\_\_ day of June, 2016.

RYAN **T**ORS

# Exhibit "1"

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### IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

HOLDINGS, LLC, а Nevada Case No. CV13-01704

Dept. No. B7

Plaintiff,

PEPPERMILL CASINOS, INC., a Nevada Corporation, d/b/a PEPPERMILL CASINO; 14 RYAN TORS, an individual; JOHN DOES I-X **JANE DOES** I-X. and ABC and CORPORATIONS I-X,

Corporation, d/b/a GRAND SIERRA RESORT,

Defendant.

#### (<del>PROPOSED)</del> ORDER

On August 2, 2013, Plaintiff MEI-GSR Holdings, LLC ("GSR") filed a Complaint against, among others, Ryan Tors ("Tors"). Mark H. Gunderson, Esq. and John R. Funk, Esq. ("Former Counsel") filed a Notice of Appearance to serve as Tors's counsel on April 29, 2014.

This Court entered the Stipulated Confidentiality Agreement and Protective Order ("Order") on July 17, 2014. The Order provides that all Confidential Material must be destroyed or returned to the producing party within thirty (30) days of the "Conclusion of this Action."

The Court dismissed Ryan Tors ("Tors") from this matter on March 9, 2015. Former Counsel no longer represents Tors. Due to Former Counsel's prior representation of Tors, they are in possession of documents that have been identified as Confidential and Highly Confidential/Attorneys' Eyes Only as set forth in this Court's Order.

Former Counsel desired to comply with the *Order* and either return or destroy all Confidential Material in their possession as set forth in the *Order*. Tors objected to Former Counsel destroying any confidential documents as set forth in the *Order*. Out of an abundance of caution and to comply with the Court's *Order*, Former Counsel filed their *Petition for Instructions* on June 19, 2015 ("*Petition*"). The *Petition* sought guidance and instructions from the Court concerning Former Counsel's obligations relating to Confidential and Highly Confidential/Attorneys' Eyes Only documents in light of the *Order*.

Former Counsel's *Petition* was unopposed. There is no need for Former Counsel to retain any confidential information because the litigation is concluded as to Tors and Former Counsel.

IT IS ORDERED that Former Counsel should comply with Paragraph 20 of the *Order* and destroy or return all confidential documents in Former Counsel's possession, custody, or control.

13 DATED this <u>23</u> day of July, 2015.

PATRICK FLANAGAN District Judge

Submitted by:

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#### 2 MEI-GSR HOLDINGS, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, d/b/a GRAND Supreme Court No. 70319 3 District Court Case no. CV13-01704 Electronically Filed SIERRA RESORT. 01704 4 Jun 13 2016 10:41 a.m. Appellant, Tracie K. Lindeman 5 vs. Clerk of Supreme Court PEPPERMILL CASINOS, INC., a Nevada 6 corporation, d/b/a/ PEPPERMILL CASINO; and Ryan Tors, an individual, 7 8 Defendants. 9 10 MOTION TO CONFIRM WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL AND 11 TO BE REMOVED FROM CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Mark H. Gunderson, Esq. and John R. Funk, Esq. at the Gunderson Law Firm 12 move this Honorable Court for an order confirming their withdraw as counsel in this 13 matter for Respondent Ryan Tors and to remove them from the certificate of service. 14 This motion is based upon the attached points and authorities and attached Consent for 15 Withdrawal of Counsel. 16 DATED this / day of June, 2016. 17 **GUNDERSON LAW FIRM** 18 3895 Warren Way Reno, Nevada 89509 19 20 21 POINTS AND AUTHORITIES IN SUPPORT OF 22 MOTION TO BE RELIEVED AS COUNSEL 23 Mark H. Gunderson, Esq. and John R. Funk, Esq. at the Gunderson Law Firm 24 ("Former Counsel") represented the Respondent Ryan Tors in the District Court 25 proceedings. On March 9, 2015, the District Court dismissed Ryan Tors from the District 26

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Court proceedings without prejudice. Following dismissal, Former Counsel ceased

representing Ryan Tors. The District Court confirmed and approved that Ryan Tors was

no longer represented by Former Counsel. See Order dated July 23, 2015 attached as **Exhibit "1"** at pg. 1, ln 26-27. Except for the unopposed Petition for Instructions filed on June 19, 2015, Mark H. Gunderson, Esq. and John R. Funk, Esq. had no involvement in the later stages of the District Court proceedings and were not involved in the trial.

Ryan Tors does not wish to have either Former Counsel represent him in these proceedings. Rather, Mr. Tors wishes to represent himself pro per in the proceedings before this Court. Accordingly, Mr. Tors executed the Consent for Withdrawal of Counsel attached as Exhibit "2."

In accordance with Nevada Rule of Appellate Procedure 46, Former Counsel respectfully request that this Honorable Court enter its order confirming that Mark H. Gunderson and John R. Funk, Esq. at the Gunderson Law Firm have withdrawn from representing Ryan Tors and shall be removed from the certificate of service.

#### **AFFIRMATION PURSUANT TO NRS 239B.030**

The undersigned does hereby affirm that the preceding document does not contain the social security number of any person.

DATED this /O day of June, 2016.

GUNDERSON LAW FIRM 3895 Warren Way Reno, Nevada 89509

MARK H. GUNDERSON – NSB #2134

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 1 I certify that I am an employee of Gunderson Law Firm and that on this date the 2 MOTION TO CONFIRM WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL AND TO BE 3 REMOVED FROM CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE was filed electronically with the 4 Clerk of the Nevada Supreme Court, and therefore electronic service was made in 5 accordance with the master service list as follows: 6 Kent R. Robison, Esq. H. Stan Johnson, Esq. 7 Robison, Belaustegui, Sharp & Low Terry Kinnally, Esq. Cohen-Johnson, LLC 71 Washington Street Reno, NV 89503 255 E. Warm Springs Road, Suite 100 krobison@rbsllaw.com 10 Attorneys for Respondents Peppermill and Ryan Tors 11 12 Pursuant to NRAP 16(a)(3), I certify that I am an employee of Gunderson Law 13 Firm, and that on this date I caused to be served a true and correct copy of the MOTION 14 TO CONFIRM WITHDRAWAL OF COUNSEL AND TO BE REMOVED FROM 15 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE by placing a true copy in a sealed envelope, with 16 sufficient postage affixed thereto, in the United states Mail, Reno, Nevada and addressed 17 to: 18 Ryan Tors 19 3095 Idlewild Drive Reno, NV 89509 20 21 LAW OFFICES OF WILLIAM E. CROCKETT 22 William E. Crockett, Esq. 23 21031 Ventura Boulevard, Suite 401 Woodland Hills, CA 91364 24 25

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DATED this /3 day of June, 2016.

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### **EXHIBIT LIST**

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