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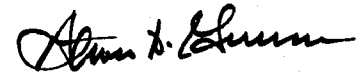
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DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

TON VINH LEE, an individual,

Plaintiff,

v.

INGRID PATIN, an individual, and PATIN
LAW GROUP, PLLC, a Nevada
Professional LLC,

Defendants.

CASE NO.: A-15-723134-C

DEPT NO.: IX

AMENDED NOTICE OF APPEAL

Defendants, Ingrid Patin, an individual, and Patin Law Group, PLLC, a Nevada Professional LLC, by and through their counsel of record, Christian M. Morris, Esq. of the Nettles Law Firm, hereby appeal to the Supreme Court of Nevada from the Order [Denying Defendants' Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 41.635-70], filed on February 4, 2016, and previously attached hereto as Exhibit A, and the Order [Denying Defendants' Renewed Special Motion to

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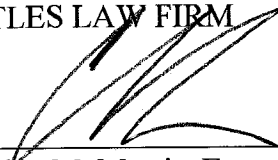
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dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 41.635-70], filed on September 29, 2016, and attached hereto as **Exhibit B**.

Dated this 5th day of January, 2017.

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Pursuant to NEFCR 9, NRCP (b) and EDCR 7.26, I certify that on this 5 day of January, 2017, I served the foregoing **AMENDED NOTICE OF APPEAL** on the following parties by electronic transmission through the Wiznet system on.

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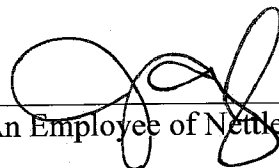
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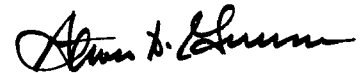
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DEPARTMENT NO. IX

**AMENDED CASE APPEAL
STATEMENT**

Defendants, Ingrid Patin, an individual, and Patin Law Group, PLLC, a Nevada Professional LLC, by and through their counsel of record, Christian M. Morris, Esq. of the Nettles Law Firm, hereby file this Amended Case Appeal Statement.

1. Name of appellant filing this Amended Case Appeal Statement: Defendants, Ingrid Patin, an individual, and Patin Law Group, PLLC, a Nevada Professional LLC

2. Identify the Judge issuing the decision, judgment, or order appealed from:
Honorable Jennifer Togliatti

3. Identify each appellant and the name and address of counsel for each appellant:
Appellants: Ingrid Patin, an individual
Patin Law Group, PLLC, a Nevada Professional LLC

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Attorneys: Christian M. Morris, Esq.
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4. Identify each respondent and the name and address of appellate counsel, if known, for each respondent (if the name of a respondent's appellate counsel is unknown, indicated as much and provide the name and address of that respondent's trial counsel):

Respondents: Ton Vinh Lee

Attorneys: Prescott T. Jones, Esq.
RESNICK & LOUIS, P.C.
5940 S. Rainbow Boulevard
Las Vegas, NV 89118

5. Indicate whether any attorney identified above in response to question 3 or 4 is not licensed to practice law in Nevada and, if so, whether the district court granted that attorney permission to appear under SCR 42 (attach a copy of any district court order granting such permission): N/A.

6. Indicated whether appellant was represented by appointed or retained counsel in the district court: Retained.

7. Indicate whether appellant is represented by appointed or retained counsel on appeal: Retained.

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: N/A.

9. Indicate the date the proceedings commenced in the district court (e.g., date complaint indictment, information, or petition was filed): The complaint was filed on August 17, 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 appeal is taken from a defamation per se action brought against Defendants by Plaintiff. Plaintiff alleges that Defendant posted a false and defamatory statement on their business website. The alleged false and defamatory statement relates to a jury verdict rendered

1 in favor of Plaintiffs against Defendants Ton V. Lee, DDS, Prof. Corp. d/b/a Summerlin Smiles
2 and Florida Traivai, DMD in the amount of \$3,470,000 in Case No. A-12-656091-C. The
3 Judgment on Jury Verdict awarded the total of \$3,470,000, plus interest, and costs in the amount
4 of \$38,042.64 to Plaintiffs. The alleged false and defamatory statement lists the case name,
5 *Singletary v. Ton Vinh Lee, DDS, et al.*, as well as a detailed description of the case: "A dental
6 malpractice-based wrongful death action that arose out of the death of Decedent Reginald
7 Singletary following the extraction of the No. 32 wisdom tooth by Defendants on or about April
8 16, 2011. Plaintiff sued the dental office, Summerlin Smiles, the owner, Ton Vinh Lee, DDS,
9 and the treating dentists, Florida Traivai, DMD and Jai Park, DDS, on behalf of the Estate, herself
10 and minor son."

11 Defendants appealed from the Order [Denying Defendants' Special Motion to Dismiss
12 Pursuant to NRS 41.635-70], filed on February 4, 2016. Defendants now seek to appeal from the
13 Order [Denying Defendants' Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised
14 Statutes 41.635-70].

15 11. Indicate whether the case has previously been the subject of an appeal to or original
16 writ proceeding in the Supreme Court and, if so, the caption and Supreme Court docket number
17 of the prior proceeding: Ingrid Patin, et al. vs. Ton Vinh Lee, Supreme Court No. 69928 is
18 currently pending in the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada.

19 12. Indicate whether this appeal involves child custody or visitation: N/A.

20 13. If this is a civil case, indicate whether this appeal involves the possibility of
21 settlement: This case does involve the possibility of a settlement.

22 Dated this 28th day of October, 2016.

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24 /s/ Christian Morris

25 Christian M. Morris, Esq.

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28 Henderson, NV 89014

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NEFCR 9, NRCP (b) and EDCR 7.26, I certify that on this 28th day of October, 2016, I served the foregoing **AMENDED CASE APPEAL STATEMENT** on the following parties by electronic transmission through the Wiznet system on.

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DEPARTMENT 9
CASE SUMMARY
CASE NO. A-15-723134-C

Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

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Location: **Department 9**
Judicial Officer: **Togliatti, Jennifer**
Filed on: **08/17/2015**
Cross-Reference Case Number: **A723134**
Supreme Court No.: **69928**

CASE INFORMATION

Case Type: **Other Tort**
Case Flags: **Appealed to Supreme Court**

DATE

CASE ASSIGNMENT

Current Case Assignment

Case Number A-15-723134-C
Court Department 9
Date Assigned 08/17/2015
Judicial Officer Togliatti, Jennifer





PARTY INFORMATION

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Defendant	Patin Law Group PLLC	Morris, Christian <i>Retained</i> 702-360-4949(W)
	Patin, Ingrid	Larsen, Paul Edward <i>Retained</i> 702383888(W)
Cross Claimant	Patin, Ingrid	Larsen, Paul Edward <i>Retained</i> 702383888(W)
Cross Defendant	Patin Law Group PLLC	Morris, Christian <i>Retained</i> 702-360-4949(W)

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









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





08/17/2015	 Complaint Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Complaint</i>	
08/31/2015	 Affidavit of Service Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Affidavit of Service</i>	
09/08/2015	 Motion to Dismiss Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Defendants' Motion to Dismiss</i>	
09/23/2015	 Affidavit of Service Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh	

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Affidavit of Service

09/25/2015	 Opposition to Motion to Dismiss Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Opposition To Defendants' Motion To Dismiss</i>
10/06/2015	 Initial Appearance Fee Disclosure Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Defendants' Initial Appearance Fee Disclosure</i>
10/06/2015	 Reply to Opposition Filed by: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendants' Reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Motion to Dismiss</i>
10/14/2015	 Supplement to Opposition Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Supplement to Opposition to Defendants' Motion to Dismiss</i>
10/14/2015	 Motion to Dismiss (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) <i>Defendants' Motion to Dismiss</i>
10/16/2015	 Motion Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 41.635-70 or in the Alternative Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 12(b)(5)</i>
10/20/2015	 Objection Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Objection To Defendant's Request For Expedited Hearing On Special Motion To Dismiss</i>
10/22/2015	 Order Denying Motion Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Order Denying Defendants' Motion to Dismiss</i>
10/23/2015	 Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Notice Of Entry Of Order Denying Defendants' Motion To Dismiss</i>
11/02/2015	 Opposition to Motion Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Opposition To Defendants' Special Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRS 41.635-70, Or In The Alternative Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRS 12(B)(5)</i>
11/12/2015	 Reply Filed by: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendants' Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 41.635-70, Or In The Alternative Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 12(b)(5)</i>
11/16/2015	 Motion to Strike Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Motion To Strike Defendants' Reply In Support Of Special Motion To Dismiss; Or In The Alternative Plaintiff's Motion To Continue Hearing On Order Shortening Time</i>
11/17/2015	

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	 Reply to Opposition Filed by: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Sur-Reply in Opposition to Defendant's Special Motion to Dismiss</i>
11/18/2015	 Motion to Dismiss (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) 11/18/2015, 12/02/2015 <i>Defendants' Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 41.635-70 or in the Alternative Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 12(b)(5)</i>
11/18/2015	Motion to Strike (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) <i>Plaintiff's Motion To Strike Defendants' Reply In Support Of Special Motion To Dismiss; Or In The Alternative Plaintiff's Motion To Continue Hearing On Order Shortening Time</i>
11/18/2015	 All Pending Motions (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer)
11/25/2015	 Supplemental Filed by: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Supplement To Plaintiff's Sur-Reply In Opposition To Defendants' Special Motion To Dismiss</i>
12/09/2015	 Status Check (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) <i>Decision</i>
01/13/2016	 Status Check (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer)
01/13/2016	CANCELED Minute Order (1:00 PM) (Judicial Officer: Barker, David) <i>Vacated - On in Error</i>
01/27/2016	 Motion to Dismiss Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendants' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5)</i>
02/04/2016	 Order Denying Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Order Denying Defendants' Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 41.635-70, or in the Alternative, Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5)</i>
02/04/2016	 Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Notice Of Entry Of Order Denying Defendants' Special Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRS 41.635-70, Or In The Alternative, Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP 12(B)(5)</i>
02/05/2016	 Motion to Strike Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Motion To Strike Defendants' Third-Filed Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP 12 (B)(5) On Order Shortening Time</i>
02/09/2016	 Opposition to Motion Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion to Strike Defendants' Third-Filed Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5) on Order Shortening Time</i>
02/09/2016	 Reply in Support Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Reply in Support of Motion to Strike Defendants' Third-Filed Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP, 12(B)(5) on Order Shortening Time</i>












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02/10/2016	 Motion to Strike (9:30 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) 02/10/2016, 02/16/2016 <i>Plaintiff's Motion To Strike Defendants' Third-Filed Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP 12(B)(5) On Order Shortening Time</i>
02/22/2016	 Motion to Reconsider Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendants' Motion for Reconsideration</i>
02/23/2016	 Amended Complaint Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>First Amended Complaint</i>
02/23/2016	 Opposition to Motion to Dismiss Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Opposition To Defendants' Motion To Dismiss</i>
02/29/2016	 Order Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Order Denying Plaintiff's Motion to Strike Defendants' Third-Filed Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(B)(5) on Order Shortening Time</i>
03/01/2016	 Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Cross Defendant Patin Law Group PLLC <i>Notice of Entry of Order</i>
03/02/2016	 Reply to Opposition Filed by: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendant's Reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendant's [sic] Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5)</i>
03/04/2016	 Notice of Appeal Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Notice of Appeal</i>
03/04/2016	 Case Appeal Statement Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Case Appeal Statement</i>
03/09/2016	 Motion to Dismiss (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) 03/09/2016, 03/16/2016 <i>Defendants' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5)</i>
03/11/2016	 Opposition Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Reconsideration</i>
03/23/2016	 Reply to Opposition Filed by: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendants' Reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendant's Motion for Reconsideration</i>
03/30/2016	 Motion For Reconsideration (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) <i>Defendants' Motion for Reconsideration</i>

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04/11/2016	 Order Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Order Denying Defendants' Motion To Dismiss Pursuant To NRCP 12(B)(5)</i>
04/11/2016	 Second Amended Complaint Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Second Amended Complaint</i>
04/11/2016	 Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Notice of Entry of Order Denying Defendants' Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12 (B)(5)</i>
04/11/2016	Order of Dismissal (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) Debtors: Ingrid Patin (Defendant), Patin Law Group PLLC (Defendant) Creditors: Ton Vinh Lee (Plaintiff) Judgment: 04/11/2016, Docketed: 04/18/2016 Comment: Certain Claims
04/22/2016	 Motion to Stay Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Motion for Stay Pending Appeal on Order Shortening Time</i>
05/02/2016	 Motion Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendants' Motion for Enlargement of Time to Respond to Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint on an Order Shortening Time</i>
05/03/2016	 Opposition Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendants' Motion for Stay Pending Appeal on Order Shortening Time</i>
05/04/2016	 Motion For Stay (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) <i>Defendants' Motion for Stay Pending Appeal on Order Shortening Time</i>
05/09/2016	 Opposition to Motion Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Opposition To Defendants' Motion For Enlargement Of Time To Respond To Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint On An Order Shortening Time</i>
05/11/2016	 Motion (3:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) <i>Defendants' Motion for Enlargement of Time to Respond to Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint on an Order Shortening Time</i>
05/12/2016	 Order Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Order Partially Granting and Partially Denying Defendant's Motion for Stay Pending Appeal</i>
05/16/2016	 Notice of Entry of Order Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Notice of Entry of Order</i>
05/24/2016	 Motion to Dismiss Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid

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	<i>Defendants' Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 41.635-70</i>
06/13/2016	 Opposition Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Plaintiff's Opposition to Defendants' "Renewed" Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant To NRS 41.635-70</i>
06/22/2016	 Reply to Opposition Filed by: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendants' Reply to Plaintiff's Opposition to Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 41.635-70</i>
06/29/2016	 Motion to Dismiss (9:00 AM) (Judicial Officer: Togliatti, Jennifer) 06/29/2016, 07/20/2016, 07/27/2016, 08/10/2016 <i>Defendants' Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 41.635-70</i>
09/07/2016	 Substitution of Attorney Filed by: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Substitution of Counsel</i>
09/29/2016	 Notice of Entry Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Notice of Entry of Order Denying Defendants' Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 41.635-70</i>
09/29/2016	 Order Denying Motion Filed By: Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh <i>Order Denying Defendants' Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statute 41.635-70</i>
10/06/2016	 Substitution of Attorney Filed by: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Substitution of Counsel</i>
10/07/2016	 Answer and Crossclaim Filed By: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Defendant, Ingrid Patin's Answer to Plaintiff's Second Complaint and Counterclaim against Patin Law Group, PLLC</i>
10/18/2016	 Answer Filed By: Cross Defendant Patin Law Group PLLC <i>Defendant Patin Law Group, PLLC's Answer to Plaintiff's Second Amended Complaint And Defendant Ingrid Patin's Crossclaim</i>
10/28/2016	 Amended Case Appeal Statement Party: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Amended Case Appeal Statement</i>
01/05/2017	 Amended Notice of Appeal Party: Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid <i>Amended Notice of Appeal</i>
DATE	FINANCIAL INFORMATION

| **Cross Defendant** Patin Law Group PLLC

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Total Charges	30.00
Total Payments and Credits	30.00
Balance Due as of 1/9/2017	0.00

Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid

Total Charges	247.00
Total Payments and Credits	247.00
Balance Due as of 1/9/2017	0.00

Plaintiff Lee, Ton Vinh

Total Charges	270.00
Total Payments and Credits	270.00
Balance Due as of 1/9/2017	0.00

Cross Claimant Patin, Ingrid

Appeal Bond Balance as of 1/9/2017	500.00
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DISTRICT COURT CIVIL COVER SHEET

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Clark County, Nevada
 Case No. _____
 (Assigned by Clerk's Office)

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I. Party Information (provide both home and mailing addresses if different)

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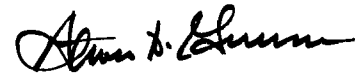
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13 TON VINH LEE, an individual,) Case No. A-15-723134
14 Plaintiff,)
15 vs.) Dept. No.: IX
16 INGRID PATIN, an individual; and PATIN) ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS'
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19 Defendants INGRID PATIN and PATIN LAW GROUP, PLLC's (collectively
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21 Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5) came on for hearing before this Court on December
22 2, 2015. The Court, having read all of the pleadings and papers on file herein, and good cause
23 appearing, therefore, it is hereby:

24 ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that Defendants' Motion is timely filed
25 pursuant to NRS 41.660.

26 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the communication at
27 issue (as detailed by the Plaintiff Ton Vinh Lee in his Opposition to this Motion) under the
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13 Nevada Ind. Broadcasting v. Allen, 99 Nev. 404, 409 (1983).

14 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that as set forth herein, the
15 Special Motion to Dismiss pursuant to Nevada's Anti-SLAPP law is DENIED.

16 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that all of Defendants' other
17 arguments are not properly decided in a Motion to Dismiss and/or are without merit. Defendants'
18 Alternative 12(b)(5) Motion to Dismiss is DENIED.

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED this 3rd ^{February} day of January, 2016.

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Order Denying Defendants' Special
Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 41.035-70
or, in the Alternative, Motion to Dismiss Pursuant
Respectfully submitted, to NRCR 12-67(5)

Ann P. Zofiak
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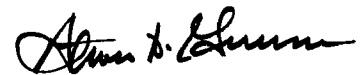
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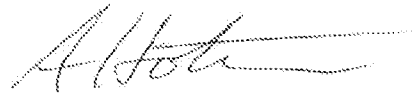
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17 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that an **ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' SPECIAL**
18 **MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NRS 41.635-70, OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE,**
19 **MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NRCP 12(B)(5)** was entered on February 3, 2016. A
20 copy of said ORDER is attached hereto.

21 Dated: February 4, 2016

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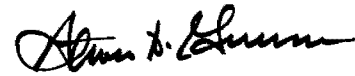
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1 IT IS SO ORDERED.

2 DATED this 3rd ^{February} day of January, 2016.

3 A723134

4 Order Denying Defendants' Special *Annex P. Jozfiak*
5 Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 41.035-70 DISTRICT COURT JUDGE
6 or, in the Alternative, Motion to Dismiss Pursuant
7 Respectfully submitted, to NRCR 12-67(5)

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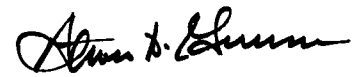
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CASE NO.: A-15-723134-C

DEPT: IX

**ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS'
RENEWED SPECIAL MOTION TO
DISMISS PURSUANT TO NEVADA
REVISED STATUTES 41.635-70**

19 Defendants INGRID PATIN and PATIN LAW GROUP, PLLC's (collectively
20 "Defendants") Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 41.635-70 came on for
21 hearing before this Court on August 10, 2016. The Court, having read all of the pleadings and
22 papers on file herein, and good cause appearing, therefore, it is hereby:

23 ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the communication at issue (as detailed
24 by the Plaintiff Ton Vinh Lee in his Opposition to this Motion) under the circumstances of the
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13 Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss pursuant to Nevada's Anti-SLAPP law is DENIED as it
14 relates to the Second Amended Complaint.

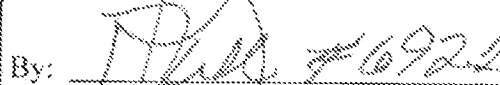
15 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the stay of discovery
16 previously imposed by this Court, pursuant to NRS 41.660(3)(e)(2), remains in effect until the
17 appeal addressing the Special Motion to Dismiss is decided.

18 IT IS SO ORDERED.

19 DATED this 28th day of September, 2016.

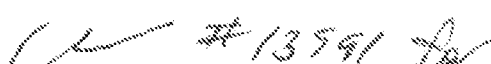
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that service of the foregoing **ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' RENEWED SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NEVADA REVISED STATUTE 41.635-70** was served this 29th day of September, 2016, by:

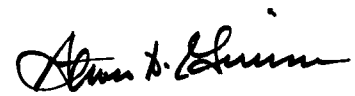
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20 **Defendants.**

CASE NO.: A-15-723134-C

DEPT: IX

**NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER
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SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS
PURSUANT TO NEVADA REVISED
STATUTES 41.635-70**

21 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Order Denying Defendants' Renewed Special Motion to
22 Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 41.635-70 was entered on September 29, 2016. A
23 copy of the document is attached.

24 DATED this 29th day of September, 2016.

25 **RESNICK & LOUIS, P.C.**

26 /s/ Prescott T. Jones

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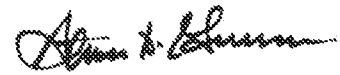
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ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS'
RENEWED SPECIAL MOTION TO
DISMISS PURSUANT TO NEVADA
REVISED STATUTES 41.635-70

21 Defendants INGRID PATIN and PATIN LAW GROUP, PLLC's (collectively
22 "Defendants") Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 41.635-70 came on for
23 hearing before this Court on August 10, 2016. The Court, having read all of the pleadings and
24 papers on file herein, and good cause appearing, therefore, it is hereby:

25 **ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED** that the communication at issue (as detailed
26 by the Plaintiff Ton Vinh Lee in his Opposition to this Motion) under the circumstances of the
27 nature, content, and location of the communication is not a good faith communication in
28 furtherance of the right to petition or the right to free speech in direct connection with an issue of
public concern. Specifically, NRS 41.637(3) does not apply because the communication does

1 not reference an appeal, nor does there appear to be any connection to the communication and its
2 timing to any purpose other than attorney advertising. NRS 41.637(4) does not apply because it
3 appears there is no direct connection to a matter of public interest, and instead it appears to be for
4 the purpose of attorney advertising. However, even if NRS 41.637(3) or (4) did apply to
5 complained-of communication, this Court cannot find at this juncture that the Plaintiff hasn't put
6 forth prima facie evidence demonstrating a probability of prevailing on this claim. This is
7 particularly true because the truth or falsity of an allegedly defamatory statement is an issue for
8 the jury to determine. Posadas v. City of Reno, 109 Nev. 448, 453 (1993). Further, because if
9 found to be defamatory and the statement is such that would tend to injure the Plaintiff in his
10 business or profession, then it will be deemed defamation per se and damages will be presumed.
11 Nevada Ind. Broadcasting v. Allen, 99 Nev. 404, 409 (1983).

12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that as set forth herein, the
13 Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss pursuant to Nevada's Anti-SLAPP law is DENIED as it
14 relates to the Second Amended Complaint.

15 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the stay of discovery
16 previously imposed by this Court, pursuant to NRS 41.660(3)(e)(2), remains in effect until the
17 appeal addressing the Special Motion to Dismiss is decided.

18 IT IS SO ORDERED.

19 DATED this 25th day of September, 2016.

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22 DISTRICT COURT JUDGE
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1 Respectfully submitted,
2 RESNICK & LOUIS, P.C.

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4 By:  #6922

5 Prescott T. Jones, Esq.
6 Nevada State Bar No. 11617

7 Approved as to form and content,

8 NETTLES LAW GROUP

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10 By:  #13591 for

11 Christian M. Morris, Esq.
12 Nevada State Bar No. 11218
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**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort**COURT MINUTES****October 14, 2015**

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

October 14, 2015 9:00 AM Motion to Dismiss

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer**COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 10C**COURT CLERK:** Athena Trujillo**RECORDER:** Yvette G. Sison**REPORTER:****PARTIES**

PRESENT: Jones, Prescott T. Attorney
 Morris, Christian Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Court made a record of all documents reviewed. Ms. Morris advised an anti-slap law may also be applicable and noted the bar complaint has been dealt with. Court advised it does not think professional conduct is relevant and the motion is really a Motion for Summary Judgment. Court reviewed the statement made and noted the verdict was against a dba, which is not a legal entity. Court requested information as to who owns the dba corporation. Ms. Morris advised she can get the information from the Secretary of State, noting that she believes Summerlin Smiles is owned by Ton V. Lee. Colloquy regarding the owner. Mr. Jones argued there is no verdict against his client as it was vacated by the Judge, although it is on appeal. Court made a record of Exhibit B and the 12 page order it has reviewed. Colloquy regarding the documenting statement. Mr. Jones objected to the statement of facts since they did not have an opportunity to respond. **COURT ORDERED**, motion **DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**, noting any further motions must be re-filed. Further, Court noted if the Motion is treated as a Motion for Summary Judgment the motion is denied 56F. Mr. Jones to prepare the order and submit to opposing counsel prior to final submission to the Court.

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

November 18, 2015

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

November 18, 2015 9:00 AM All Pending Motions

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 10C

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER: Yvette G. Sison

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT:	Jones, Prescott T.	Attorney
	Morris, Christian	Attorney
	Patin, Ingrid	Defendant

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- DEFENDANTS' SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NEVADA REVISED STATUTE 41.635-70 OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NRS 12(B)(5) ... PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO STRIKE DEFENDANTS' REPLY IN SUPPORT OF SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS; OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO CONTINUE HEARING ON ORDER SHORTENING TIME

Mr. Jones argued the Plaintiff's Motion is untimely and argued for the reply to be stricken, noting there are arguments made for the first time in the brief. Ms. Morris argued there are no new facts in the brief. COURT ORDERED, Plaintiff Motion to Strike Defendant's Reply in Support of Special Motion to Dismiss DENIED; Motion to Continued GRANTED to allow a sur-reply to be filed.

12/02/15 9:00 AM DEFENDANTS' SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NEVADA
REVISED STATUTE 41.635-70 OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO
NRS 12(B)(5)

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

December 02, 2015

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

December 02, 2015 9:00 AM Motion to Dismiss

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer

COURTROOM: RJC Courtroom 10C

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER: Yvette G. Sison

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT:	Hotchkin, August B., ESQ	Attorney
	Jones, Prescott T.	Attorney
	Morris, Christian	Attorney
	Patin, Ingrid	Defendant

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Also present: Edward Wynder, Esq. on behalf of Defendant.

Ms. Morris argued in support of the motion, noting that the statement is accurate. Further, Ms. Morris argued that it is free speech and an issue for public concern. Ms. Morris advised the Plaintiff must prove a false and defamatory statement and they cannot prove damages. With respect to the Motion to Dismiss, Ms. Morris argued that Ton V. Lee DDS is the owner of Summerlin Smiles and the statement in the advertisement is factually correct. Mr. Jones argued there is no verdict for the Plaintiff. Upon Court's inquiry, Mr. Jones advised the Plaintiff filed a counter appeal for fees and costs only, not for any verdict unless the Nevada Supreme Court reverses the Judge's ruling. Mr. Jones further argued against the motion noting the statement is defamatory and that the verdict as vacated. Further argument by counsel. COURT ORDERED, matter UNDER ADVISEMENT and matter SET for status check, noting a minute order will issue.

12/09/15 (CHAMBERS) STATUS CHECK: DECISION

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

December 09, 2015

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

December 09, 2015 3:00 AM Status Check

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer **COURTROOM:**

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

**PARTIES
PRESENT:**

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- COURT ORDERED, matter CONTINUED.

CONTINUED TO: 1/13/16 (CHAMBERS)

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort**COURT MINUTES****January 13, 2016**

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

January 13, 2016 3:00 AM Status Check

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer **COURTROOM:**

COURT CLERK: Phyllis Irby

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

**PARTIES
PRESENT:**

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- This Court having considered the Defendants Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 41.635-70, or in the Alternative Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRS 12(b)(5), all related pleadings, and oral arguments of counsel, first FINDS Defendants Motion is timely filed pursuant to NRS 41.660. Next, this Court FINDS the communication at issue (as detailed by the Plaintiff in his Opposition to this Motion) under the circumstances of the nature, content, and location of the communication is not a good faith communication in furtherance of the right to petition or the right to free speech in direct connection with an issue of public concern. Specifically, NRS 41.637(3) doesn t apply because the communication does not reference an appeal, nor does there appear to be any connection to the communication and its timing to any purpose other than attorney advertising. NRS 41.637(4) does not apply because it appears there is no direct connection to a matter of public interest, and instead it appears to be for the purpose of attorney advertising.

However, even if NRS 41. 637(3) or (4) did apply to complained of communication, this Court cannot find at this juncture that the Plaintiff hasn t put forth prima facie evidence demonstrating a probability of prevailing on this claim. This is particularly true because the truth or falsity of an allegedly defamatory statement is an issue for the jury to determine. Posadas v. City of Reno, 109 Nev. 448, 453 (1993). Further, because if found to be defamatory and the statement is such that would tend to injure the Plaintiff in his business or profession, then it will be deemed defamation per se and

damages will be presumed. Nevada Ind. Broadcasting v. Allen, 99 Nev. 404, 409 (1983). Therefore, for the reasons stated herein Court ORDERS Special Motion to Dismiss pursuant to Nevada's anti-SLAPP laws DENIED.

Next, this Court FINDS all of Defendants' other arguments are not properly decided in a Motion to Dismiss and/or are without merit and ORDERS Defendants' Alternative 12(b)(5) Motion to Dismiss DENIED. Further, this Court DENIES Plaintiff's Countermotion for attorney's fees and costs as this Court does not find the special motion to be frivolous or vexatious. Further, the misstatement of the evidentiary burden cannot be considered more than a harmless error on the part of counsel considering the facts here.

Finally, this Court notes that the parties have not in any Motion to Dismiss thus far distinguished between allegations of conduct of the individual Defendant versus the corporate Defendant, and therefore, this Court notes that any rulings herein and regarding the previous Motion to Dismiss do not address that issue. Counsel for the Plaintiff is to prepare the proposed order tracking the language of this minute order and allow for Defendants' counsel's signature as to form and content.

CLERK'S NOTE: A copy of this Minute Order shall be placed in the Attorney folders for the following:

Prescott T. Jones, Esq., August B. Hotchkin, Esq., and Bremer Whyte Brown & O'Meara LLP./pi

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

February 10, 2016

A-15-723134-C	Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
	vs.
	Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

February 10, 2016 9:30 AM Motion to Strike

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 10C

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER: Yvette G. Sison

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT:	Jones, Prescott T.	Attorney
	Morris, Christian	Attorney
	Patin, Ingrid	Defendant

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Court made a record of all documents reviewed. Mr. Jones argued in support of the motion, noting a subsequent 12(b) motion cannot be filed after the first 12(b) motion was filed. Further, Mr. Jones moved to strike the Motion to Dismiss and requested the answer be filed. Ms. Morris argued the motion was filed for a failure to state a claim against the Defendant individually and there is not a claim against the LLC. Upon Court's inquiry, Ms. Morris advised the LLC has not answered yet as time has not run out yet. Further argument by counsel. COURT ORDERED, matter CONTINUED for decision, noting a minute order will issue.

CONTINUED TO: 2/17/16 (CHAMBERS)

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

February 16, 2016

A-15-723134-C	Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s) vs. Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)
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February 16, 2016 3:00 AM Motion to Strike

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer **COURTROOM:**

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

**PARTIES
PRESENT:**

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- This Court, having considered the motion to Strike Defendants Third-Filed Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5), the Opposition to the Motion, Reply in Support of Motion, and oral arguments of counsel ORDERS the Motion to Strike DENIED. Further, this Court ORDERS the Defendants Countermotion for Attorney s Fees and Costs DENIED, as the Court does not find that the Motion was filed for the purposes of harassment. Counsel for Defendants is directed to prepare the proposed order for the Court s signature.

CLERK'S NOTE: A copy of this minute order has been e-mailed to Prescott Jones, Esq. and Christian Morris, Esq.

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

March 09, 2016

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

March 09, 2016 9:00 AM Motion to Dismiss

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER: Yvette G. Sison

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT:	Jones, Prescott T.	Attorney
	Morris, Christian	Attorney
	Patin, Ingrid	Defendant

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Argument by Ms. Morris, noting the First Amended Complaint is a rogue document and cannot be addressed. Mr. Jones argued they are allowed to amend the complaint. Further arguments by counsel in support of their respective positions. Court noted Mr. Jones has advised he will only focus on the alleged tortuous acts. COURT Sua Sponte ORDERED Mr. Jones to file a Second Amended Complaint to remove the allegations of alter ego and noted that no discovery into the corporate assets, bank accounts, or anything solely related to alter ego will be allowed. Further, Court noted any language as to personal gain is to be STRICKEN. COURT ORDERED, Motion CONTINUED to the Court's Chamber Calendar for decision.

CONTINUED TO: 3/16/16 (CHAMBERS)

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

March 16, 2016

A-15-723134-C	Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s) vs. Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)
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March 16, 2016	3:00 AM	Motion to Dismiss
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HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer	COURTROOM:
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COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

**PARTIES
PRESENT:**

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- This Court having considered the Defendant s Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to NRCP 12(b)(5), and the arguments of counsel FINDS that because Defendants have not yet answered there is a properly filed Amended Complaint on file without leave of the Court which alleges that the individual Defendant Patin directed the alleged statement be published on the firm website. In light of the allegations in the Amended Complaint which this Court must accept as true, the Court ORDERS the Motion to Dismiss DENIED. This Court GRANTS the Motion to Dismiss as to the alter ego claim as Plaintiff s allegations on information and belief amount to a fishing expedition and potentially could result in abusive and harassing litigation tactics. Counsel for the Plaintiff is to prepare an order consistent with these minutes and the minutes for the hearing date on March 9, 2016.

CLERK S NOTE: A copy of this minute order has been e-mailed to Prescott Jones, Esq. and Christian Morris, Esq. -amt 3/21/16

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort**COURT MINUTES****March 30, 2016**

A-15-723134-C

Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)

vs.

Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

March 30, 2016**3:00 AM****Motion For
Reconsideration****HEARD BY:** Togliatti, Jennifer**COURTROOM:****COURT CLERK:** Athena Trujillo**RECORDER:****REPORTER:****PARTIES****PRESENT:**

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- This Court, having considered the Defendants Motion for Reconsideration, all related pleadings and the record first FINDS that this matter is properly heard on the Court s chamber calendar without oral argument pursuant to EDCR 2.23. This Court previously found that the matter was not ripe for 12(b)(5) dismissal. Defendant s Motion for Reconsideration arguing that this Court s decision is erroneous does not persuade this Court the previous Motion should have been granted. The allegations in the First Amended Complaint filed 2/23/16, or the previously filed Complaint, if taken as true as this Court must do pursuant to the case law on Motions to Dismiss, could state a claim for which relief may be granted. All facts cited by Defendant, whether supported by affidavit, deposition or judicial notice of facts found in another case, require this Court to look outside of the Plaintiff s Complaint. Defendant refers to Exhibits including Exhibits A,B,C, D, H, I, J, K, L, M in support of reconsideration to address facts outside of the Plaintiff s Complaint, which is why this Court ruled that the issues raised by Defendant are not proper for a Motion to Dismiss or not properly considered in a Motion to Dismiss because the Defendants wish this Court to look outside of Plaintiff s Complaint and dismiss the case based upon facts presented or argued in the Motion to Dismiss. This Court again disagrees with the Defendants position that the Court should review or consider evidence outside, or contradicting, the Complaint and dismiss. Court ORDERS Motion for Reconsideration of Court s Denial of Defendant s Alternative 12(b)(5) Motion to Dismiss DENIED.

CLERK S NOTE: A copy of this minute order has been e-mailed to Prescott Jones, Esq. and Christian Morris, Esq. -amt 4/6/16

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort**COURT MINUTES****May 04, 2016**

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

May 04, 2016 3:00 AM Motion For Stay

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer **COURTROOM:**

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

**PARTIES
PRESENT:**

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- This Court, having considered the Defendant's Motion for Stay and Plaintiff's Opposition GRANTS IN PART and DENIES IN PART Defendant's Motion. NRS 41.660 provides for the mandatory stay of discovery pending disposition of the appeal and therefore the Defendant's Motion to Stay is GRANTED as to discovery. When considering the factors for a stay of the entire litigation, in this Court's view none favor Defendants. First, the object of the appeal will not be defeated. Next, there is no irreparable injury because litigation expenses do not constitute irreparable harm. Here, if the Supreme Court agrees with Defendant's they would recover reasonable costs and attorney's fees from Plaintiff based upon NRS 41.670. Additionally, Plaintiff would face the possibility of up to \$10,000.00 in sanctions against Plaintiff, therefore, any financial impact on Defendant's would be rectified if Defendants are successful on appeal. Therefore, the Motion to Stay the Litigation in its entirety is DENIED IN PART and only discovery is stayed.

CLERK'S NOTE: A copy of this minute order has been e-mailed to Prescott Jones, Esq. and Christian Morris, Esq. -amt 5/4/16

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

May 11, 2016

A-15-723134-C	Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s) vs. Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)
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May 11, 2016

3:00 AM

Motion

HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer

COURTROOM:

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT:

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- This Court, having reviewed the pleadings, notes, the partial stay, and notwithstanding Plaintiff's Opposition, there is nominal prejudice to the Plaintiff when considering the statutorily mandated stay of discovery. COURT ORDERS, Motion for Enlargement of Time GRANTED.

CLERK'S NOTE: A copy of this minute order has been e-mailed to Prescott Jones, Esq. and Christian Morris, Esq. -amt 5/11/16

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

June 29, 2016

A-15-723134-C Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
vs.
Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

June 29, 2016 9:00 AM Motion to Dismiss

HEARD BY: Bixler, James **COURTROOM:** RJC Courtroom 10C

COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER: Yvette G. Sison

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT: Carlston, Jon J Attorney
Patin, Ingrid Defendant

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Court advised it was notified that Defense counsel would be requesting a continuance. Colloquy regarding continuance date. COURT ORDERED, matter CONTINUED.

CONTINUED TO: 7/20/16 9:00 AM

CLERK'S NOTE: A copy of this minute order has been e-mailed to Christian Morris, Esq. and Prescott Jones, Esq. -amt 6/29/16

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

July 20, 2016

A-15-723134-C	Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s) vs. Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)
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July 20, 2016	9:00 AM	Motion to Dismiss
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HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer	COURTROOM: RJC Courtroom 10C
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COURT CLERK: Phyllis Irby

RECORDER: Yvette G. Sison

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT:	Jones, Prescott T. Morris, Christian	Attorney Attorney
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- Mr. Morris informed the Court they now have a new Complaint. COURT ORDERED, it will issue a minute order next week on the Chambers calendar.

7-27-16 CHAMBERS CALENDAR (DEPT. IX)

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

July 27, 2016

A-15-723134-C	Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s) vs. Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)
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July 27, 2016	3:00 AM	Motion to Dismiss
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HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer	COURTROOM:
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COURT CLERK: Athena Trujillo

RECORDER:

REPORTER:

**PARTIES
PRESENT:**

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- Court ORDERS counsel to appear August 10, 2016 at the 9:00 a.m. hearing calendar to further address the Court regarding Defendant s Renewed Special Motion to Dismiss Pursuant to Nevada Revised Statutes 41.635-70 and therefore ORDERS the Defendant s Motion continued to be heard on that date.

CONTINUED TO: 8/10/16 9:00 AM

CLERK'S NOTE: A copy of this Minute Order was placed in the attorney folder of:
Prescott James, Esq. & Christian Morris, Esq. -se8/4/16

**DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**

Other Tort

COURT MINUTES

August 10, 2016

A-15-723134-C	Ton Lee, Plaintiff(s)
	vs.
	Ingrid Patin, Defendant(s)

August 10, 2016	9:00 AM	Motion to Dismiss
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HEARD BY: Togliatti, Jennifer	COURTROOM: RJC Courtroom 10C
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COURT CLERK: Phyllis Irby

RECORDER: Yvette G. Sison

REPORTER:

PARTIES

PRESENT:	Jones, Prescott T.	Attorney
	Wynder, Edward J.	Attorney

JOURNAL ENTRIES

- The Court noted it is aware of a case that counsel needs to do research on Jacobs vs. Sands A627691. There are Orders in that case that was filed on 11/16/15 with a footnote by Judge Gonzalez where she references decisions being applicable to a subsequent Amended Complaint. The Court believes it was done in this case because the Supreme Court and this very issue that Pltf's counsel would suggest is an abusive litigation is exactly what happened in the Jacob vs. Sands case that Judge Gonzales makes reference to in her footnote.

COURT ORDERED, MOTION DENIED as it relates to the Amended Complaint. The previous STAY of the Discovery in the case is in force and effect as it relates to the Amended Complaint. Mr. Jones to prepare an Order consistent with the previous Order.

Certification of Copy

State of Nevada }
County of Clark } SS:

I, Steven D. Grierson, the Clerk of the Court of the Eighth Judicial District Court, Clark County, State of Nevada, does hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct copy of the hereinafter stated original document(s):

AMENDED NOTICE OF APPEAL; AMENDED CASE APPEAL STATEMENT; DISTRICT COURT DOCKET ENTRIES; CIVIL COVER SHEET; ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NRS 41.635-70, OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NRCP 12(B)(5); NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NRS 41.635-70, OR IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NRCP 12(B)(5); ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' RENEWED SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NEVADA REVISED STATUTES 41.635-70; NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER DENYING DEFENDANTS' RENEWED SPECIAL MOTION TO DISMISS PURSUANT TO NEVADA REVISED STATUTES 41.635-70; DISTRICT COURT MINUTES

TON VINH LEE,

Plaintiff(s),

vs.

INGRID PATIN; PATIN LAW GROUP, PLLC,

Defendant(s),

Case No: A-15-723134-C

Dept No: IX

now on file and of record in this office.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto
Set my hand and Affixed the seal of the
Court at my office, Las Vegas, Nevada
This 9 day of January 2017.

Steven D. Grierson, Clerk of the Court



Heather Ungermann, Deputy Clerk