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

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,  Petitioners,	Electronically Filed  Case No. 79152 Elizabeth A. Brown
VS.  THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR COUNTY OF LYON; HONORABLE LEON A. ABERASTURI, DISTRICT COURT JUDGE,	Clerk of Supreme Court District Court Case No.: 18-CV- 01332 ) ) ) ) ) )
Respondent,	) )
and	) )
SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.	
Real Parties in Interest.	, )

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#### AFFIDAVIT OF ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR.

STATE OF NEVADA )ss. COUNTY OF DOUGLAS

- I, Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., being first duly sworn, under penalty of perjury, hereby state as follows:
- In May of 2007, my wife Vicenta Lincicome and I purchased a home located at 1. 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403. In order to qualify for the loan, Sierra Pacific requested that I make a withdrawal of \$80,000 from my 401K retirement plan to be contributed as part of the down payment of the home purchase.
- In or about March of 2008, Vicenta and I (hereafter collectively referred to as 2. "we") learned that we had incurred a tax bill of nearly \$20,000 for having taken the \$80,000 distribution from my 401k. Because of the additional tax burden as well as our other debts and liabilities, we were unable to make our June 1, 2008, mortgage payment.
- 3. After receiving a Notice of Default in early 2009, we began the process of applying for a mortgage workout with Bank of America. On July 11, 2009, Bank of America sent us a Loan Modification Agreement which provided terms extending the maturity date of the loan to August 1, 2049, and, as of August 1, 2009, the interest rate applicable to our loan would be reduced from the current rate of 6.875% to 4.875%. The Loan Modification Agreement provided that on September 1, 2014, the interest rate would increase to 5.375%. Under the Agreement all arrears were to be capitalized as of September 1, 2009.
- 4. On September 1, 2009, we travelled to the Bank of America branch located in Carson City to make our first payment under the Loan Modification Agreement. The banker assisting us was a young woman named Crystal. After searching for information concerning our loan, Crystal could not find any record of the Loan Modification Agreement in their The payment was accepted to be credited against our loan once the Loan system. Modification Agreement was entered into Bank of America's system. Crystal asked us to

contact Bank of America customer service and request a coupon book that would reference the modified loan.

- 5. Later that day, September 1, 2009, Vicenta contacted Bank of America Customer Service and was told to go to the Customer Assistance Center on located on Rose Drive in Reno, Nevada. We were assisted by Manager Barbara Keady. Ms. Keady informed us that Bank of America would investigate the status of the Loan Modification Agreement. We showed Ms. Keady a signed copy of the Loan Modification Agreement.
- 6. From October 1, 2009 to December of 2011, we continued to contact Bank of America by phone to check on the status of the Loan Modification Agreement so that we could make payments. Each time, Bank of America informed us that the matter was being investigated.
- 7. In April of 2010, we met with HUD Counselor Lucy Powell, who assisted us with the design of an action plan, which included the filing of a Chapter 13 Bankruptcy petition to cure the arrearage with Bank of America that would have accrued since the Loan Modification Agreement was signed, and also to force Bank of America to find and recognize the Loan Modification Agreement.
- 8. We filed a petition for Chapter 13 Bankruptcy protection before the United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Nevada, on April 6, 2010, under Case No. 10-51219, and therein listed Bank of America as a secured creditor.
- 9. On May 4, 2011, unbeknownst to us at the time, Bank of America recorded a fully executed copy of the July 11, 2009 Loan Modification Agreement with the office of the Lyon County Recorder, as Document No. 475808. We remained unaware of the fact that the Loan Modification Agreement had been found and executed by Bank of America until 2017.
- 10. On or about April 24, 2015, Bank of America accepted a loan modification application from us and required that we complete three trial modification payments before we could move forward with permanently modifying our mortgage loan.

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- 11. The April 24, 2015 loan modification notice provided that upon completion of the trial payments, our mortgage would be extended to May 1, 2055, that the interest rate would be reduced to 4.125%, and that if it was determined that the unpaid balance of our mortgage exceeded 115% of the current value of our home, we would be eligible to have up to 30% of our principal balance deferred and not be subject to interest.
- 12. We made the first two payments timely. However, on August 1, 2015, while attempting to make the third trial payment to Bank of America, we were informed that our loan had been transferred to Fay Servicing. We called Fay Servicing that same day, August 1, 2015, to make payment and spoke with account manager Rosalind Jackson. Ms. Jackson informed us that Fay Servicing does not honor Bank of America trial modifications.
- 13. We were devastated when neither Bank of America nor Fay Servicing would accept our payment and that Fay Servicing would not honor Bank of America's April 24, 2015 loan modification offer.
- 14. In 2016, we applied for the Home Affordable Modification Program (HAMP) modification through Fay Servicing. Fay Servicing informed us that we only qualified for a HAFA Short Sale. We appealed Fay Servicing's denial of our qualification for HAMP.
- 15. On September 7, 2016, Fay Servicing sent us a response to our appeal of our denial therein indicating that we did not have sufficient income to qualify for a modification, and also that we were not qualified for the HAMP Unemployment Program (HAMP UP) "because the property is not your primary residence." We have continuously used and claimed our home located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada, as our residence since our purchase of the Property in 2007.
- 16. After being denied, we reached out to Senator Harry Reid's office for help, and thereafter, Fay Servicing offered us a trial modification at \$2,528.86 per month. After completion of the three trial payments, Fay Servicing sent us the final modification agreement.

17.	Upon	reviewing	the	agree	ment,	we	realized	that	we	could	not	accep	t the
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- 18. We have searched our files and records and were not ever provided with a notice that accurately complies with the requirements of NRS 107.500(1)(b)(1).
- 19. We believe that because neither Bank of America nor Fay Servicing has applied the terms of the Loan Modification Agreement, that the amount stated owed is incorrect for having accrued at a higher interest rate than that reflected in the Agreement.

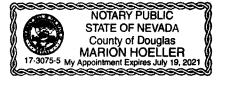
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Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr.

State of Nevada ) )ss.
County of Douglas )

This instrument was sworn to before me on the day of November, 2018, by Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr.

Notary Public



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TANYA SCEIRINE COURT ADMINISTRATOR THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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ORDER

IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Case No: 18-CV-01382

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Plaintiffs,

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability

company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a

Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-

2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.)

Defendants.

THIS MATTER comes before the Court upon the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction filed on November 7, 2018, by Plaintiffs Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome.

THE COURT having reviewed the Application, the supporting evidence submitted therewith, and the representations of counsel, hereby makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT:

1. That a Notice of Trustee's Sale was recorded by Sables, LLC, the current trustee under that certain Deed of Trust recorded in Lyon County, Nevada, on May 25, 2007, as Document No. 407150, noticing sale of the Plaintiff's real property there in described;

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3. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that Plaintiffs are likely to succeed on the merits of their claim for injunctive relief under NRS 107.560 for material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights.

THEREFORE, GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court hereby enters the following Orders:

- 1. That Sables, LLC, is hereby restrained and temporarily enjoined from selling at public auction the real property identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, at public auction until further order of the Court.
- That the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded on October 12, 2019, is hereby cancelled and that the public auction of the property described in the Notice of Trustee's Sale is hereby vacated.
- 3. That a hearing to determine whether a preliminary injunction should issue shall be held on November, 2018 at 2.30 PM, at the courthouse located at 911 Harvey Way, Yerington, Nevada. Defendants, or any one of them, may appear at that time to be heard why the injunction should not issue;
- 4. That Plaintiffs are ordered to provide proper service of this Order, pursuant to NRCP 5.
  - That Plaintiffs are not required to post bond.
- 6. That Plaintiffs are hereby ordered to appear at the above stated time set for the hearing in order to address their request for issuance of a preliminary injunction.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 211 day of November, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

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**ORDER** 

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#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Submitted this \_\_\_\_\_day of November, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq.

ILLWARD LAW, LTD

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The undersigned affirms that this document does not contain personal information, pursuant to NRS 603A.040 2018 NOV -9 AM 11: 22

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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR. and VICENTA LINCICOME,

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Defendants.

TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on November 8, 2018, the Court entered the attached Order.

Dated this Z \_ day of November, 2018

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Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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1591 Mono Ave Minden, NV 89423

Attorney for Plaintiffs

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to NRCP5(b), I hereby certify that on November 8, 2018, service of the Notice of Entry of Order concerning entry of the Order entered in the above-captioned matter on November 8, 2018, was sent by way of facsimile transmission to the following at the facsimile numbers set forth below:

SABLES, LLC c/o Shadd A. Wade, Esq. Zieve, Brodnax & Steel Fax No. 702-446-9898

US BANK PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST Fax No. 651-466-7430

**FAY SERVICING, LLC** c/o Registered Agent Solutions, Inc. Fax No. 888-717-7274

**BANK OF AMERICA** Legal Order Processing Dept. Fax No. 302-525-378

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 214 day of November, 2018

**ORDER** 

DISTRICT JUDGE

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#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Submitted this \_\_\_\_\_day of November, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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TANYA SCEIRINE COURT ADMINISTRATOR THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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**CORRECTED ORDER** 

IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

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- 2. That Plaintiffs have established that irreparable injury will result if Defendant Sables, LLC, is permitted to exercise the power of sale and foreclosure on the Plaintiffs' real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, Assessor Parcel Number 29-401-17; and
- 3. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that Plaintiffs are likely to succeed on the merits of their claim for injunctive relief under NRS 107.560 for material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights.

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- 4. That Plaintiffs are ordered to provide proper service of this Order, pursuant to NRCP 5.
  - That Plaintiffs are not required to post bond.
- 6. That Plaintiffs are hereby ordered to appear at the above stated time set for the hearing in order to address their request for issuance of a preliminary injunction.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 14th day of November, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

CORRECTED ORDER

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#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Submitted this 12 day of November, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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Case No.: 18-cv-01332

#### NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq., and Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq., of the law firm of WRIGHT, FINLAY & ZAK, LLP, are hereby appearing on behalf of Defendants, DEFENDANTS, PROF-2013 M4-LEGAL TITLE TRUST. BY U.S. BANK, NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, AS LEGAL TITLE TRUSTEE and FAY SERVICING LLC in the above referenced matter. Please address all pleadings and correspondences to: ///

Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. 7785 W. Sahara Ave, Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117 (702) 475-7964; Fax: (702) 946-1345 <a href="mailto:rhernandez@wrightlegal.net">rhernandez@wrightlegal.net</a>

DATED this 14th day of November, 2018.

WRIGHT FINLAY & ZAK, LLP

Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 11291 Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 13146

7785 W. Sahara Ave, Suite 200

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Attorney for Defendants, Prof-2013 M4-Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank, National Association, as Legal Title Trustee and Fay Servicing LLC

## AFFIRMATION Pursuant to NRS 239B.03/603A.040

The undersigned does hereby affirm that the foregoing document does not contain any of the following information governed by NRS 239B.030 and NRS 603A.040:

- 1. Social Security Number;
- 2. Driver License Number or Identification Card Number; or
- Account number, credit card number or debit card number, in combination with any
  required security code, access code or password that would permit access to the person's
  financial account.

The term does not include any publically available information that is lawfully made available to the general public.

DATED this 14th day of November, 2018.

WRIGHT, FINLAY & ZAK, LLP

Christopher A.J. Swift

Nevada Bar No. 11291 Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq.

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Attorney for Defendants, Prof-2013 M4-Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank, National Association, as Legal Title Trustee and Fay Servicing LLC

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of WRIGHT, FINLAY & ZAK, LLP, and that on this 14th day of November, 2018, I did cause a true copy of the foregoing NOTICE OF APPEARANCE to be served by placing a copy in the mail, addressed as follows: Michael G. Millward, Esq. б MILLWARD LAW, LTD. 1591 Mono Ave. Minden, NV 89423 An Employee of WRIGHT Page 4 of 4

WRIGHT, FINLAY & ZAK, LLP 2011 NOV 15 PM 12: 36 Christopher A.J. Swift, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 11291 TANYA SCEIRINE COURT ADMINISTRATOR THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT 2 Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 13146 7785 W. Sahara Ave, Suite 200 Indila anderson 4 Las Vegas, NV 89117 (702) 475-7964; Fax: (702) 946-1345 5 rhernandez@wrightlegal.net 6 Attorney for Defendants, Prof-2013 M4-Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank, National Association, as Legal Title Trustee and Fay Servicing LLC 7 THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT 8 LYON COUNTY, NEVADA 9 ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR. and Case No.: 18-cv-01332 10 Dept. No.: II VICENTA LINCICOME, 11 Plaintiffs, 12 DECLARATION OF FAY SERVICING, VS. LLC IN RESPONSE TO APPLICATION 13 SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability FOR EX PARTE RESTRAINING ORDER, company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION AND 14 by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; PERMANENT INJUNCTION FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited 15 liability company and subsidiary of Fav 16 Financial, LLC; PROF-2013 M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal 17 Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. and DOES 1-50. 18 19 Defendants. 20 I, Vonterro White, declare as follows: 21 I am a Trial & Mediation Specialist for Fay Servicing, LLC ("Fay"), and at all 22 times relevant herein have been employed by Fay. 23 Fay is the current servicer of the loan for the real property located at 70 2. 24 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403; APN 29-401-17 (the "Property"). The Property is the 25 subject of the above-captioned case. 26 Fay is the loan servicer and authorized attorney-in-fact for Prof-2013 M4-Legal 27 Title Trust, by U.S. Bank, National Association, as Legal Title Trustee ("U.S. Bank Trust"), the

current beneficiary of record of the loan that is the subject of this litigation.

- 4. Fay maintains a computer database (the "Loan Records") of acts, transactions, payments, communications, escrow account activity, disbursements, events, and analyses (the "Loan Transactions") with respect to the mortgage loans which Fay services. The information described herein and referenced below is found in the business records of said servicing agent. The entries in those records are made at the time of the events and conditions they describe either by people with first-hand knowledge of those events and conditions or from information provided by people with such first-hand knowledge. Recording such information is a regular practice of the servicing agent's or Fay's regularly conducted business activities. I have access to the Loan Records with respect to the subject loan, and have knowledge of how they are maintained. Based upon my review of those records, I have gained knowledge of the facts set forth herein and, if called upon as a witness to testify, I could and would competently testify as to those facts under penalty of perjury.
- 5. I make this Declaration in support of the Response to Plaintiffs' Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction, and upon my personal knowledge, except as to those matters stated on information and belief and, as to those matters, I believe them to be true.
- 6. I have reviewed the documents attached as exhibit to the Response to Plaintiffs' Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction. Those exhibits are true and correct copies of the documents maintained by Fay for this loan in its Loan Records.
- 7. Pursuant to NRS 53.045, I hereby declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the state of Nevada that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this 14day of November, 2018.

NAME: Vonterro White

TITLE: Trial & Mediation Specialist

Fay Servicing, LLC

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DATED this 14th day of November, 2018.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to NRCP5(b), I hereby certify that on November 2017, 2018, service of the Notice of Entry of Order concerning entry of the Corrected Order entered on November 14, 2018, was made by depositing a true copy of the same for mailing with the United States Postal Service, addressed to the following::

SABLES, LLC c/o Shadd A. Wade, Esq. Zieve, Brodnax & Steel 9435 W. Russel Rd., Suite 120 Las Vegas, NV 89148

BANK OF AMERICA Legal Order Processing Dept. C.T. Corporation System 818 W. Seventh Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Los Angeles, CA 90017

Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Christopher A.J. Smith, Esq. Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP 7785 W. Sahara Avenue, Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117

Scott R. Lachman, Esq. Ackerman's Consumer Financial Services **Practice Group** 1635 Village Center Circle, Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89134

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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

**CORRECTED ORDER** 

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust ) given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated ) 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.

Defendants.

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THIS MATTER came before the Court upon the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction filed on November 7, 2018, by Plaintiffs Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome.

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THE COURT having reviewed the Application, the supporting evidence submitted therewith, and the representations of counsel, hereby makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT:

1. That a Notice of Trustee's Sale was recorded by Sables, LLC, the current trustee under that certain Deed of Trust recorded in Lyon County, Nevada, on May 25, 2007, as Document No. 407150, noticing sale of the Plaintiff's real property there in described;

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- 2. That Plaintiffs have established that irreparable injury will result if Defendant Sables, LLC, is permitted to exercise the power of sale and foreclosure on the Plaintiffs' real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, Assessor Parcel Number 29-401-17; and
- 3. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that Plaintiffs are likely to succeed on the merits of their claim for injunctive relief under NRS 107.560 for material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights.

THEREFORE, GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court hereby enters the following Orders:

- 1. That Sables, LLC, is hereby restrained and temporarily enjoined from selling at public auction the real property identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, at public auction until further order of the Court.
- That the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded on October 12, 2018, is hereby cancelled and that the public auction of the property described in the Notice of Trustee's Sale is hereby vacated.
- 3. That a hearing to determine whether a preliminary injunction should issue shall be held on 20 November, 2018 at 2:30 p.m., at the courthouse located at 911 Harvey Way, Yerington, Nevada. Defendants, or any one of them, may appear at that time to be heard why the injunction should not issue;
- 4. That Plaintiffs are ordered to provide proper service of this Order, pursuant to NRCP 5.
  - 5. That Plaintiffs are not required to post bond.
- 6. That Plaintiffs are hereby ordered to appear at the above stated time set for the hearing in order to address their request for issuance of a preliminary injunction.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 14 day of November, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

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#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Submitted this  $12^{+}$  day of November, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esg/

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## THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

#### LYON COUNTY, NEVADA

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR. and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Case No.: 18-cv-01332

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#### Plaintiffs,

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ANSWER TO COMPLAINT

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013 M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. and DOES 1-50.

Defendants.

Defendants, Prof-2013 M4-Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank, National Association, as Legal Title Trustee ("U.S. Bank Trust") and Fay Servicing LLC ("Fay")(collectively "Defendants"), by and through their attorneys of record, the law firm of Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP, hereby files this Answer to Plaintiff's Complaint.

#### **PARTIES**

- 1. Answering Paragraph 1 of the Complaint, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
  - 2. Answering Paragraph 2 of the Complaint, Defendants do not possess enough

#### FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

#### (Injunctive Relief)

- 69. Answering paragraph 69 of the Complaint, Defendants hereby repeat, reallege, and incorporate each of their admissions, denials, or other responses to all the paragraphs referenced hereinabove as if set forth at length and in full.
- 70. Paragraph 70 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions and allegations against other parties to which no response is required. As to those other parties, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations. To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 71. Paragraph 71 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 72. Paragraph 72 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 73. Paragraph 73 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions and allegations against other parties to which no response is required. As to those other parties, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations. To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 74. Paragraph 74 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 75. Paragraph 75 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 76. Answering Paragraph 76 of the Complaint, Borrowers deny the allegations therein.
- 77. Paragraph 77 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions to which no response is required. To the extent a response is required, Defendants deny said allegations.
  - 78. Paragraph 78 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions and allegations against

other parties to which no response is required. As to those other parties, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations. To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.

79. Answering Paragraph 79 of the Complaint, Borrowers deny the allegations therein.

#### SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION

## (Breach of Contract—Bank of America)

- 80. Answering paragraph 80 of the Complaint, Defendants hereby repeat, reallege, and incorporate each of their admissions, denials, or other responses to all the paragraphs referenced hereinabove as if set forth at length and in full.
- 81. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 81 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 82. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 82 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 83. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 83 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 84. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 84 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 85. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 85 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 86. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 86 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 87. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 87 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 88. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 88 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 89. Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny the allegations in paragraph 89 of the Complaint; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations.

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To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.

- 101. Paragraph 101 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions and allegations against other parties to which no response is required. As to those other parties, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations. To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 102. Answering paragraph 102 of the Complaint, Defendants admit that they seek to foreclosure on Plaintiff's home and real property by of nonjudicial foreclosure. As to all other allegations, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 103. Paragraph 103 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions and allegations against other parties to which no response is required. As to those other parties, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations. To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 104. Paragraph 104 of the Complaint contains Plaintiffs' request relief so no response is required. To the extent a response is required, Defendants deny said allegations.

#### FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION

# (Special Damages—NRS 107.560(6) Attorney's Fees.)

- 105. Answering paragraph 105 of the Complaint, Defendants hereby repeat, reallege, and incorporate each of their admissions, denials, or other responses to all referenced hereinabove as if set forth at length and in full.
- 106. Paragraph 106 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions and allegations against other parties to which no response is required. As to those other parties, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations. To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.
- 107. Paragraph 107 of the Complaint contains legal conclusions and allegations against other parties to which no response is required. As to those other parties, Defendants do not possess enough information to admit or deny; therefore, Defendants deny said allegations. To the extent the allegations reference Defendants, Defendants deny said allegations.

1	discovery and/or investigation indicates that additional affirmative defenses are applicable.
2	<u>PRAYER</u>
3	WHEREFORE, Defendant prays for judgment as follows:
4	1. That Plaintiffs take nothing by way of the Complaint;
5	2. For reasonable attorney's fees and costs; and
6	3. For any such other and further relief as the Court may deem just and proper in the case
7	DATED this 27th day of November, 2018.
8	WRIGHT, FINLAY & ZAK, LLP
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Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of WRIGHT, FINLAY & ZAK, LLP, and that on this 28th day of November, 2018, I did cause a true copy of the foregoing ANSWER TO COMPLAINT to be served by placing a copy in the mail, addressed as follows:

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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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Plaintiffs,

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Defendants.

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TO THE DEFENDANTS: A civil Complaint has been filed by the Plaintiffs against you for the relief set forth in the Complaint.

- 1. If you wish to defend this lawsuit, you must, within 20 days after this Summons is served on you, exclusive of the day of service, do the following:
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b. Serve a copy of your response upon the attorney whose name and address is shown below.

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3. If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your response may be filed on time.

Tanya Sceirine CLERK OF THE COURT

By: Victoria Tovar 11/8/18

Lyon County District Court

911 Harvey Way

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Issued at direction of:

Michael & Millward, Esq.

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Attorney for Plaintiffs

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# **AFFIDAVIT OF PERSONAL SERVICE**

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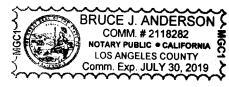
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> IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

Case No: 18-CV-01332

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STATE OF Nevada) ss. I, Ady Palatto, being first duly sworn, depose and

1. That I am not a party to this action and I am over 18 years of age;

2. That I personally served a copy of the Summons and Complaint, and the following documents:

Upon	DEFENDANT Sables LLC 40 Registered Agent	Shadd A.
_	following location: 9435 W. Russell RD #100	Wade
	Lax 1/200x NV 89148	

on the 19 day of November, 2018.

Signature: Print Name: Andy Palatto
R#092486

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN before me

This <u>21st</u> day of <u>November</u>, 2018.

NOTARY PUBLIC

SHAWNA HONGTHONG lotary Public, State of Nevada Appointment No. 14-14855-1



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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME, Plaintiffs. SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Linclcome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a

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Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.)

Defendants.

It appearing from the files and records in the above-entitled action that Defendant SABLES, LLC, herein, being duly served with a copy of the Summons and Complaint, on November 19, 2018; that more than 20 days, exclusive of the day of service, having expired since service upon the Defendants; that no answer or other appearance having been filed and no further time having been granted, the default of Defendant SABLES, LLC, for failing to answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiffs' Complaint is hereby entered.

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Michael G. Millward, Esq. Date NSB#11212

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Defendants.

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SABLES, LLC'S DECLARATION OF NON-MONETARY STATUS

## **DECLARATION OF NON-MONETARY STATUS**

I, Shadd A. Wade, declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Nevada, as follows:

- 1. I am an attorney at law duly licensed to practice before all the courts of the State of Nevada, and I am employed by Zieve, Brodnax & Steele, LLP, attorneys for defendant Sables, LLC. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein, and if called upon to do so, I would and could competently testify thereto.
- 2. Sables, LLC, does business in the State of Nevada as trustee under deeds of trust for the purposes of conducting non-judicial foreclosure sales.
  - 3. Sables, LLC is named as a defendant in this action.
- 4. The subject of this action is the foreclosure of a Deed of Trust, of which Sables, LLC is the appointed trustee.

- 5. Sables, LLC is the trustee of record pursuant to a substitution of trustee which recorded in the Official Records of the Lyon County Recorder's Office.
- 6. Based on my review of the complaint, it is my reasonable belief that Sables, LLC was named solely in its capacity as trustee conducting non-judicial foreclosure, and not as a result of any wrongful act or omission made on the performance of Sables' duties as trustee under the deed of trust.
- 7. The basis for my reasonable belief set forth above is that Sables, LLC has no interest in, and was not involved in any way with the property which is the subject of this action outside of its capacity as trustee under the Deed of Trust.

EXECUTED THIS 18th day of December, 2018

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## **AFFIRMATION**

Pursuant to N.R.S. 239B.030

The undersigned does hereby affirm that the preceding **DECLARATION OF NON-MONETARY STATUS** filed in the above-captioned case **does not** contain the social security number of any person.

DATED this 2 day of December, 2018

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of ZIEVE, BRODNAX & STEELE, LLP, and that on this 2/day of December, 2018, I did cause a true copy of **DECLARATION OF NON-MONETARY STATUS** to be served by depositing a true copy of same in the United States Mail, at Las Vegas, Nevada, addressed as follows:

Millward Law, LTD Michael G. Millward, Esq. 1591 Mono Ave Minden, NV 89423 Attorney for Plaintiff

Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq. Ramir Hernandez, Esq. 7785 W. Sahara Ave, Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117 Attorneys for Defendants, Fay S

Attorneys for Defendants, Fay Servicing, LLC & US BANK PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST

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Defendants.

THIS MATTER comes before the Court upon the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction (hereinafter "Application") filed on November 7, 2018, by Plaintiffs Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Lincicomes"), thereby seeking a restraining order, preliminary injunction and permanent injunction upon the sale of the Lincicomes' residence by Sables, LLC, at public auction.

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On November 20, 2018, the Court held a hearing on the Application and Response. The Lincicomes attended with their attorney, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and US Bank and Fay Servicing appeared through their counsel Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq., of Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP. As well, Defendant Bank of America, N.A., (hereinafter "Bank of America") appeared telephonically through its counsel Scott Lachman, Esq., of Akerman, LLP.

Counsel at the hearing stipulated to the admission of the evidence presented in the Application and Response previously filed before the Court as well as documents presented at the hearing on behalf of the Lincicomes. Additionally, Counsel stipulated that the Lincicomes' respective Affidavits filed with the Application be considered as evidence by the Court as testimony.

The Court having considered the documentary evidence, testimony and arguments presented hereby makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT:

- 1. That on May 23, 2007, in connection with the purchase of the residence located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403, Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Vicenta") executed a Promissory Note in favor of Sierra Pacific, and also a Deed of Trust (hereinafter "2007 DOT") in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "MERS"), as the nominee for Sierra Pacific, to secure the mortgage loan;
- 2. That on or about July 11, 2009, Bank of America offered Vicenta a Loan Modification Agreement (hereinafter "LMA") which modified and extended the maturity date

of the 2007 DOT from June 1, 2037, to August 1, 2049 and further modified the interest rate applicable to the 2007 DOT by reducing the same from 6.875% to 4.875%;

- 3. That the LMA provided that on September 1, 2014, the interest rate applicable to the 2007 DOT would increase from 4.875% to 5.375%;
- 4. That the LMA capitalized existing arrears of September 1, 2009, and modified the principal balance owed under the 2007 DOT from \$381,150 to \$417,196.58;
- 5. That on July 31, 2009, Vicenta accepted Bank of America's offer to modify the 2007 DOT, and executed the LMA and sent the document to Bank of America;
- 6. That on September 1, 2009, the Lincicomes made a payment of \$2,272.62 to Bank of America upon the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA;
- 7. That on September 1, 2009, Bank of America accepted payment, but was unable to find the modified loan in its system;
- 8. That on October 1, 2009, Bank of America refused payment from the Lincicomes, because it did not have a record that the 2007 DOT had been modified by the LMA;
- 9. That the Lincicomes' requests to make payment on the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA between October 1, 2009 and December 2011, were refused by Bank of America;
- 10. That the Lincicomes filed a petition for Chapter 13 Bankruptcy protection before the United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Nevada, on April 6, 2010, under Case No. 10-51219, and listed Bank of America as a secured creditor;
- 11. That Bank of America did not file a claim or appear in the Lincicomes Chapter13 Bankruptcy case prior to confirmation of the Lincicomes' Chapter 13 Plan;
- 12. That on May 4, 2011, Bank of America recorded a fully executed copy of the July 11, 2009 LMA with the office of the Lyon County Recorder, as Document No. 475808;
- 13. That the Lincicomes were not made aware of the execution and recording of the LMA until 2017;

- 14. That on November 26, 2014, Bank of America appeared in the Lincicomes' Chapter 13 Bankruptcy case and filed a Motion for Relief of Stay seeking relief from the automatic stay, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362;
- 15. That Bank of America's Motion for Relief of Stay did not inform the Lincicomes or the Bankruptcy Court that the LMA had been executed and recorded;
- 16. That on June 15, 2015, the Bankruptcy Court Clerk granted the Lincicomes a discharge of all of their scheduled debts;
- 17. That on August 1, 2015, Bank of America transferred the servicing of the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA to Fay Servicing;
- 18. That all statements provided by Fay Servicing to the Lincicomes between August 10, 2015 and October 10, 2018, do not reflect that the terms of the 2007 DOT had been modified by the LMA.
- 19. All statements between August 10, 2015 and October 10, 2018, reported the principal balance owed, the applicable interest rate, the payment amount, the total arrearage owed, as well as the total number of payments remaining due;
- 20. That on November 10, 2015, Bank of America assigned its interest in the Deed of Trust to PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank");
- 21. That on November 3, 2017, Sables, LLC, as then acting Trustee under the 2007 DOT, recorded its Notice of Breach and Default and of Election to Sell the Real Property under Deed of Trust (hereinafter "NOD") with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 572258;
- 22. That the NOD provides that the "subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 . . . on 5/4/2011;"
- 23. That the NOD provides that all monthly installments from "9/1/2008" forward are due, instead of 9/1/2009 as required by the LMA;
- 24. That the NOD provides that the principal balance owed is \$381,150.00, instead of \$417,196.58 as provided in the LMA;

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- 25. That on October 12, 2018, Defendant Sables, LLC, recorded its Notice of Trustee's Sale with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, providing that the Property would be sold by public auction on November 9, 2018, at 11:00 AM, at the Lyon County Court House on 31 S. Main Street, Yerington, Nevada 89447;
- 26. That under the circumstances the foreclosure of the Lincicome's residence would cause them irreparable injury;
  - 27. The LMA appears to be a valid modification of the 2007 DOT;
- 28. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the total balance owed Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA;
- 29. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the principal obligation owed by Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA;
- 30. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the date through which 2007 DOT as modified under LMA is paid; and
- 31. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the current interest rate effective under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA.

The Court hereby enters the following Conclusions of Law:

- 1. The Homeowners Bill of Rights codified under NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560 is applicable to this foreclosure matter;
- 2. That Plaintiffs established that irreparable injury would result if Defendant Sables, LLC, was permitted to exercise the power of sale and foreclose on the Plaintiffs' real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, Assessor Parcel Number 29-401-17;

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3. That Plaintiffs have established that they will succeed on their claim that Defendants have violated NRS 107.500(1)(b) for failing to provide accurate information required to be provided prior to the initiation of a foreclosure; and

4. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that they were likely to succeed on the merits of their claims pertaining to material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights pursuant to NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560.

THEREFORE, GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court enters the following orders:

- 1. That Sables, LLC, is hereby enjoined from selling at public auction the real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, and identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, until further order of the Court;
- That Plaintiffs shall post bond a bond in the amount of \$172,610.67 by
   December 20, 2018, and shall file with the Court and serve opposing counsel with a Notice of Bond filing;
- 3. That the injunction shall be effective against Defendants so long as bond is posted and Plaintiffs post additional security in the sum of \$2,105.10 on January 20, 2019, and on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each month thereafter with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk's office;
- 4. Plaintiffs shall file a notice of compliance with the requirement to pay additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk and shall contemporaneously serve the same upon Defendants after making payment of additional security as set forth above;
- 5. That failure of Plaintiffs to timely post a bond and provide notice of bond by December 20, 2018, shall relieve Defendants of their duty to comply with this injunction enjoining the sale of 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, until a filing of notice of bond and a notice of compliance of Plaintiffs' satisfaction of the requirement to post additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk in this matter are thereafter served upon Defendants; and

6. That the Court's orders entered in the Court's November 8, 2018 Order and the Court's November 14, 2018 Corrected Order, pertaining to the cancellation of the Notice of Sale, are hereby set aside.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 315th day of December, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

# AFFIRMATION

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Reviewed, approved and submitted this  $\frac{18}{2}$  day of December, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 11212 Millward Law, Ltd.

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Reviewed, approved and submitted this day of December, 2018. Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 13146 Wright, Finlay & Zak 7785 W. Sahara Ave., Sulte 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117 

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**NOTICE OF ENTRY OF ORDER** 

TO ALL PARTIES AND THEIR ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on December 31, 2018, the Court entered the attached *Order*. Dated this  $\frac{4^{16}}{2}$  day of January, 2019

MILLWARD LAW, LTD

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Attorney for Plaintiffs

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to NRCP5(b), I hereby certify that on January  $\frac{4^{th}}{4^{th}}$ , 2019, service of the *Notice of Entry of Order* concerning entry of the *Order* entered on December 31, 2018, was made by depositing a true copy of the same for mailing with the United States Postal Service, addressed to the following:

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  - 27. The LMA appears to be a valid modification of the 2007 DOT;
- 28. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the total balance owed Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA;
- 29. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the principal obligation owed by Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA;
- 30. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the date through which 2007 DOT as modified under LMA is paid; and
- 31. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the current interest rate effective under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA.

The Court hereby enters the following Conclusions of Law:

- The Homeowners Bill of Rights codified under NRS 107.400 through NRS
   107.560 is applicable to this foreclosure matter;
- 2. That Plaintiffs established that irreparable injury would result if Defendant Sables, LLC, was permitted to exercise the power of sale and foreclose on the Plaintiffs' real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, Assessor Parcel Number 29-401-17;

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- 3. That Plaintiffs have established that they will succeed on their claim that Defendants have violated NRS 107.500(1)(b) for failing to provide accurate information required to be provided prior to the initiation of a foreclosure; and
- 4. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that they were likely to succeed on the merits of their claims pertaining to material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights pursuant to NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560.

THEREFORE, GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court enters the following orders:

- 1. That Sables, LLC, is hereby enjoined from selling at public auction the real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, and identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, until further order of the Court;
- 2. That Plaintiffs shall post bond a bond in the amount of \$172,610.67 by December 20, 2018, and shall file with the Court and serve opposing counsel with a Notice of Bond filing;
- 3. That the injunction shall be effective against Defendants so long as bond is posted and Plaintiffs post additional security in the sum of \$2,105.10 on January 20, 2019, and on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each month thereafter with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk's office;
- 4. Plaintiffs shall file a notice of compliance with the requirement to pay additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk and shall contemporaneously serve the same upon Defendants after making payment of additional security as set forth above;
- 5. That failure of Plaintiffs to timely post a bond and provide notice of bond by December 20, 2018, shall relieve Defendants of their duty to comply with this Injunction enjoining the sale of 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, until a filing of notice of bond and a notice of compliance of Plaintiffs' satisfaction of the requirement to post additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk in this matter are thereafter served upon Defendants; and

6. That the Court's orders entered in the Court's November 8, 2018 Order and the Court's November 14, 2018 Corrected Order, pertaining to the cancellation of the Notice of Sale, are hereby set aside.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 3164 day of December, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Reviewed, approved and submitted this  $\frac{18}{2}$  day of December, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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Reviewed, approved and submitted this day of December, 2018. Ramir M. Hernandez, Ésq. Nevada Bar No. 13146 Wright, Finlay & Zak 7785 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117 

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# IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

The undersigned affirms that this document does not contain personal information, pursuant to NRS 603A.040

Case No: 18-CV-01332

Dept.: II

Plaintiffs,

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.

Defendants.

OBJECTION TO DECLARATION OF NON-MONETARY STATUS

COME NOW, Plaintiffs, Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Plaintiffs"), by and through their attorney of record, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and hereby submit their Objection to the *Declaration of Non-Monetary Status* filed herein by Defendant Sables, LLC, on December 24, 2018. Plaintiffs object to the Declaration of Non-Monetary Status upon the following facts and relevant law:

1. On November 7, 2018, Plaintiffs, Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Plaintiffs") filed their *Complaint*, naming Sables, LLC (hereinafter "Sables"), as a Defendant therein, as Trustee of record.

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2. On November 19, 2018, Sables was personally served with a copy of the Summons and Complaint.

- 3. On December 21, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court Clerk took Sables' Default.
- 4. On December 24, 2018, Sables filed its *Declaration of Non-Monetary Status* stating its belief that Sables was named solely in its capacity as Trustee under the Deed of Trust upon which the foreclosure which is the subject of this action, and not a result of any wrongful act or omission. The basis given for such belief was that Sables has no interest in, and was not involved in any way with, the property which is the subject to the action outside it capacity as Trustee under the Deed of Trust.
  - 5. NRS 107.029 states in pertinent part:
    - 1. If the trustee under a deed of trust is named in an action in which the deed of trust is the subject and the trustee has a reasonable belief that he or she has been named in the action solely in his or her capacity as trustee and not as a result of any wrongful act or omission made in the performance of his or her duties as trustee, the trustee may, at any time, file a declaration of nonmonetary status. The declaration must be served on the parties in the manner prescribed by Rule 5 of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure and must include:
    - (a) The status of the trustee as trustee under the deed of trust; and
    - (b) The basis for the trustee's reasonable belief that he or she has been named as a defendant in the action solely in his or her capacity as trustee and not as a result of any wrongful act or omission made in the performance of his or her duties as trustee.

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- 3. Any party that has appeared in an action described in subsection 1 has 15 days after the date of service of the declaration of nonmonetary status to file an objection. Any objection filed pursuant to this subsection must set forth the factual basis on which the objection is based and must be served on the trustee.
- 4. If a timely objection is made pursuant to subsection 3, the court shall promptly examine the declaration of nonmonetary status and the objection and shall issue an order as to the validity

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of the objection. If the court determines the objection is valid, the trustee is required to participate in the action.

- 6. In their Complaint, Plaintiffs allege that Sables materially violated the Homeowners Bill of Rights, codified as NRS 107.400 to NRS 107.560, by causing to be recorded a Notice of Default with an Affidavit that does not comply with NRS 107.0805 in violation of NRS 107.510(1). See Pl. Compl. pp.10-12.
  - 7. NRS 107.560 provides in relevant part as follows:
    - 1. If a trustee's deed upon sale has not been recorded, a borrower may bring an action for injunctive relief to enjoin a material violation of NRS 107.400 to 107.560, inclusive . . .

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6. A court may award a prevailing borrower costs and reasonable attorney's fees in an action brought pursuant to this section.

Therefore, because it is alleged that Sables, as Trustee under the Deed of Trust, violated the Homeowners Bill of Rights pursuant to NRS 107.400-560 and thereon may be liable for monetary damages, non-monetary status should be not given to Sables.

Furthermore, on December 21, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court Clerk took Sables default in this matter and its Declaration of Non-Monetary Status is moot.

Dated this 1th day of January, 2019.

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Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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Attorney for Plaintiffs

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

Pursuant to NRCP5(b), I hereby certify that service of the Objection to Declaration of Non-Monetary Status was made on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of January 2019, by depositing a true copy of the same for mailing with the United States Postal Service, addressed to the following:

SABLES, LLC c/o Shadd A. Wade, Esq. Zieve, Brodnax & Steel 9435 W. Russel Rd., Suite 120 Las Vegas, NV 89148

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ANDREA ANDERSEN DEPUTY

The undersigned affirms that this document does not contain personal information, pursuant to NRS 603A.040

Case No: 18-CV-01332

# IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.

Defendants.

APPLICATION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT

COME NOW, Plaintiffs, Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Plaintiffs"), by and through their attorney of record, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and hereby request that the Court enter Judgment by Default against Defendant SABLES, LLC, pursuant to NRCP 55(b)(2). This Application is further made and based upon the attached Declaration of Michael G. Millward, as well as all papers, pleadings, and documents on file herein.

NRCP 55(b)(2) provides in relevant part that following entry of default by the Clerk, "the party entitled to a judgment by default shall apply to the Court therefor..."

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Pursuant to NRCP 8(d) averments in a complaint are deemed admitted when not denied in a responsive pleading.

Plaintiffs' Summons and Complaint were personally served on SABLES, LLC, on November 19, 2018. Thereafter, upon Plaintiffs' Application for Entry of Default, the Clerk of the Court took SABLES, LLC's, Default on December 21, 2018. Defendant SABLES, LLC, is not an infant, incompetent person or member of the United States armed forces. The Affidavit of Michael G. Millward is attached hereto.

The relief sought in this Motion applicable to SABLES, LLC, is a permanent injunction.

Accordingly, the Court should find that because SABLES, LLC, failed to timely file a responsive pleading in this matter, Plaintiffs Albert Ellis Lincicome and Vicenta Lincicome are entitled to a permanent injunction from the foreclosure sale of their residence nunc pro tunc as of December 21, 2018, the date the Court Clerk took SABLES, LLC's, Default.

Dated this 18 day of January, 2019.

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### **DECLARATION OF MICHAEL G. MILLWARD**

- I, MICHAEL G. MILLWARD, do hereby swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that the following assertions are true:
  - 1. That I am the attorney of record for Plaintiffs herein;
- 2. That Defendant SABLES, LLC, is not an infant, incompetent person or member of the United States armed forces;
- 3. That Plaintiffs' claim against Defendant is for the specific relief of a permanent injunction from foreclosure; and
- 4. The foregoing is made and based upon my own personal knowledge except as to those matters which are based on information and belief, and as to such matters, I believes them to be true. In the event I was called upon to do so, I would and could competently testify as to the foregoing.

Dated this 18th day of January, 2019.

MICHAEL G. MILLWARD

### **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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14	as Legal Title Trustee; BANK OF AMERICA,	
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16	Defendants.	
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18	Its Declaration of Non-Monetary Status ("DNMS"). Sables' DNMS should stand for the	
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19	following reasons:	
20	1. No causes of action are plead against Sables.	
21	Plaintiff's Complaint alleges five causes of action: 1) Injunctive Relief, 2) Breach of	
22	Contract, 3) Breach of Duty of Good Faith and Fair Dealing, 4) Declaratory Relief, and 5)	
23	Special Damages arising under NRS 107.560(6) for Attorney's Fees.	
24	Plaintiff has not plead any viable claim against Sables, nor any claim arising from Sables'	
25	duties as trustee. First, Injunctive relief is a remedy, not a case of action. Accordingly, Sables is	
26	not subject to any liability under cause of action 1.	
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Next, causes of action 2 and 3 are specifically plead against defendant Bank of America, and are time-barred by the applicable statutes of limitations of 6 years for contract actions (NRS 11.190(1)). Accordingly, Sables is not subject to any liability under causes of action 2 and 3.

The fourth cause of action for declaratory relief concerns a dispute about the debt amount between plaintiffs and the lender defendants. As trustee, Sables has no dog in the fight, and does not create, provide, nor store the information concerning the other parties' loan balance. Further, cause of action 4 does not include any request for monetary damages. Accordingly, Sables is not subject to any liability under cause of action 4.

Finally, cause of action 5 is not a cause of action, but a requested remedy of attorney's fees related to alleged violation of NRS 107.560. This statute does not once reference liability of a trustee. It routinely references "mortgage servicer, mortgagee, beneficiary of the deed of trust or an authorized agent," which arguably pertains to the other defendants in this action. "Trustee" is defined in NRS Chapter 107, and is routinely referred to as "trustee" throughout. This lends the inference that the legislature intentionally left "Trustee" out of NRS 107.560, rather than include it by its role as defined by the statute. NRS Chapter 107 provides instances where a trustee may be liable (see NRS 107.028, NRS 107.080).

# 2. The DNMS statute is meant to shield trustees, such as Sables, and Plaintiff has not established grounds for liability of trustee Sables.

In 2015, the legislature passed the DNMS statute, NRS 107.029, to address the exact situation we have here: a dispute between a borrower and lender, where the trustee is named simply due to its role as trustee conducting the foreclosure. The legislature's intent in passing the statute was to shield trustee's from liability and from litigation costs where the trustee has no interest in the property, the loan, or the outcome of the dispute. The trustee is merely an appointed third-party, authorized under the deed of trust contract to conduct a non-judicial foreclosure pursuant to Nevada law.

Plaintiffs' sole assertion as to Sables is that it caused to be recorded an affidavit with the Notice of Default that Plaintiffs allege is not compliant with the statute. However, recording of an affidavit as part of Sables' duties as trustee is exactly what NRS 107.029 encompasses: "the trustee's reasonable belief that he or she has been named as a defendant in the action solely in his

or her capacity as trustee and not as a result of any wrongful act or omission made in the performance of his or her duties as trustee." NRS 107.029(1)(a). Plaintiff does not and cannot allege, nor point to a statute imposing a duty on the trustee to verify the accuracy of the lender's loan information, as that would be impractical. Notably, the affidavit is executed by Fay Servicing, LLC, and is based on review of its business records. Sables does not provide the information in the affidavit, verify it, nor execute it. Sables merely records the affidavit along with the Notice of Default as required by the statute. Recording of a document is merely a ministerial duty of the trustee, and is not a basis for liability.

Accordingly, Sables' DNMS pursuant to NRS 107.029 should stand, and it should not be required to participate in this action.

EXECUTED THIS 24th day of January, 2019

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### **AFFIRMATION**

Pursuant to N.R.S. 239B.030

The undersigned does hereby affirm that the preceding SABLES, LLC's RESPONSE TO OBJECTION TO ITS DECLARATION OF NON-MONETARY STATUS filed in the above-captioned case does not contain the social security number of any person.

DATED this 24 day of January, 2019

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of ZIEVE, BRODNAX &

STEELE, LLP, and that on this <u>Authary</u> day of January, 2019, I did cause a true copy of SABLES, LLC's RESPONSE TO OBJECTION TO ITS DECLARATION OF NON-MONETARY STATUS to be served by depositing a true copy of same in the United States Mail, at Las Vegas, Nevada, addressed as follows:

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Defendant, Sables, LLC (hereinafter "Sables") hereby submits its Motion to Set Aside Default entered on December 21, 2018.

#### MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

#### I. INTRODUCTION

On November 7, 2018, Plaintiffs Albert Lincicome and Vicenta Lincicome (the Lincicomes and their counsel are collectively "Plaintiff") filed a Complaint alleging statutory violations relating to foreclosure of the property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403 (hereinafter "Property"). Sables was served with the Complaint on November 19, 2018. On December 18, 2018, Sables' office received via mail a "Three Day Notice of Intent to Take Default." In order to file its responsive pleading, Sables needed to obtain a check to mail to the

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Court, which it obtained on December 21, 2018. That same day, Sables contacted Plaintiff via telephone and email to indicate it was filing a response and to request no Default be entered. Without any further communication from Plaintiff, Plaintiff entered a Default of Sables on December 21, 2018. That same day, Sables mailed its responsive pleading to this Court, namely a Declaration of Non-Monetary Status ("DNMS"), as Sables is merely the trustee, and no facts plead in the Complaint giving rise to liability apply to Sables, and no causes of action have been plead against Sables. On or about January 15, 2019, Sables received in the mail Plaintiff's "Objection to Non-Monetary Status," wherein Sables first learned that a Default had been entered against it. Upon learning of the Default, counsel for Sables contacted Plaintiff and requested a meet and confer regarding the Default and Objection to DNMS. To date, Sables has not been able to meet and confer with Plaintiff. This Motion follows.

### A. THE DEFAULT SHOULD BE SET ASIDE FOR GOOD CAUSE.

The Default entered on December 21, 2018 should be set aside for good cause shown as provided by Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure Rule 55(c). Specifically, Rule 55(c), "Setting Aside Default," provides, "For good cause shown the court may set aside an entry of default and, if a judgment by default has been entered, may likewise set it aside in accordance with Rule 60." The standard for setting aside a default and default judgment is very similar and both are routinely granted. See, e.g. Howe v. Coldren, 4 Nev. 171; State of Nevada v. Consolidated V. & C. M. Co., 13 Nev. 194; Bowman v. Bowman, 47 Nev. 207, 217 P. 1102; Cicerchia v. Cicerchia, 77 Nev. 158, 360 P.2d 839; Blakeney v. Fremont Hotel, Inc., 77 Nev. 191, 360 P.2d 1039; Anderson v. Havas, 77 Nev. 223, 361 P.2d 536. The basic underlying policy is to have each case decided upon the merits. See Hotel Last Frontier Corp. v. Frontier Properties, Inc., 79 Nev. 150, 155, 380 P.2d 293, 295 (1963).

The phrase "good cause shown" includes mistake, inadvertence, surprise, and excusable neglect. Hotel Last Frontier v. Frontier Properties, 79 Nev. 150, 154, 380 P.2d 293 (1963);

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Injunction is a remedy, not a cause of action.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> See Declaration of Shadd A. Wade, attached hereto as Exhibit 1

Nahas v. Nahas, 59 Nev. 227, 92 P.2d 718 (1939); and Blundin v. Blundin, 38 Nev. 212, 147, p. 1083 (1915). To determine "good cause", a court must "consider three factors: (1) whether [the party seeking to set aside the default engaged in culpable conduct that led to the default; (2) whether [it] had [no] meritorious defense; or (3) whether reopening the default judgment would prejudice" the other party. U.S. v. Signed Personal Check No. 730 of Yubran S. Mesle, 615 F.3d 1085, 1091 (9th Cir. 2010); citing Franchise Holding II v. Huntington Rests, Group, Inc., 375 F.3d 922, 925-26 (9th Cir. 2004). Crucially, "judgment by default is a drastic step appropriate only in extreme circumstances; a case should, whenever possible, be decided on the merits." Falk v. Allen, 739 F.2d 461, 463 (9th Cir. 1984); see also, Latshaw v. Trainer Wortham & Co., Inc., 452 F.3d 1097, 1103 (9th Cir. 2006); Speiser, Krause & Madole P.C. v. Ortiz, 271 F.3d 884, 890 (9th Cir. 2001); TCI Group Life Insurance Plan v. Knoebber, 244 F.3d 691 (9th Cir. 1984).

### 1. Sables' Conduct Was Not Culpable with Regards to the Default.

"[A] Defendant's conduct is culpable if he has received actual or constructive notice of the filing of the action and *intentionally* failed to answer." *TCI Group*, 244 F.3d at 697 (emphasis in original) (quoting *Alan Neuman Productions, Inc. v. Albright*, 862 F.2d 1388, 1392 (9th Cir.1988)); see also *Meadows v. Dominican Republic*, 817 F.2d 517, 521 (9th Cir.1987) (defendant "intentionally declined" service).

The term "intentionally" means that a movant cannot be treated as culpable simply for having made a conscious choice not to answer; rather, to treat a failure to answer as culpable, the movant must have acted with bad faith, such as an "intention to take advantage of the opposing party, interfere with judicial decision-making, or otherwise manipulate the legal process." TCI Group, 244 F.3d at 697. "[D]efendant's conduct was culpable for purposes of the [good cause] factors where there is no explanation of the default inconsistent with a devious, deliberate, willful, or bad faith failure to respond." Id., at 698. "[S]imple carelessness is not sufficient to treat a negligent failure to reply as inexcusable, at least without a demonstration

that other equitable factors, such as prejudice, weigh heavily in favor of denial of the motion to set aside a default." *Id.*, at 696–97; see also *Lemoge v. United States*, 587 F.3d 1188, 1192 (9th Cir. 2009). To infer bad faith, the Courts should look to "intention to take advantage of the opposing party, interfere with judicial decision-making, or otherwise manipulate the legal process." *TCI Group*, 244 F.3d at 697.

Sables can demonstrate good cause of excusable neglect and mistake because it did not intentionally fail to respond to Plaintiff's Complaint. Sables was inquiring with the other defendants regarding defending and indemnifying Sables, as trustee in this dispute between borrowers and their lender. This inquiry, in conjunction with the timing of the response period overlapping with the holidays, caused the delay in responding. Indeed, Sables contacted Plaintiff to indicate it would file a responsive pleading as soon as it received the Three Day Notice. Had Plaintiff contacted counsel for Sables, rather than rushing to enter a Default, this Motion would not have been necessary. Therefore, Sables requests the Court to set aside the Default because its delay is excusable, and it intends to defend against the Complaint without further delay in this case, and has filed its responsive pleading.

### 2. Sables Has A Meritorious Defense.

"A Defendant seeking to vacate a default judgment must present specific facts that would constitute a defense. But the burden on a party seeking to vacate a default judgment is not extraordinarily heavy." TCI Group, 244 F.3d at 700 (citations omitted); See also, Sealed Unit Parts Company, Inc. v. Alpha Gamma Chapter of Gamma Phi Beta Sorority Inc., 99 Nev. 641, 642, 668 P.2d 288, 289 (1983); Jenkins v. Goldwater, 84 Nev. 422, 424, 442 P.2d 897, 899 (1971) (the tendering of a responsive pleading which, if true, would tend to establish such a defense is sufficient to satisfy this requirement). All that is necessary to satisfy the "meritorious defense" requirement is to allege sufficient facts that, if true, would constitute a defense: "the question whether the factual allegation [i]s true" is not to be determined by the court when it decides the motion to set aside the default. TCI Group, 244 F.3d at 700. Rather, that question

"would be the subject of the later litigation." Id.

Sables has demonstrated its intent to respond and plead its meritorious defense, as it did file a responsive pleading on the same day Default was entered, which raises the meritorious defense of non-monetary status due to being a trustee, and not an interested party to this dispute. Therefore, Sables has a meritorious defense and requests the Court set aside the Default and allow Sables to properly defend against Plaintiff's Complaint.

### 3. Plaintiff Will Not Be Prejudiced If the Default Is Set Aside In The Case.

The actions of Sables qualify as "good cause" to set aside the default and the Default Judgment, for the delay in response was based on excusable neglect and Plaintiff will not suffer any additional prejudice if the Court sets aside the Default. As the Court in *U.S. v. Signed Personal Check No. 730 of Yubran S. Mesle*, stated "[s]imple carelessness is not sufficient to treat a negligent failure to reply as inexcusable, at least without a demonstration that other equitable factors, such as prejudice, weigh heavily in favor of denial of the motion to set aside a default." 615 F.3d at 1092-93. "To be prejudicial, the setting aside of a judgment must result in greater harm than simply delaying resolution of the case." *TCI Group*, 244 F.3d at 701.

Here, Plaintiff will not be prejudiced if the Default is set aside, and the Plaintiff would only endure a minimal delay in the resolution of the case if this motion is granted. Nevada has long followed the rule that it is better to determine a matter on the merits than to decide a case on a technical error of the opponent. In the case of *Howe v. Coldren*, 4 Nev. 171, 174 (1868), the Nevada Supreme Court explained the logic behind setting aside a default where good cause is shown. The Court said:

If there is a refusal to set aside a default, a ruinous judgment may be sustained against a party who, upon hearing, might have interposed a perfectly good defense. By sustaining the default, he would forever be debarred the right of a hearing. If, then, a nisi prius court refuses to set aside a default when a party shows with reasonable certainty that he has a good defense, then he has only been guilty of carelessness and inattention to his business, but no willful or fraudulent delay, it would be highly proper even for an appellate Court to come to his relief if the lower Court refused it.

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Sables has demonstrated good cause to set aside the Default. Sables did not intentionally delay in seeking relief from the Default. Sables did at all times intend to defend this action and a final adjudication of the Complaint has not been entered by the Court. This matter should be heard on the merits, for Sables denies any and all liability and intends to defend against this action without further delay in the case. Finally, this case is in its early stages and no party involved in litigation will be prejudiced by allowing Sables to enter into this case and to defend its position on the merits. Therefore, Sables' Motion to Set Aside Default should be granted.

#### CONCLUSION

Based upon the foregoing, Sables respectfully requests that the Court enter an Order setting aside the Clerk's Entry of Default against Sables because there was excusable neglect and Sables has meritorious defenses. Sables has already filed a responsive pleading, and asks this Court to accept the DNMS as Sables' response to the Complaint.

DATED this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January, 2019

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### **AFFIRMATION**

Pursuant to N.R.S. 239B.030

The undersigned does hereby affirm that the preceding SABLES, LLC's MOTION TO SET ASIDE DEFAULT filed in the above-captioned case does not contain the social security number of any person.

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of ZIEVE, BRODNAX & STEELE, LLP, and that on this 24th day of January, 2019, I did cause a true copy of SABLES, LLC's MOTION TO SET ASIDE DEFAULT to be served by depositing a true copy of same in the United States Mail, at Las Vegas, Nevada, addressed as follows: Millward Law, LTD Michael G. Millward, Esq. 1591 Mono Ave Minden, NV 89423 Attorney for Plaintiff An Émployee of ZIEVE, BRODNAX & STEELE, LLP Page 8 of 8

### **EXHIBIT 1**

### **DECLARATION OF SHADD A. WADE**

- I, Shadd A. Wade, do hereby swear under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Nevada that the following assertions are true to the best of my knowledge and belief:
- 1. Declarant is the attorney of record for Sables, LLC. I am employed by Zieve Brodnax & Steele, LLP.
- 2. If called as a witness in this action, I am competent to testify of my own personal knowledge, to the best of my recollection, as to the matters set forth in this declaration.
- 3. On December 18, 2018, Sables' office received via mail Plaintiffs' "Three Day Notice of Intent to Take Default."
- 4. In order to file its responsive pleading, Sables needed to obtain a check to mail to the Court, which obtained on December 21, 2018.
- 5. That same day, Sables contacted Plaintiff via telephone and email to indicate it was filing a response and to request no Default be entered.
- 6. On January 15, 2019, Sables received Plaintiffs' "Objection to Declaration of Non-Monetary Status," wherein it first learned that a default had been entered against.

7. Upon learning of the default, I immediately contacted Plaintiffs' counsel and requested to meet and confer regarding setting aside the default, and the role of a trustee in foreclosure.

8. Despite numerous attempts, I have not yet been able to speak with Plaintiffs' counsel due to his unavailability.

9. Sables did not delay its response to the Complaint for any improper purpose or delay, and no prejudice has been alleged by the delay.

10. Accordingly, I request the default of Sables be set aside to allow Sables' responsive pleading to be considered by the Court.

DATED this 24th day of January, 2019.

By: Shadd A. Wade

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This Response is based on the papers and pleadings on file, the following Memorandum of Points and Authorities, any judicially noticed facts or documents, and any oral argument

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Sables, LLC (the "Application").

presented at hearing.1

### **MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES**

### I. INTRODUCTION

The Application is frivolous and an attempt to circumvent prior Court orders. This Court allowed U.S. Bank and Fay to proceed with the foreclosure sale when Plaintiffs failed to post the required bond Ordered by this Court, but now Plaintiffs seek to unwind the foreclosure sale that took place on January 4, 2019 only because Sables, the foreclosure trustee, filed a Notice of Non-monetary Judgment instead of an answer. Quite frankly, this is not how the law operates. A default judgment cannot be made retroactive when it affects a non-defaulting party's rights from a previous order. Nor can a party's rights in the litigation be circumscribed because of another party's default. On top of that, Sables is participating in this case and filed a Notice of Non-Monetary Status, which by operation tolls the time it has to file a response to the Complaint. Plaintiffs present the Application for an improper purpose, and this Court should deny the requested relief in its entirety.

### II. STATEMENT OF FACTS

- 1. On November 7, 2018, Plaintiffs filed a Complaint for injunctive relief, contractual claims, and declaratory relief regarding the Property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403 (the "Property").
- 2. On the same day, Plaintiffs filed an Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction.
- 3. On December 31, 2018, the Court entered an Order from a hearing held on November 20, 2018, enjoining the foreclosure on the subject property of the litigation for 30 days pending Plaintiffs posting of a bond by December 20, 2018. Plaintiffs failed to post the bond and the property lawfully went to foreclosure sale on or about January 4, 2019.
  - 4. Sables, LLC ("Sables") is the foreclosure Trustee that took the Property to sale.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The U.S. Bank Trust and Fay reserve all rights for sanctions under NRCP 11 and have sent Plaintiff's counsel a safe harbor letter requesting that he withdraw the Application. If he does not, the U.S. Bank and Fay will file a separate Motion for Rule 11 sanctions.

- 5. On or about December 18, 2018, Sables filed a Declaration of Non-Monetary Status pursuant to NRS 107.029 where it disclaimed any interest in the lawsuit based on its capacity as the trustee to the foreclosure sale.
- 6. On or about December 19, 2018, Plaintiffs filed an Application for Entry of Default against Sables even though Sables had appeared in the litigation and filed a Declaration of Non-Monetary status pursuant to NRS 107.029.
- 7. On or about January 7, 2019, Plaintiffs filed an Objection to Sables' Declaration of Non-Monetary Status and whereby they claimed Sables violated the Homeowners Bill of Rights by recording a Notice of Default that did not comply with NRS 107.400 to NRS 107.560 and that the Declaration was moot because of the Default Plaintiffs entered against Sables on December 21, 2018.
- 8. On or about January 18, 2019, Plaintiffs, despite the Court's prior Order, filed an Application for Entry of Default Judgment whereby they requested a permanent injunction nunc pro tunc against Sables from conducting the foreclosure sale. Thus, in essence, the Plaintiffs attempt to retroactively invalidate the foreclosure sale without posting a bond, as required by this Court, and despite Sables filing its Declaration of Non-Monetary Status.
- 9. On or about January 24, 2019, Sables filed a response to the Objection of Declaration of non-monetary status.
  - 10. On or about January 24, 2019, Sables also filed its Motion to Set Aside Default.

#### III. LEGAL STANDARD

Nevada has long espoused the rule that it is better to determine a matter on the merits than to decide a case on a technical error of the opponent. In the case of *Howe v. Coldren*, the Nevada Supreme Court explained the logic behind setting aside a default where good cause is shown and when the result may be ruinous to a party and there is no willful or fraudulent delay:

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#### IV. LEGAL ARGUMENT

A. The Court should not enter the default judgment because Sables has appeared in this case and the case should be heard on the merits.

As noted in the case law cited above, cases in Nevada are to be decided on the merits, not procedural gamesmanship. In this instance, Sables has both appeared in this matter, has filed a Declaration of non-monetary status, and has filed a motion to set aside the default. NRCP 55(c) provides that the Court may for good cause set aside a default. The standard for setting aside a default is much lower than the standard of setting aside a default judgment.<sup>5</sup> As such, there is no reason for this Court to grant to enter a default judgment and especially one that is *nunc pro tunc* because Sables has appeared, is participating in this case, and is seeking to set aside the default. It is obvious that the Plaintiffs' reason for seeking such default relief in a

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quick fashion is to retroactively annul the foreclosure sale that took place on January 4, 2019. As will be detailed below, this is an improper use of default judgments and constitutes an abuse of process. Nevada public policy is clear: cases are to be decided on the merits, not through legal trickery. Here, all the elements are in place to set aside the default, and this Court should not enter a default judgment.

- B. This Court should deny Plaintiffs' procedurally improper request for entry of a retroactive default judgment against Sables.
  - 1. There is no legal mechanism for entering a nunc pro tunc default order.

Plaintiffs are requesting that this Court enter a retroactive default in order to set void the foreclosure sale that took place on January 4. In so doing, Plaintiffs are asking for equitable relief similar to setting aside the automatic stay. However, Plaintiffs have provided no legal authority that this Court has the authority to enter a default nunc pro tunc. As a matter of fact, in Finley v. Finley, the Nevada Supreme Court held that even though a court may enter an order nunc pro tunc, "the court would not have power to modify its decree so as to affect the substantial rights of the parties as they existed under the original order and make such an entry nunc pro tunc." Based on this prohibition, Plaintiff request for a nunc pro tunc order should be denied because it would substantially, and retroactively, affect the U.S. Bank's Trust to foreclose on the Property at the time the foreclosure sale took place. That is not the purpose of a nunc pro tunc order. Indeed, "the object and purpose of a nunc pro tunc order is to make a record speak the truth concerning acts already done." Entering the order Plaintiffs seek would do the exact opposite because it would make a prior truth, the Court's allowing the foreclosure sale to move forward, untrue. As such, a nunc pro tunc order is an impossibility in this instance, and this Court should deny the Application in its entirety.

2. The defaulting actions of Sables cannot be imputed on the U.S. Bank Trust or Fay.

 <sup>6 65</sup> Nev. 113, 120, 189 P.2d 334, 337, opinion supplemented on denial of reh'g, 65 Nev. 113, 196 P.2d 766 (1948), and overruled in part by Day v. Day, 80 Nev. 386, 395 P.2d 321 (1964).
 7 Talbot v. Mack, 41 Nev. 245, 169 P. 25, 27 (1917).

In *Doyle v. Jorgensen*, the Nevada Supreme Court has held that that the default of one party cannot be held against another party who has acted in good faith and behaved properly in the litigation. Here, Plaintiffs are seeking to prejudice the U.S. Bank's Trust right to foreclose based on the actions that the Trustee took on its behalf. That simply is not how the law works. As noted in *Doyle*, a default only applies to the affected parties and does not have a spillover effect to other parties in the case. Both the U.S. Bank Trust and Fay have appeared and participated in this litigation. They have also litigated the issue of whether they can proceed with the foreclosure. As a result, it would be wholly improper and highly prejudicial to impute the actions of Sables on them, especially when Plaintiffs can still seek the same remedy, voiding the foreclosure sale, if it were to obtain judgment against both the U.S. Bank Trust and Fay. Based on this factor alone, the Court should deny the request for entry of default judgment.

3. Sables cannot be defaulted, let alone have a judgment against it entered, until the Court rules on the Objection to its Declaration of Non-Monetary Status.

NRS 107.029(1) allows a trustee to a deed of trust to claim non-monetary status and thus shield itself from liability in an action involving a foreclosure sale of the deed of trust. Moreover, section 2 of the same statute provides tolling provisions once the declaration is filed: "[u]pon the filing of a declaration of nonmonetary status pursuant to subsection 1, the time in which the trustee is required to file an answer or any other responsive pleading is tolled until notice is given of an order granting an objection to the declaration of nonmonetary status, from which date the trustee has 30 days to file an answer or any other responsive pleading to the complaint."

In this instance, Sables filed a Declaration of Non-Monetary Status to which Plaintiffs filed an Objection. To date, the Court has not ruled on the Objection. As such, Sables is currently under no obligation to file an Answer or otherwise responsive pleading. And NRCP 55(a) only allows for entry of default when a party fails to plead or otherwise defend itself pursuant to the rules. Thus, there is no mechanism for an entry of default, let alone a default

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> See, Doyle v. Jorgensen, 82 Nev. 196, 203, 414 P.2d 707, 711 (1966), overruled on other grounds by Gassett v. Snappy Car Rental, 111 Nev. 1416, 906 P.2d 258 (1995).

judgement, against Sables. As a result, the Court should deny the Application.

4. This court already ruled on the validity of the foreclosure sale at the preliminary injunction hearing and Plaintiffs did not seek any relief to that judgment.

Even more problematic is that this Court has already ruled that the sale could move forward in its Order Granting Preliminary Injunction. Specifically, the Order states the injunction is effective provided Plaintiffs post the required bond by December 20, 2018. That date passed with no bond posted. As such, the U.S. Bank was allowed to proceed with the foreclosure sale through its Trustee, Sables. In Nevada, an order of the court is enforceable unless relief is sought under NRCP 59 or 60. Alternatively, Plaintiffs could have sought relief by filing a Writ of Mandamus through to the Supreme Court. Plaintiff did none of these. Instead, they seek relief through a proverbial back-door method that is not proper. Ultimately, Plaintiffs' Default is nothing more than a last-ditch attempt to unwind the foreclosure sale. This is yet another reason the Court should deny the Application.

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<sup>9</sup> See generally, Bonnell v. Lawrence, 128 Nev. 394, 398, 282 P.3d 712, 714 (2012)(provides for mechanism to obtain relief from judgment.).

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>10</sup> See, Smith v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court In & For Cty. of Clark, 107 Nev. 674, 677, 818 P.2d 849, 851 (1991) ("Mandamus is a proper remedy to compel performance of a judicial act when there is no plain, speedy, and adequate remedy at law in order to compel the performance of an act which the law requires as a duty resulting from office.").

#### V. <u>CONCLUSION</u>

Plaintiffs Application for Entry of Default Judgment against Sables is improper for a myriad of reasons and would be highly prejudicial to the U.S. Bank Trust and Fay. The Application has no basis in law and is solely being sought to frustrate this Court's prior orders. This Court should deny the Application in its entirety.

DATED this 7th day of February, 2018.

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Defendants.

**OPPOSITION TO DEFENDANT** SABLES, LLC'S MOTION TO SET **ASIDE DEFAULT** 

COME NOW, Plaintiffs, Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Plaintiffs"), by and through their attorney of record, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and hereby submit their Opposition to Sables, LLC's Motion to Set Aside Default served upon Plaintiffs by mail on January 24, 2019. This Opposition is supported by the Memorandum of Points and Authorities set forth below, and the pleadings and papers on file.

Dated this 8th day of February, 2019.

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#### **MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES**

#### I. INTRODUCTION

SABLES, LLC (hereinafter "Sables"), seeks to set aside the Clerk's Default entered against Sables in this matter on December 21, 2018, upon the ground that "good cause exists." Sables, however, does not provide any good cause. Sables does not establish that its failure to timely file a responsive pleading within 20 days of service of the Complaint was because of "mistake, inadvertence, surprise, or excusable neglect."

Sables alleges that excusable neglect prevented the filing from being timely made, but then it fails to provide any factual information excusing its neglect. Sables does not provide any meritorious defense to Plaintiffs' factual allegations, but rather insists that it is a noninterested party. Sables argues that Plaintiffs will bear no prejudice if the default is set aside, even though it chose not to participate in the action and then foreclosed upon Plaintiffs' home in violation of the Court's December 31, 2018 Order.

Because Sables has violated this Court's Order as well as failed to timely appear, Plaintiffs would be prejudiced if the Court chose to set aside the Default in this matter and condone Sables' inexcusable behavior.

Therefore, Plaintiffs respectfully request this Court deny Sables' *Motion to Set Aside*Default, and enter Judgment in favor of Plaintiffs.

#### II. FACTUAL BACKGROUND

On November 7, 2018, Plaintiffs filed a *Complaint for Declaratory Relief* (hereinafter "Complaint") and an *Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction* before the Third Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, as Case No. 18-CV-01332.

On November 7, 2018, a *Notice of Lis Pendens* was filed in the Third Judicial District Court Case No. 18-CV-01332 against 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada (hereinafter the "Premises") and was recorded on November 8, 2018, with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 588549.

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On November 8, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered an *Order* providing "[t]hat Sables, LLC, is hereby restrained and temporarily enjoined from selling at public auction the real property identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, at public auction until further order of the Court."

On November 8, 2018, a *Notice of Entry of Order* concerning entry of the Court's November 8, 2018 *Order* was served on all interested parties by mail.

On November 14, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered a *Corrected Order* which also restrained and enjoined Sables from selling the Premises.

On November 19, 2018, Sables' counsel, Shadd Wade, was served with the *Summons* and Complaint. See the *Affidavit of Personal Service* on page three of the *Summons* filed on December 11, 2018, and attached hereto as **Exhibit 1**.

On November 20, 2018, a *Notice of Entry of Order* concerning entry of the Court's November 14, 2018 *Corrected Order* was served on all interested parties.

On November 20, 2018, the Court held a hearing on Plaintiffs' Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction (hereinafter "TRO Application").

On December 9, 2018, Sables' responsive pleading to the Complaint became due.

On December 13, 2018, Plaintiffs served their *Three Day Notice of Intent to Take Default* (hereinafter "Three Day Notice"), and thereafter filed the same on December 14, 2018.

On December 21, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court took Sables' default.

On December 31, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered its *Order* providing, "[t]hat Sables, LLC, is hereby enjoined from selling at public auction the real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, and identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, until further order of the Court." A copy of the December 31, 2018 *Order* is attached as **Exhibit 2.** 

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On January 4, 2019, a *Notice of Entry of Order* concerning entry of the Court's December 31, 2018 *Order* was served on all interested parties.

On January 4, 2019, Sables, sold the Premises at foreclosure to buyer Breckenridge Property Fund 2016, LLC, a Utah limited liability company.

#### **II. LEGAL AUTHORITIES**

Pursuant to NRCP 12(a)(1), a defendant must serve its answer or responsive pleading within 20 days after being served with the summons and complaint.

Where a defendant has failed to "appear and defend" . . . [its] failure to do so will result in a judgment by default against the defendant for the relief demanded in the complaint." NRCP 4(b).

NRCP 55(a) permits the Court Clerk to enter a default against the defendant where it appears that the defendant has failed to timely appear and defend the matter.

NRCP 55(b)(2) permits a court to take a default judgment upon three days' notice if the party has previously appeared.

NRCP 55(c) provides that a court may, in its discretion, set aside a default "for good cause shown." The concept of good cause requires a showing of some excuse for failure to answer or defend. *Tahoe Village Realty v. Desmet*, 95 Nev. 131, 133-34 (1979) (overturned on other grounds).

NRCP 60(b) allows for a Clerk's Default to be set aside where there exists a mistake, inadvertence, surprise, or excusable neglect. *Intermountain Lumber & Builders Supply. Inc.* v. Glen Falls Ins. Co., 83 Nev. 126, 129- 30, 424 P.2d 884 (1967).

Inexcusable neglect does not constitute good cause, and is an insufficient ground to set aside a default. *Id.* 

#### **III. ARGUMENT**

#### I. No "Good Cause" Exists Supporting the Set Aside of Sables' Default

Sables seeks to set aside the Clerk's Default upon an argument that it has "good cause" exists for its failure to file its pleading timely.

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Sables supports its argument by citing to *US. v. Signed Personal Check No. 730 of Yubran S. Mesle*, 615 F.3d 1085, 1091 (9th Cir. 2010), and *Franchise Holding II v. Huntington Rests, Group, Inc.*, 375 F.3d 922, 925-26 (9th Cir. 2004).

In the case *US v. Signed Personal Check No. 730 of Yubran S. Mesle*, the Ninth Circuit Federal Court of Appeals declared that in determining whether "good cause" exists a Court must consider the following: (1) whether the defendant "engage in culpable conduct that led to the default"; (2) whether defendant has no "meritorious defense"; and (3) whether reopening the matter would "prejudice the other party." *Id.* 

Notably, the standard is "disjunctive" meaning that if the Court finds that "any one of these factors is true, [it] is sufficient reason for the district court to refuse to set aside the default." See id.

All three factors are true and support the denial of Sables' Motion.

#### 1. Sables is Culpable When No Cause is Given

Under the "culpability" factor, Sables argues that it "can demonstrate good cause of excusable neglect and mistake because it did not intentionally fail to respond . . ." Def. Mot. p.4.

However, Sables provides no information (that is supported by affidavit or other evidence) that explains why it failed to file a responsive pleading within 20 days.<sup>1</sup> The only information provided pertains to why it did not respond after December 18, 2018. Sables' deadline for filing a responsive pleading was due on December 9, 2018. Ex.1.

The Affidavit of Shadd Wade informs the Court that he received the Three Day Notice on December 18, 2018, which was nine days after Sables' deadline to have filed a responsive pleading. Def. Mot. Ex. 1. Mr. Wade asserts that he could not file a "responsive pleading [after December 18, but before December 21] . . . [because] Sables needed to obtain a check to mail to the Court..." *Id.* However, no explanation is given for why Mr. Wade as

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> DCR requires that factual contentions presented by motion shall be heard upon affidavits. Mr. Wade's Affidavit does not attest to any facts that predate December 18, 2018.



counsel did not file on behalf of Sables within 20 days after he was personally served with the Complaint.

It is important to note that Sables was not entitled to the Three Day Notice because it had not appeared in the matter, and was not entitled to three days' notice pursuant to NRCP 55(b). See NRCP 55(b). Consequently, "good cause" cannot exist solely because Plaintiffs' counsel gave notice when not otherwise required to do so. Had the three day notice not been given, Sables would have defaulted and the factual argument that Sables relies upon would be irrelevant.

Sables' "good cause" is not an explanation as to why it had failed to file its responsive pleading by December 9, 2018. The clock had already struck midnight as of December 10, 2018, long before Sables' factual argument for "good cause" arose. Thus, Sables explanation is not "good cause" at all. Otherwise, no cause would be "good cause."

Therefore, under the first factor, the Court should find that it has no other alternative but to find that Sables was "culpable" of failing to file its responsive pleading by December 9, 2018. Sables' statement as to why it did not file after the Three Day Notice does not establish "good cause" as to why it missed its 20 day window to file in the first place.

#### 2. Sables Does not have a Meritorious Defense

Sables does not offer a factual defense to Plaintiffs' allegations and claims. The allegations establishing liability against Sables for violations of provisions of NRS 107 and the Homeowners Bill of Rights therein, are a matter of public record and are set forth in Plaintiffs' Complaint and TRO Application which were filed on November 7, 2018.

The Notice of Default (hereinafter "NOD") recorded October 31, 2017, as Document No. 0572258, was improperly recorded by Sables because it contains false information. A copy of the Notice of Default recorded November 3, 2017, as Document No. 0572258 is attached hereto as **Exhibit 3.** The NOD does not reflect any of the terms of the Loan Modification Agreement which Sables acknowledges in the NOD was recorded as Document No. 475808 on May 4, 2011. A copy of the Loan Modification Agreement is attached hereto as **Exhibit 4.** 

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Furthermore, as Trustee, Sables failed to "act impartially and in good faith with respect to the deed of trust" and act in accordance with the laws of Nevada as required by NRS 107.028 by failing to correct the NOD within 20 days of learning of errors pertaining to the terms of the same. NRS 107.23(7).

The errors pertaining to the NOD were pointed out to Sables in Plaintiffs' Complaint, and TRO Application and Sables did nothing to correct the recorded documents within the 20 day time frame for it to avoid liability.

Sables also recorded its Notice of Trustee's Sale on October 12, 2018, as Document No. 587470, and proceeded to give notice of the sale as if it had authority under NRS 107. However, the beneficiary was not entitled to have Sables foreclose on Plaintiffs' interests in the real property because all evidence provided by the beneficiary to Sables established that Sables and all prior interest holders had not adopted the terms of the 2011 Loan Modification Agreement, and that all interest holders were in breach of that agreement.

Sables makes no argument as to the merits of Plaintiffs' Complaint and its liability thereunder. Instead, Sables asserts it is "not an interested party" and that "nonmonetary status" should apply. Def. Mot. p.4.

Sables' defense is an inaccurate recitation of NRS 107.029, which is only applicable where "the trustee has a reasonable belief that he or she has been named in the action solely in his or her capacity as trustee and not as a result of any wrongful act or omission made in the performance of his or her duties as trustee." NRS 107.029(1).

Based upon Plaintiffs' Complaint and TRO Application, no such reasonable belief The Complaint and TRO Application clearly identify errors and should have existed. corrections that would establish liability in Sables under NRS 107.023.

Furthermore, the Court found in its December 31, 2018 Order that Sables has not "accurately reported the total balance owed . . . [,] the principal obligation . . . [,] the date through which the [loan] . . . is paid owed . . . [, or] the correct interest rate effective under the [loan] . . . Id.

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Sables' claim of being a noninterested party is insufficient and not a meritorious defense and not supported by any factual assertion justifying or excusing its improper and uncorrected recordings of the NOD and Notice of Sale.

Therefore, Sables has failed to establish that it has a meritorious defense to the claims made in the Complaint.

#### 3. Plaintiffs Would Be Prejudiced if the Default is Set Aside

Beyond Sables' lack of meritorious defense, Sables has not participated in this matter. Sables' choice to avoid participation would negatively prejudice Plaintiffs' especially where the Court has made findings of facts pertaining to Sables' actions as Trustee in recording of overtly incorrect information in documents. See Ct. Ord. dt. 12/31/18.

Furthermore, the Court's December 31, 2018 Order provided that "Sables, LLC, is hereby enjoined from selling at public auction the real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, ... until further order of the Court." Ct. Ord. dt. 12/31/19.

However, Sables violated the Court's Order by proceeding to foreclose on Plaintiffs' home on January 4, 2019, without first obtaining an order from the Court. Sables' violation of NRS 107 and the facts supporting liability thereunder should not now be at issue given the Court's findings by way of a set aside of the default. See Ct. Ord. dt. 12/31/19. Plaintiffs would be prejudiced if Sables is given the opportunity to re-litigate issues for which the Court has already made findings when Sables chose not to participate or comply with the Court's Order.

Under the factors set forth in US v. Signed Personal Check No. 730 of Yubran S. Mesle, the Court should find that Sables has failed to establish that "good cause" exists. Sables has given the Court no reason to believe it is not culpable for its failure to plead timely, nor has it given any facts or other basis for the Court to find that Sables has a meritorious defense specific to Plaintiffs' allegations.

Lastly, because Sables has heretofore failed to participate in this matter, going so far as to violate this Court's December 31, 2018 Order, setting aside the default would cause



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prejudice to Plaintiffs when Plaintiffs were entitled to the relief sought against Sables as of the day its default was taken and when Sables' actions have jeopardized Plaintiffs' home.

#### B. Nevada Case Law Supports a Finding of Inexcusable Neglect

The cases heard by the Nevada Supreme Court reviewing the issues at hand are few and far between. However, as demonstrated below, Nevada Case law would easily justify a finding of inexcusable neglect.

In the case of *Tahoe Village Realty v. Desmet*, 95 Nev. 131, the Nevada Supreme Court reviewed a district court's refusal to set aside a default even though Appellants had mistakenly believed that a responsive pleading had been filed. *Id.* 

The Nevada Supreme Court held that the district court's refusal was not an abuse of discretion because the appellants showing did not "establish that the failure to file an answer resulted from mistake, inadvertence, surprise or excusable neglect on the part of counsel. . . [but] may suggest neglect . . ." *Id.* at 134.

In so holding, the Nevada Supreme Court quoted the case *Guardia v. Guardia*, 48 Nev. 230, 233-34, 229 P. 386, 387 (1924) in stating that "[i]t is a general rule that the negligence of an attorney is imputable to his client, and that the latter cannot be relieved from a judgment taken." *Id*.

In the case *Intermountain Lumber & Builders Supply. Inc. v. Glen Falls Ins. Co.* 83 Nev. 126, the Nevada Supreme Court reviewed a district court's refusal to set aside a clerk's default taken on the failure of Appellant's counsel to timely respond to a counterclaim. *Id.* at 128-29. Appellant's counsel's affidavit alleged that he had dictated a reply, but that his secretarial staff had failed to transcribe the reply. *Id.* at 130. The Supreme Court found that Appellant's counsel's "showing does not necessarily establish mistake, surprise or inadvertence. . . [but] does suggest neglect." *Id.* 

The Nevada Supreme Court held it was not an abuse of discretion for the district court to conclude that counsel's failure to timely file was inexcusable neglect outside the broad scope of 'good cause.' *Id.* In so holding, the Supreme Court stated that it will not overrule

the district court's discretion, even though it is the preference of the Court that matters be heard upon the merits. *Id.* 

Here, Sables' counsel received the Summons and Complaint on November 19, 2018, yet provides this Court no explanation why 32 days instead of 20 were needed to file a responsive pleading in this case. The above cases are not cited to establish any liability in Sables' counsel as to the default taken in this matter, but rather to show the circumstances where the Nevada Supreme Court has upheld determinations by district courts in the past.

However, on that point, in the context of duty and liability, the calculation for timely filing of a responsive pleading should always be approached with caution and diligence by counsel. For example, failing to adequately supervise and review the work of secretarial staff resulting in a default taken by the Court can lead to sanctions for violating an attorney's duty to "act with reasonable diligence and promptness" as required by Rule 1.3 of the Rules of Professional Conduct. See e.g. People v. Milner 35 P.3d 670, 678 (Colo. 2001) (sanctions issued against attorney under RPC 1.3 for failing to supervise non-lawyer staff in regard to failure to timely file an answer).

Thus, if counsel for Sables were to argue that the Court should set aside the default upon grounds that would constitute an ethics violation, good cause should not be found to exist. Otherwise, the Court would be condoning ethics violations in the name of "excusable neglect."

Therefore, the Court should find that Sables' conduct, without more explanation and evidence, is inexcusable and supports the Court's denial of Defendant's Motion.

#### B. Award of Attorney's Fees is Appropriate if Default is Set Aside.

It is well settled that in the exercise of its discretion, a trial court setting aside a default may impose as a condition the requirement that the defaulting party shall pay costs and attorney's fees to the opposing party. *Nilson. Robbins. Dalgarn, Berliner, Carson & Wurst v. Louisiana Hydrolec,* 858 F.2d 1538, 1546 (9th Cir.1988) (*upholding condition requiring payment of attorneys' fees for setting aside default*); see also Tupper v. Kroc, 88



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Nev. 483, 500 P.2d 5714 (1972)(upholding condition in order granting motion to set aside judgment).

By conditioning the setting aside of a default in this way, "any prejudice suffered by the non-defaulting party as a result of the default and the subsequent reopening of the litigation can be rectified." *Louisiana Hydrolec*, 858 F.2d at 1546 (*citing* 10 C. Wright, A. Miller & M. Kane, Federal Practice & Procedure§ 2700, p. 583 (1983)).

Here, Plaintiffs are prejudiced if Defendant is not ordered to pay Plaintiffs' attorney's fees and costs as a condition of setting aside Defendant's default. Plaintiffs' counsel correctly and timely prepared the default, began preparation for submission of a default judgment, and has had to oppose Defendant's instant Motion. Attorney's fees and costs have been incurred by Plaintiffs for which equity under the circumstances demands payment.

Therefore, Plaintiffs respectfully request that if this Court is so inclined to set aside Sables' Default, that the Court require Sables to pay the reasonable attorney's fees and expenses pertaining the preparation of the Default, Application for Default Judgment and this Opposition.

#### IV. CONCLUSION

For the reasons and argument set forth above, Plaintiff respectfully request that the Court deny Sables' Motion to Set Aside Default.

#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Dated this 8 day of February, 2019

MILLWARD LAW, LTD.

Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

Pursuant to NRCP5(b), I hereby certify that service of the Opposition to Defendant Sables, LLC's, Motion to Set Aside Default was made on the the day of February 2019, by depositing a true copy of the same for mailing with the United States Postal Service, addressed to the following:

SABLES, LLC c/o Shadd A. Wade, Esq. Zieve, Brodnax & Steel 9435 W. Russel Rd., Suite 120 Las Vegas, NV 89148

**US BANK** PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq. Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP 7785 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117

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### IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

\* \* \* \*

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

v.

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.)

Defendants.

**SUMMONS** 

NOTICE! YOU HAVE BEEN SUED. THE COURT MAY DECIDE AGAINST YOU WITHOUT YOUR BEING HEARD UNLESS YOU RESPOND WITHIN 20 DAYS. READ THE INFORMATION BELOW.

**TO THE DEFENDANTS**: A civil Complaint has been filed by the Plaintiffs against you for the relief set forth in the Complaint.

- 1. If you wish to defend this lawsuit, you must, within 20 days after this Summons is served on you, exclusive of the day of service, do the following:
  - a. File with the Clerk of this Court, whose address is shown below, a formal written response to the Complaint in accordance with the rules of the Court; and

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b. Serve a copy of your response upon the attorney whose name and address is shown below.

2. Unless you respond, your default will be entered upon application of the plaintiffs, and this Court may enter a judgment against you for the relief demanded in the Complaint\*, which could result in the taking of money or property or the relief requested in the Complaint.

3. If you wish to seek the advice of an attorney in this matter, you should do so promptly so that your response may be filed on time.

Tanya Sceirine CLERK OF THE COURT

By: Victoria Tovar 11/8/18

Lyon County District Court 911 Harvey Way

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Issued at direction of:

Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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Attorney for Plaintiffs

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1. That I am not a party to this action and I am over 18 years of age;

2. That I personally served a copy of the Summons and Complaint, and the following

documents:

Upon DEFENDANT Sables LLC C/o Registered Agent Sha at the following location: 9435 W. Russell RD #100

Las Vegas NV 89148

on the 19 day of November, 2018.

Signature:

Print Name: Andy Palatto

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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

**ORDER** 

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.)

Defendants.

THIS MATTER comes before the Court upon the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction (hereinafter "Application") filed on November 7, 2018, by Plaintiffs Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Lincicomes"), thereby seeking a restraining order, preliminary injunction and permanent injunction upon the sale of the Lincicomes' residence by Sables, LLC, at public auction.

On November 8, 2018, the Court entered an Order temporarily enjoining and restraining Sables, LLC, from conducting a trustee's sale of the Lincicomes' residence, and set a hearing upon the application to occur on November 20, 2018.

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On November 14, 2018, Defendants Prof-2013 M4-Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank") and Fay Servicing, LLC (hereinafter "Fay Servicing"), filed their Response to Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction (hereinafter "Response"). Defendants argued in their Response that Plaintiff's arguments lack merit because Plaintiffs had previously consented to foreclosure, and because violations of the applicable Homeowners Bill of Rights statute are not material.

On November 20, 2018, the Court held a hearing on the Application and Response. The Lincicomes attended with their attorney, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and US Bank and Fay Servicing appeared through their counsel Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq., of Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP. As well, Defendant Bank of America, N.A., (hereinafter "Bank of America") appeared telephonically through its counsel Scott Lachman, Esq., of Akerman, LLP.

Counsel at the hearing stipulated to the admission of the evidence presented in the Application and Response previously filed before the Court as well as documents presented at the hearing on behalf of the Lincicomes. Additionally, Counsel stipulated that the Lincicomes' respective Affidavits filed with the Application be considered as evidence by the Court as testimony.

The Court having considered the documentary evidence, testimony and arguments presented hereby makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT:

- 1. That on May 23, 2007, in connection with the purchase of the residence located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403, Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Vicenta") executed a Promissory Note in favor of Sierra Pacific, and also a Deed of Trust (hereinafter "2007 DOT") in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "MERS"), as the nominee for Sierra Pacific, to secure the mortgage loan;
- 2. That on or about July 11, 2009, Bank of America offered Vicenta a Loan Modification Agreement (hereinafter "LMA") which modified and extended the maturity date

of the 2007 DOT from June 1, 2037, to August 1, 2049 and further modified the interest rate applicable to the 2007 DOT by reducing the same from 6.875% to 4.875%;

- 3. That the LMA provided that on September 1, 2014, the interest rate applicable to the 2007 DOT would increase from 4.875% to 5.375%;
- 4. That the LMA capitalized existing arrears of September 1, 2009, and modified the principal balance owed under the 2007 DOT from \$381,150 to \$417,196.58;
- 5. That on July 31, 2009, Vicenta accepted Bank of America's offer to modify the 2007 DOT, and executed the LMA and sent the document to Bank of America;
- 6. That on September 1, 2009, the Lincicomes made a payment of \$2,272.62 to Bank of America upon the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA;
- 7. That on September 1, 2009, Bank of America accepted payment, but was unable to find the modified loan in its system;
- 8. That on October 1, 2009, Bank of America refused payment from the Lincicomes, because it did not have a record that the 2007 DOT had been modified by the LMA;
- 9. That the Lincicomes' requests to make payment on the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA between October 1, 2009 and December 2011, were refused by Bank of America;
- 10. That the Linclcomes filed a petition for Chapter 13 Bankruptcy protection before the United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Nevada, on April 6, 2010, under Case No. 10-51219, and listed Bank of America as a secured creditor;
- 11. That Bank of America did not file a claim or appear in the Lincicomes Chapter 13 Bankruptcy case prior to confirmation of the Lincicomes' Chapter 13 Plan;
- 12. That on May 4, 2011, Bank of America recorded a fully executed copy of the July 11, 2009 LMA with the office of the Lyon County Recorder, as Document No. 475808;
- That the Lincicomes were not made aware of the execution and recording of the LMA until 2017;

- 14. That on November 26, 2014, Bank of America appeared in the Lincicomes' Chapter 13 Bankruptcy case and filed a Motion for Relief of Stay seeking relief from the automatic stay, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362;
- 15. That Bank of America's Motion for Relief of Stay did not inform the Lincicomes or the Bankruptcy Court that the LMA had been executed and recorded;
- 16. That on June 15, 2015, the Bankruptcy Court Clerk granted the Lincicomes a discharge of all of their scheduled debts;
- 17. That on August 1, 2015, Bank of America transferred the servicing of the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA to Fay Servicing;
- 18. That all statements provided by Fay Servicing to the Lincicomes between August 10, 2015 and October 10, 2018, do not reflect that the terms of the 2007 DOT had been modified by the LMA.
- 19. All statements between August 10, 2015 and October 10, 2018, reported the principal balance owed, the applicable interest rate, the payment amount, the total arrearage owed, as well as the total number of payments remaining due;
- 20. That on November 10, 2015, Bank of America assigned its interest in the Deed of Trust to PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank");
- 21. That on November 3, 2017, Sables, LLC, as then acting Trustee under the 2007 DOT, recorded its Notice of Breach and Default and of Election to Sell the Real Property under Deed of Trust (hereinafter "NOD") with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 572258;
- 22. That the NOD provides that the "subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 . . . on 5/4/2011;"
- 23. That the NOD provides that all monthly installments from "9/1/2008" forward are due, instead of 9/1/2009 as required by the LMA;
- 24. That the NOD provides that the principal balance owed is \$381,150.00, instead of \$417,196.58 as provided in the LMA;

- 25. That on October 12, 2018, Defendant Sables, LLC, recorded its Notice of Trustee's Sale with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, providing that the Property would be sold by public auction on November 9, 2018, at 11:00 AM, at the Lyon County Court House on 31 S. Main Street, Yerlngton, Nevada 89447;
- 26. That under the circumstances the foreclosure of the Lincicome's residence would cause them irreparable injury;
  - 27. The LMA appears to be a valid modification of the 2007 DOT;
- 28. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the total balance owed Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA;
- 29. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the principal obligation owed by Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA;
- 30. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the date through which 2007 DOT as modified under LMA is paid; and
- 31. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the current interest rate effective under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA.

The Court hereby enters the following Conclusions of Law:

- The Homeowners Bill of Rights codified under NRS 107.400 through NRS
   107.560 is applicable to this foreclosure matter;
- 2. That Plaintiffs established that irreparable injury would result if Defendant Sables, LLC, was permitted to exercise the power of sale and foreclose on the Plaintiffs' real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, Assessor Parcel Number 29-401-17;

- 3. That Plaintiffs have established that they will succeed on their claim that Defendants have violated NRS 107.500(1)(b) for falling to provide accurate information required to be provided prior to the initiation of a foreclosure; and
- 4. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that they were likely to succeed on the merits of their claims pertaining to material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights pursuant to NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560.

THEREFORE, GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court enters the following orders:

- 1. That Sables, LLC, is hereby enjoined from selling at public auction the real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, and identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, until further order of the Court;
- 2. That Plaintiffs shall post bond a bond in the amount of \$172,610.67 by December 20, 2018, and shall file with the Court and serve opposing counsel with a Notice of Bond filing;
- 3. That the injunction shall be effective against Defendants so long as bond is posted and Plaintiffs post additional security in the sum of \$2,105.10 on January 20, 2019, and on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each month thereafter with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk's office;
- 4. Plaintiffs shall file a notice of compliance with the requirement to pay additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk and shall contemporaneously serve the same upon Defendants after making payment of additional security as set forth above;
- 5. That failure of Plaintiffs to timely post a bond and provide notice of bond by December 20, 2018, shall relieve Defendants of their duty to comply with this injunction enjoining the sale of 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, until a filing of notice of bond and a notice of compliance of Plaintiffs' satisfaction of the requirement to post additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk in this matter are thereafter served upon Defendants; and

6. That the Court's orders entered in the Court's November 8, 2018 Order and the Court's November 14, 2018 Corrected Order, pertaining to the cancellation of the Notice of Sale, are hereby set aside.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 315th day of December, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Reviewed, approved and submitted this  $\frac{18}{2}$  day of December, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 11212 Millward Law, Ltd. 1591 Mono Ave.

Minden, NV 89423

ORDER
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 Reviewed, approved and submitted this day of December, 2018.

Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 13146 Wright, Finlay & Zak 7785 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117

ORDER

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### Exhibit 3

APN: 029-401-17

WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO: Sables, LLC c/o Zieve Brodnax & Steele 3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200 Las Vegas, Nevada 89169

DOC# 11/03/2017

**Official** Record

Requested By SERVICELINK TITLE AGENCY INC.

Lyon County - NV - Recorder

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TS No.: 16-42397

#### NOTICE OF BREACH AND DEFAULT AND OF ELECTION TO SELL THE REAL PROPERTY UNDER DEED OF TRUST

IF YOUR PROPERTY IS IN FORECLOSURE BECAUSE YOU ARE BEHIND IN YOUR PAYMENTS, IT MAY BE SOLD WITHOUT ANY COURT ACTION, and you may have the legal right to bring your account in good standing by paying all of your past due payments plus permitted costs and expenses within the time permitted by law for reinstatement of your account, which is normally five (5) business day prior to the date set for the sale of your property pursuant to NRS 107.080. No sale date may be set until three months from the date this Notice of Default may be recorded (which date of recordation appears on this notice). This amount is \$265,572.39 as of 10/31/2017 and will increase until your account becomes current.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT: SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company is either the original trustee, or the duly appointed substituted Trustee, or acting as agent for the Trustee or the Beneficiary under a under a Deed of Trust dated 5/23/2007, executed by VICENTA LINCICOME. A MARRIED WOMAN, as trustor to secure obligations in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for SIERRA PACIFIC MORTGAGE COMPANY, INC. its successors and assigns, as Beneficiary, recorded 5/25/2007, instrument no. 407150 The subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 and recorded on 5/4/2011 of Official Records in the office of the County recorder of Lyon, County, Nevada securing, among other obligations including

One note(s) for the Original sum of \$381,150.00, that the beneficial interest under such Deed of Trust and the obligations secured hereby are presently held by Beneficiary; that a breach of and default in the obligations for which such Deed of Trust is security has occurred or that payment has not been made of:

The monthly installment which became due on 9/1/2008, along with late charges, and all subsequent/monthly installments.

You are responsible to pay all payments and charges due under the terms and conditions of the loan documents which come due subsequent to the date of this notice, including, but not limited to; foreclosure trustee fees and costs, advances and late charges.

Furthermore, as a condition to bring your account in good standing, you must provide the undersigned with written proof that you are not in default on any senior encumbrance and provide proof of insurance.

T.S. No.: 16-42397

Nothing in this Notice of Default should be construed as a waiver of any fees owing to the beneficiary under the Deed of Trust, pursuant to the terms and provisions of the loan documents.

That by reason thereof the present Beneficiary under such deed of Trust has executed and delivered to said duly appointed Trustee a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale and has deposited with said duly appointed Trustee such Deed of Trust and all documents evidencing obligations secured thereby and has declared and does hereby declare all sums secured thereby immediately due and payable and has elected and does hereby elect to cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy the obligations secured thereby.

NOTICE

You may have the right to cure the default hereon and reinstate the one obligation secured by such Deed of Trust above described. Section NRS 107.080 permits certain defaults to be cured upon the Payment of the amounts required by that statutory section without requiring payment of that portion of principal and interest which would not be due had no default occurred. As to owner occupied property, where reinstatement is possible, the time to reinstate may be extended to 5 days prior to the date of sale pursuant to NRS 107.080. The Trustor may have the right to bring a court action to assert the nonexistence of a default or any other defense of Trustor to acceleration and Sale.

To determine if reinstatement is possible and the amount if any, to cure the default, contact:

PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee

c/o Fay Servicing, LLC

c/o SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company

3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200

Las Vegas, NV 89169

Beneficiary Phone: 800-495-7166/

Trustee Phone: (702) 664-1774

To reach a person with authority to negotiate a loan modification on behalf of the lender:

Lauren Jowers 800-495-7166

Property Address: 70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, DAYTON, Nevada 89403

If you have any questions, you should contact a lawyer or the governmental agency that may have insured your loan. Notwithstanding the fact that your property for sale, provided the sale is concluded prior to the conclusion of the foreclosure.

REMEMBER, YOU MAY LOSE LEGAL RIGHTS IF YOU DO NOT TAKE PROMPT ACTION.

Attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference is the Affidavit of Authority in Support of Notice of Default and Election to Sell pursuant to NRS 107.080.



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You may wish to consult a credit counseling agency to assist you. The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) can provide you with names and addresses of local HUD approved counseling agency by calling their approved Local Housing Counseling Agency toll free number: (800) 569-4287 or you can go to HUD's website: http://portal.hud.gov.

Dated: 11/1/2017

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee

CHRISTINE O'BRIEN

Notary Public - California **Orange County Commission # 2167057** My Comm. Expires Oct 8, 2020

c/o Zieve Brodnax & Steele

3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200

Las Vegas, Nevada 89169

(702) 948-8565

Michael Busby, Trustee Sale Officer

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of CALIFORNIA County of ORANGE

On 11/1/2017, before me, Christine O'Brien, personally appeared Michael Busby who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s)/on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s)/acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature of Notary

#### **Affidavit of Authority**

(Nevada Revised Statute §107.080 as amended effective June 1, 2013)

Re: TS# 16-42397

Borrower Name: VICENTA LINCICOME
Property Address: 70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE
DAYTON, Nevada 89403

Veronica Talley, am the Foreclosure Specialist Fay Servicing, LLC, the current servicer for the beneficiary of the deed of trust described in the notice of default and election to sell to which this affidavit is attached ("Deed of Trust"). The following facts are based upon my personal review of documents that are of public record in the State of Nevada and personal knowledge acquired by my personal review of the business records of the beneficiary, which are within my custody and control. The business records of the beneficiary contain entries made in the ordinary course of business at or about the time the events reflected therein occurred.

- 1(a). The full name and business address of the current trustee of record for the Deed of Trust is Sables LLC, a
  Nevada Limited Liability Company, 3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada
  89169
  - 1(b). The full name and business address of the current holder of the Note secured by the Deed of Trust is PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee 60 Livingston Ave EP-MN-WS3D St. Paul MN 55107, Attn: Structured Finance Services PROF
  - 1(c). The full name and business address of the current beneficiary for the obligation or debt secured by the Deed of Trust is PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee 60 Livingston Ave EP-MN-WS3D St. Paul MN 55107, Attn: Structured Finance Services PROF
  - 1(d). The full name and business address of the current servicer for the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is Fay Servicing, LLC, 440 S. LaSalle St., Suite 2000, Chicago, IL 60605
  - 2. From my review of the documents of public record and the business records of the current beneficiary and a title guaranty or title insurance issued by a title insurer or title agent authorized to do business in this State pursuant to Chapter 692A of the NRS, the name of each assignee and each recorded assignment of the Deed of Trust.
  - 2(a). Assignee Name: PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee.

    Instrument and Recording Information: Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on 11/25/2016
    Instrument No. 544042
  - 2(b). Assignee Name: Bank of America, N.A. Successor by Merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP FKA Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP Instrument and Recording Information: Corporation Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on 08/15/2011 Instrument No. 480360
  - Assignce Name: Bank of America, N.A. Successor by Merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP FKA Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP Instrument and Recording Information: Assignment of Mortgage recorded on 11/10/2010 Instrument No 467719
  - 3. The current beneficiary under the Deed of Trust, the successor in interest of the beneficiary or the trustee is in actual or constructive possession of the note secured by the Deed of Trust.
  - From my review of the documents of public record and the business records of the current beneficiary, the current trustee has authority to exercise the power of sale with respect to the property

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encumbered by the Deed of Trust, pursuant to instruction from the current beneficiary of record and current holder of the note secured by the Deed of Trust.

- 5. From my review of the documents of public record and the business records of the current beneficiary, the beneficiary, servicer of the obligation, or an attorney of the beneficiary or servicer has sent to VICENTA LINCICOME, a written statement of: (I) the amount of payment required to make good the deficiency in performance of payment, avoid the exercise of the power of sale and reinstate the terms and conditions of the underlying obligation or debt existing before the deficiency in performance or payment, as of the date of the statement; (II) the amount in default; (III) the principal amount of the obligation or debt secured by the deed of trust; (IV) the amount of accrued interest and late charges; (W) a good faith estimate of all fees imposed in connection with the power of sale; and (VI) contact information for obtaining the most current amounts due and the local or toll-free telephone number that VICENTA LINCICOME may call to receive the most current amounts due and a recitation of the information in this affidavit.
- 6. The borrower or obligor of the loan secured by the Deed of Trust may call Fay Servicing, LLC at 800-495-7166 to receive the most current amounts due and a recitation of the information contained in this Affidavit.

I declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of Nevada that the foregoing is true and correct and that this Affidavit was executed on 120 46.

By:

(Print Name)
(Signature)
(Title)

Fay Servicing, LLC, its attorney in fact

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

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On While on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s) or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

VITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature

ALLISON ANN JOHNSTON eal Notary Public, State of Texas My Commission Expites April 27, 2019

Affidavit of Authority to Exercise the Power of Sale Revised 6/1/2013

#### Declaration of Mortgage Servicer Pursuant to NR 107.510

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Borrower(s):

VICENTA LINCICOME

Mortgage Servicer:

Fay Servicing, LLC

**Property Address:** 

70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE

DAYTON, Nevada 89403

The undersigned, as an authorized agent or employee of the mortgage servicer named below declares that:

- 1. The mortgage servicer has contacted the borrower pursuant to NRS 107.510 (2), to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid a foreclosure sale". Thirty (30) days, or more, have passed since the initial contact was made.
- 2. The mortgage servicer has exercised due diligence to contact the borrower pursuant to NRS 107.510 (5), to "assess the borrower's financial situation and explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure". Thirty (30) days, or more, have passed since these due diligence efforts were satisfied.
- 3. We contact was required by the mortgage/servicer because the individual(s) did not meet the definition of "borrower" pursuant to NRS 107.410.
- 4. UDuring the preceding annual reporting period, the Lender has foreclosed on 100 or fewer real properties located in this state and therefore, pursuant to NRS 107.460, the provisions of NRS 107.400 to 107.560, inclusive, do not apply.
- 5. The loan is not a "residential mortgage loan" as defined in NRS 107.450.

I certify that this declaration is accurate, complete and supported by competent and reliable evidence which the mortgage servicer has reviewed to substantiate the borrower's default and the right to foreclose, including the borrower's loan status and loan information.

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# Exhibit 4

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#### **IN MODIFICATION AGREEMENT**

(Fixed Interest Rate)

This Loan Modification Agreement ("Agreement"), made this 11th day of July, 2009, between VICENTA LINCICOME (the "Borrower(s)") and BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP (the "Lender"), amends and supplements (1) the Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Deed to Secure Debt (the "Security Instrument"), dated the 23rd day of May, 2007 in the amount of \$381,150 00, and (2) the Note secured by, the Security Instrument, which covers the real and personal property described in the Security Instrument and defined therein as the "Property", located at 70, RIVERSIDE DRIVE, DAYTON, NV 89403

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The real property described being set forth as follows

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SAME AS IN SAID SECURITY INSTRUMENT

In consideration of the mutual promises and agreements exchanged, the parties hereto agree as/follows (Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Note or Security Instrument)

- As of the 1st day of September, 2009, the amount payable under the Note or Security Instrument (the "Unpaid Principal Balance") is U.S. \$417,196.58, consisting of the amount(s) loaned to the Borrower by the Lender which may include, but not limited to, any past due principal payments, interest, less and/or costs capitalized to date
- 2 The Borrower promises to pay the Unpaid Principal Balance, plus interest, to the order of the Legider Interest will be charged on the Unpaid Principal Balance at the yearly rate of 4875% from the 1st day of August, 2009 The Borrower promises to make monthly payments of principal and interest of U S \$1,977.29 beginning on the 1st day of September, 2009, and continuing thereafter on the same day of each succeeding month until principal and interest are paid in full. If on the 1st day of August 2049 (the "Matunty Date"), the Borrower still owes amounts under the Note and Sector in the same mounts and the Note and Sector in the same mounts are full on the 1st day of August 2049 (the "Matunty Date"), the Borrower still over a mounts under the Note and Sector in the same mounts are full on the 1st day of August 2049 (the "Matunty Date"), the Borrower will pay these amounts in full on the Matunty Date
- The Borrower will make such payments at Payment Processing PO Box 10219 Van Nuys, CA 91410 or at such other place as the Lender may require
- Nothing in this agreement shall be understood or construed to be a satisfaction or release in whole or in part of the Note and Security Instrument. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Agreement, the Note and Security Instrument will remain unchanged, and the Borrower and Lender will be bound by, and comply with, all terms and provisions thereof, as amended by this Agreement
- In consideration of this Modification, Borrower agrees that if any document related to the Security Instrument, Note and/or Modification is lost, misplaced, misstated, inaccurately reflects the true and correct terms and conditions of the loan as modified, or is otherwise missing Borrower(s) will comply with Lender's request to execute, acknowledge, initial and deliver to Lender any documentation Lender deems necessary. If the original promissory note is replaced the Lender hereby indemnifies the Borrower(s) against any loss associated with a demand on the original note. All documents bender requests of Borrower(s) shall be referred to as "Documents" Borrower agrees to deliver the Documents within ten (10) days after receipt by Borrower(s) of a written request for such replacement





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#### STEP RATE LOAN MODIFICATION ADDENDUM TO LOAN MODIFICATION AGREEMENT

The Step Rate Loan Modification Agreement Addendum (the "Addendum") is made this July 11, 2009, and is incorporated into and shall be deemed a part of that certain Loan Modification Agreement of even date herewith (the "Agreement") between VICENTA LINCICOME (the "Borrowers") and BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP ("the Lender"), which agreement amends and supplements that certain Mortgage. Deed of Trust or Deed to Secure Debt (the "Security Instrument") executed by Borrower in favor of Lender.

#### THIS ADDENDUM CONTAINS PROVISIONS PROVIDING FOR SCHEDULED INTEREST RATE CHANGES

In consideration of the mutual promises and agreements exchanged and for good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows (notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Agreement, Security Instrument/or the promissory note (the "Note"), except as specifically provided for herein )

Scheduled Interest Rate Changes

The Agreement provides for an initial interest rate of 4 875% which will be charged from the 1st day of August, 2009

The Interest Rate shall then change on the 1st day of August, 2014 at which time it shall be 5 375%

Thereafter, the interest rate and monthly principal and interest payment shall adjust in accordance with the Note, Adjustable Rate Rider and/or any other loan document that is affixed to or incorporated into the Note and Rider and provides for, implements or relates to/any change or adjustment in the interest rate and monthly payment amount under the Note until such time as the principal and interest due under the Note are paid in full If on August 1, 2049 (the "Maturity Date"), the Borrower still owes amounts under the Note and Security Instrument, as amended by the Agreement and this Addendum, the Borrower shall pay these amounts in full on the Maturity Date

Lender

**BAC Home Loans Servicing** 

VICENTA LINCICOME

31,2009

**NOTARY PUBLIC** STATE OF NEVADA APPT, No 08-7696-12 MY APPT EXPIRES AUG 15, 2012

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As evidenced by their signatures below, the Borrower and the Lender agree to the foregoing	
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16	,	Defendants.		
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19	Declaration o	of Non-Monetary Status. At	n Objection was filed o	on January 9, 2019. The Court's file
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2	I hereby certify that I, Debbie Gilmore, am an employee of the Honorable LEON ABERASTURI, District Judge, and that on this date pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I deposited for mailing at Yerington, Nevada, a true copy of the foregoing document addressed to:
4 5	Michael G. Millward, Esq 1591 Mono Ave Minden NV 89423
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9 10 11	Scott R. Lackman, Esq. Darren T. Brenner, Esq. 1635 Village Center Circle, Ste 200 Las Vegas NV 89134
12	Shadd A. Wade, Esq. 9435 W Russell Rd, Ste 120 Las Vegas, NV 89148
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#### THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

#### LYON COUNTY, NEVADA

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VINCENTA LINCICOME.

Plaintiffs.

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 05/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial. LLC: PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and **DOES 1-50:** 

Defendants.

**CASE NO.:** 18-CV-01332

**DEPT. NO.: 2** 

SABLES, LLC'S JOINDER TO RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT AGAINST SABLES, LLC

Defendant, Sables, LLC, by and through its attorney of record, the law office of Zieve, Brodnax & Steele, LLP, hereby joins in all arguments asserted by PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee and Fay Servicing, LLC in its Response to Plaintiff's Application for Entry of Default Judgment against Sables, LLC.

Sables also opposes the Application for Default Judgment ("ADJ") on the following grounds.

#### 1. SABLES WAS NOT SERVED WITH NOTICE OF THE ADJ.

Plaintiff is attempting to sneak in a judgment against Sables, without notice to Sables as required by N.R.C.P. 55(b)(2), which provides in relevant part: "If the party against whom judgment by default is sought has appeared in the action, the party shall be served with written notice of the application for judgment at least 3 days prior to the hearing on such application."

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Sables appeared in this action by filing its Declaration of Non-Monetary Status on December 21, 2018. Sables provided notice to Plaintiff of its appearance via telephone and email correspondence and by mail service of same. Despite this, Plaintiff filed the ADJ on January 18, 2019, without serving Sables with any notice whatsoever (*See* Certificate of Mailing attached to Plaintiff's Application for Default Judgment). Sables was only made aware of Plaintiff's ADJ by other attorneys in the case. In light of Plaintiff's prior conduct in this case, Plaintiff's attempt to obtain judgment against Sables without notice is bad faith and is grounds for sanctions.

As argued in Sables' Motion to Set Aside Default, Sables has no interest in this Property, nor the dispute between Plaintiff and the lender defendants. Sables is merely acting as trustee under the deed of trust.

Sables respectfully requests the ADJ be denied, and that Plaintiff be sanctioned for its conduct in seeking the injunction without notice to Sables, and despite the Court having already heard and decided the matter of injunction with the real parties in interest.

#### **AFFIRMATION**

Pursuant to N.R.S. 239B.030

The undersigned does hereby affirm that the preceding SABLES, LLC'S JOINDER TO RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT AGAINST SABLES, LLC filed in the above-captioned case does not contain the social security number of any person.

DATED this <u>15</u> day of February, 2019.

ZIEVE, BRODNAX & STEELE, LLP

Shadd A. Wade, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 11310

swade@zbslaw.com

Attorney for Defendant, Sables, LLC

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of ZIEVE, BRODNAX & STEELE, LLP, and that on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2019, I did cause a true copy of **SABLES**, **LLC'S JOINDER TO RESPONSE TO PLAINTIFF'S APPLICATION FOR ENTRY OF DEFAULT JUDGMENT AGAINST SABLES, LLC** to be served by depositing a true copy of same in the United States Mail, at Las Vegas, Nevada, addressed as follows:

Millward Law, LTD Michael G. Millward, Esq. 1591 Mono Ave Minden, NV 89423 Attorney for Plaintiff

Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP

Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq.
Ramir Hernandez, Esq.
7785 W. Sahara Ave, Suite 200
Las Vegas, NV 89117
Attorneys for Defendants, Fay Servicing, LLC & US BANK PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST

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#### THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

#### LYON COUNTY, NEVADA

ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VINCENTA LINCICOME.

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VS.

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Defendants.

**CASE NO.: 18-CV-01332** 

DEPT. NO.: 2

SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF SHADD A. WADE IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO SET ASIDE DEFAULT

- I, <u>Shadd A. Wade</u>, do hereby swear under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Nevada that the following assertions are true to the best of my knowledge and belief:
- 1. Declarant is the attorney of record for Sables, LLC. I am employed by Zieve, Brodnax & Steele, LLP.
- 2. If called as a witness in this action, I am competent to testify of my own personal knowledge, to the best of my recollection, as to the matters set forth in this declaration.
- 3. On December 18, 2018, Sables' office received via mail Plaintiffs' "Three Day Notice of Intent to Take Default."
- 4. On December 18, 2018, Sables contacted Plaintiff via telephone and email to indicate it was filing a response no later than Friday of the same week, and to request no Default be entered. See Exhibit 1, a copy of the email correspondence.

- 5. On December 18, 2018, Sables contacted the court and requested a status of any default against Sables. Sables obtained a copy of the docket. The docket shows no default entered as of this date. See **Exhibit 2**, copy of docket dated December 12, 2018.
- 6. On Friday, December 21, 2018, Sables emailed a copy of its' response to the complaint, it's Declaration of Non-Monetary Status, to Plaintiff. See **Exhibit 3**, a copy of the email communication with attachment.
- 7. On January 15, 2019, Sables received Plaintiffs' "Objection to Declaration of Non-Monetary Status," wherein it first learned that a default had been entered against.
- 8. On January 16, 2019, Sables contacted the court again to request an updated docket reflecting all filing in the instant case. See **Exhibit 4**, copy of docket dated January 16, 2019.
- 9. In reviewing the docket and filings into the instant case, Sables learned that on Friday, December 21, 2018, despite Sables correspondence with Plaintiff, Plaintiff filed an Application for Entry of Default against Sables, LLC with no service to Sables' counsel of record. See **Exhibit 4**, copy of filed Application for Entry of Default.
  - 10. The court entered said Default against Sables on the same day, December 21, 2018.
- 11. Upon learning of the default, I immediately contacted Plaintiffs' counsel and requested to meet and confer regarding setting aside the default, and the role of a trustee in foreclosure.
- 12. On Monday, January 21, 2019, I emailed Plaintiffs' counsel and spoke with Plaintiffs' counsel's assistant by telephone, and scheduled a meet and confer, with confirmation that Plaintiff's counsel would call me at 3:30 pm that day.
  - 13. Plaintiffs' counsel did not call as scheduled.
- 14. With notice of Sables' counsel's contact information and its communicated intent to file a responsive pleading, Plaintiff's counsel proceeded in bad faith to enter a default without notice or service of same, and continues to seek judgment against Sables, also without notice or service of same.
- 15. Despite numerous attempts, I have not yet been able to speak with Plaintiffs' counsel due to his unavailability.
- 16. Sables did not delay its response to the Complaint for any improper purpose or delay, and no prejudice has been alleged by the delay.

#### Exhibit Log

EXHIBIT NO.	DESCRIPTION	
1.	Email Communication dated December 18, 2018	
2.	Docket dated December 12, 2018	
3.	Email Communication dated December 21, 2018	
4.	Docket dated January 16, 2019	

#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** 1 2 Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of ZIEVE, BRODNAX & STEELE, LLP, and that on this 28th day of February, 2019, I did cause a true copy of 3 SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF SHADD A. WADE IN SUPPORT OF MOTION 4 TO SET ASIDE DEFAULT to be served by depositing a true copy of same in the United States 5 Mail, at Las Vegas, Nevada, addressed as follows: 6 7 Millward Law, LTD 8 Michael G. Millward, Esq. 9 1591 Mono Ave Minden, NV 89423 10 Attorney for Plaintiff 11 Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq. 12 Ramir Hernandez, Esq. 13 7785 W. Sahara Ave, Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117 14 Attorneys for Defendants, Fay Servicing, LLC & US BANK PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE **TRUST** 15 16 Darren T. Brenner, Esq. Scott R. Lachman, Esq. 17 AKERMAN LLP 1635 Village Center Circle, Suite 200 18 Las Vegas, NV 89134 Attorneys for Defendant, Bank of America, N.A. 19 20 /s/Sara Hunsaker 21 An Employee of ZIEVE, BRODNAX & STEELE, LLP 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

# **EXHIBIT 1**

# EMAIL COMMUNICATION DATED DECEMBER 18, 2018

# **EXHIBIT 1**

# EMAIL COMMUNICATION DATED DECEMBER 18, 2018

# **EXHIBIT 1**

#### Sara Hunsaker

From:

Sara Hunsaker

Sent:

Tuesday, December 18, 2018 1:00 PM

To:

michael@millwardlaw.com; becky@millwardlaw.com

Cc:

Shadd Wade

Subject:

Lincicome v. Sables, et al (18-CV-01332) / Notice of Intent to Default Sables

Attachments:

3 Day Notice of Intent to Take Default Sables.pdf

Hi Becky,

Thank you for taking my call a few minutes ago. As explained we represent Sables, LLC in the referenced matter. We are finalizing our response and are just waiting on our filing fee from our corporate office in California. Please make note that we will email you a copy of our response to the complaint as soon as we prepare the package to be mailed out for filing to the court. If you could please hold off on taking any adverse action against Sables, we would appreciate it. Our response should be sent out no later than Friday of this week.

Thanks,

#### Sara (Aslinger) Hunsaker

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## **EXHIBIT 2**

# FAY SERVICING LLC, ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME JR., VICENTA LINCICOME, SABLES, LLC, PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST BY U.S. BANK, N.A. - COMPLAINT

Case Number: 18-CV-01332

Type: Other Title to Property Case

to Property Case Received Date: 11/7/2018

Status: Open 🕒

Status Date: 11/7/2018

#### Involvements

Primary Involvements

SABLES, LLC Defendant

FAY SERVICING LLC Defendant

PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST BY U.S. BANK, N.A.

Defendant

LINCICOME, ALBERT ELLIS JR. Plaintiff

LINCICOME, VICENTA Plaintiff

Other Involvements

Hernandez, Ramir Esq. Defendant's Attorney

Millward, Michael G. Esq. Plaintiff's Attorney

Third Judicial District Court (18-CV-01332)

Aberasturi, Leon A. - LAA Dept II - TJDC

#### Other Title to Property Case

#### 1. NRCP 3 ~ COMPLAINT

LINCICOME, ALBERT ELLIS JR. Plaintiff

Lead/Active: True

#### 2. NRCP 3 ~ COMPLAINT

LINCICOME, VICENTA Plaintiff

Lead/Active: False

#### 3. NRCP 5 ~ ANSWER

PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST BY U.S. BANK, N.A. Defendant

Lead/Active: False

#### 4. NRCP 5 ~ ANSWER

FAY SERVICING LLC Defendant

Lead/Active: False

#### Case Status History

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#### **Documents**

11/7/2018 Complaint (Arbitration Exempt- Declaratory Relief).pdf - Filed

11/7/2018 Civil Cover Sheet.pdf - Filed

11/7/2018 Notice of Lis Pendens APN 29-401-17.pdf - Filed

11/7/2018 Affidavit of Counsel.pdf - Filed

11/7/2018 Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injuction & Permanent Injunction pdf - Filed

11/8/2018 Certificate of Service (Complaint, Application, & Notice).pdf - Filed

11/8/2018 Certificate of Service.pdf - Filed

11/8/2018 Summons-Issued.pdf - Issued

Notes: 4 Originals Issued

11/8/2018 Order.pdf - Filed

11/14/2018 Certificate of Service (2).pdf - Filed

11/14/2018 Request for Submission (Corrected Order).pdf - Filed

11/14/2018 Corrected Order.pdf - Filed

11/15/2018 Notice of Appearance.pdf - Filed

11/15/2018 Response to Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction.pdf - 00416

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Agency: Third Judicial District Court

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11/15/2018 Declaration of Fay Servicing, LLC in Response to Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order.pdf - Filed
       Notes: Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction
     11/20/2018 Notice of Entry of Order.pdf - Filed
    11/20/2018 Exhibits and Exhibit List from 11-20-18 Hearing\Plaintiff's Exhibit 1.pdf - Filed
    11/20/2018 Exhibits and Exhibit List from 11-20-18 Hearing\Plaintiff's Exhibit 2.pdf - Filed
    11/20/2018 Exhibits and Exhibit List from 11-20-18 Hearing\Plaintiff's Exhibit 3.pdf - Filed
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    11/20/2018 Exhibits and Exhibit List from 11-20-18 Hearing\Plaintiff's Exhibit List.pdf - For Court Use Only
    11/29/2018 Answer to Complaint.pdf - Filed
    12/6/2018 SR. Judge Request 18-CV-01332.pdf - For Court Use Only
     12/10/2018 Summon on Return - Served 11-14-18.pdf - Filed on Return
    12/10/2018 Memorandum of Temporary Assignment.pdf - Filed
       Notes: Assignment of Judge McGee
     12/11/2018 Summons-On Return-Sables LLC's Agent Svd 11-19-18.pdf - Filed on Return
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       Staff - STAFF
       lawclerk2 - LAW2
            John Kilgore
       Lachman, Scott Esq.
            Telephonic, obo Bank of America
       Aberasturi, Leon A. - LAA (Dept II - TJDC)
       Hernandez, Ramir Esq. (Defendant's
       Attorney)
            obo Defendant, PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST BY U.S. BANK, N.A. and FAY SERVICING LLC
       LINCICOME, ALBERT ELLIS JR. (Plaintiff)
            Plaintiff
       LINCICOME, VICENTA (Plaintiff)
            Plaintiff
       Millward, Michael G. Esq. (Plaintiff's
       Attorney)
            with Plaintiffs
       Notes: Counsel does not feel there is a chance of settlement. Court proceeded with the hearing. Mr. Lachman advised the
       court he was just retained on behalf of Bank of America and it does not appear that Bank of America has an interest, but
       requested to stay on the phone. Court allowed requested. Plaintiff's Exhibits 1-18 were marked. Counsel stipulated to the
       admission of Plaintiff's Exhibits 1-18. Plaintiff's Exhibits 1-18 were admitted. All the exhibits as attached to Defendants
       Response to Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction were admitted. No
       objections to the facts within the Affidavit. Counsel argued the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary
       Injuction & Permanent Injunction. Court ruled in favor of the Plaintiff to extend due to the likelihood of success. Court
       ordered bond in the amount of the payments due, which is the monthly mortgage payment times twelve (12) times seven
       (7.) Bond is due within thirty (30) days. Payments are to be made each month starting December 20, 2018. Mediation is
       requested to be done by Washoe County Judge Hardy. Court will contact Judge Hardy and see if he is willing to preside over
       mediation. Court finds no statute of fraud. Mr. Millward to prepare Order and submit to opposing counsel. If counsel cannot
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agree on the Order in one (1) or two (2) emails, counsel is to submit their own orders. Order to be submitted December 10,

# **EXHIBIT 3**

# EMAIL COMMUNICATION DATED DECEMBER 21, 2018

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#### Sara Hunsaker

From:

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Sent:

Friday, December 21, 2018 12:21 PM

To:

'michael@millwardlaw.com'; 'becky@millwardlaw.com'

Cc:

Shadd Wade

Subject:

RE: Lincicome v. Sables, et al (18-CV-01332) / Notice of Intent to Default Sables

Attachments:

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#### Counsel,

Please find attached copy of our client, Sables, LLC's response to the complaint. We are sending this out to the court today. Please feel free to contact us should you have any further questions.

Thanks,

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From: Sara Hunsaker

Sent: Tuesday, December 18, 2018 1:01 PM

To: 'michael@millwardlaw.com'; 'becky@millwardlaw.com'

Subject: Lincicome v. Sables, et al (18-CV-01332) / Notice of Intent to Default Sables

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# **DOCKET DATED JANUARY 16, 2019**

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## **EXHIBIT 4**

#### FAY SERVICING LLC, BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME JR., VICENTA LINCICOME, SABLES, LLC, PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST BY U.S. BANK, N.A. ~ COMPLAINT

Case Number: 18-CV-01332

Agency: Third Judicial District Court

Type: Other Title to Property Case

Status: Open

Received Date: 11/7/2018 Status Date: 11/7/2018

Involvements

Primary Involvements

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. Defendant

SABLES, LLC Defendant

FAY SERVICING LLC Defendant

PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST BY U.S. BANK, N.A.

Defendant

LINCICOME. ALBERT ELLIS JR. Plaintiff

LINCICOME, VICENTA Plaintiff

Other Involvements

Brenner, Darren T. Esq. Defendant's Attorney

Lachman, Scott Esq. Defendant's Attorney

Hernandez, Ramir Esq. Defendant's Attorney

Millward, Michael G. Esq. Plaintiff's Attorney

Third Judicial District Court (18-CV-01332)

Aberasturi, Leon A. - LAA Dept II - TJDC

#### 5. NRCP 5 ~ ANSWER

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A. Defendant

Lead/Active: False

#### Other Title to Property Case

1. NRCP 3 ~ COMPLAINT

LINCICOME, ALBERT ELLIS JR. Plaintiff

Lead/Active: True

#### 2. NRCP 3 ~ COMPLAINT

LINCICOME, VICENTA Plaintiff

Lead/Active: False

#### 3. NRCP 5 ~ ANSWER

PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST BY U.S. BANK, N.A. Defendant

Lead/Active: False

#### 4. NRCP 5 ~ ANSWER

FAY SERVICING LLC Defendant

Lead/Active: False

#### 6. NRCP 5 ~ ANSWER

SABLES, LLC Defendant

Notes: Sables, LLC First Appearance

Lead/Active: False

#### **Case Status History**

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#### **Documents**

11/7/2018 Complaint (Arbitration Exempt- Declaratory Relief).pdf - Filed

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LINCICOME, ALBERT ELLIS JR. (Plaintiff)
Plaintiff
LINCICOME, VICENTA (Plaintiff)
Plaintiff
Millward, Michael G. Esq. (Plaintiff's
Attorney)

Notes: Counsel does not feel there is a chance of settlement. Court proceeded with the hearing. Mr. Lachman advised the court he was just retained on behalf of Bank of America and it does not appear that Bank of America has an interest, but requested to stay on the phone. Court allowed requested. Plaintiffs Exhibits 1-18 were marked. Counsel stipulated to the admission of Plaintiffs Exhibits 1-18. Plaintiffs Exhibits 1-18 were admitted. All the exhibits as attached to Defendants Response to Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction were admitted. No objections to the facts within the Affidavit. Counsel argued the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction & Permanent Injunction. Court ruled in favor of the Plaintiff to extend due to the likelihood of success. Court ordered bond in the amount of the payments due, which is the monthly mortgage payment times twelve (12) times seven (7.) Bond is due within thirty (30) days. Payments are to be made each month starting December 20, 2018. Mediation is requested to be done by Washoe County Judge Hardy. Court will contact Judge Hardy and see if he is willing to preside over mediation. Court finds no statute of fraud. Mr. Millward to prepare Order and submit to opposing counsel. If counsel cannot agree on the Order in one (1) or two (2) emails, counsel is to submit their own orders. Order to be submitted December 10, 2018.



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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ELLIS LINCICOME and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust ) given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.)

Defendants.

PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE AMENDED COMPLAINT TO SUBSTITUTE PARTIES AND ADD ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FOR RELIEF

COME NOW, Plaintiffs ELLIS LINCICOME and VICENTA LINCICOME (hereinafter together as "Plaintiffs" or "Lincicomes"), by and through their attorney, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and hereby move this Honorable Court for leave to file their First Amended Complaint. Plaintiffs' Motion is based upon the pleadings and papers on file herein, and the attached Memorandum of Points and Authorities.

Dated this 20 day of February, 2019

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Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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#### **MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES**

#### **INTRODUCTION** I.

On November 7, 2018, Plaintiffs filed their Complaint in this action seeking an injunction enjoining Defendants Fay Servicing, LLC (hereinafter "Fay Servicing"), Sables, LLC (hereinafter "Sables"), and US Bank as Trustee of the PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust (hereinafter "US Bank") from foreclosing against the Lincicomes' home and real property. Additionally, Plaintiffs sought a determination of Plaintiffs' rights under the 2007 Deed of Trust as modified by the 2009 Loan Modification Agreement and a determination of Defendants' rights to proceed with a foreclosure pursuant to NRS 107.080 under the Deed of Trust. Plaintiff also sought recovery upon a claim of breach of contract against Bank of America for breach of the Loan Modification Agreement.

After the filing of Plaintiffs' Complaint and a hearing held upon Plaintiffs' Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order and Preliminary Injunction, the Deed of Trust was assigned to MCM 2018-NPL2, an investment Trust administered by MCM Capital, LLC as Trustee, and Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing was engaged as the servicer of the loan.

On December 31, 2018, the Court entered its Order After Hearing, therein enjoining Sables from foreclosing upon Plaintiff's property until further order of the Court. Then, on January 4, 2019, Plaintiffs' real property was sold by foreclosure by Sables to Breckenridge Property Fund 2016, LLC (hereinafter "Breckenridge").

Breckenridge, Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing, and MCM 2018-NPL2, are necessary parties to this action and must be substituted in this matter for Plaintiffs to fully recover upon their claims. Additionally, because of the actions taken since entry of the Court's December 31, 2018 Order After Hearing, additional causes of action have arisen making it necessary for Plaintiffs to amend their Complaint to seek full relief for the actions taken against them.

Accordingly, Plaintiffs must amend their Complaint to substitute additional parties to fully resolve their asserted claims, as well as the additional claims that have arisen since the filing of Plaintiffs' initial Complaint. Therefore, for reasons provided herein, Plaintiffs'

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respectfully request that this Court grant Plaintiffs' Motion for Leave to File First Amended Complaint.

### RELEVANT FACTS AND PROCEDURAL HISTORY II.

In May of 2007, Ellis and Vicenta Lincicome purchased a home located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada, 89403 (hereinafter "Residence"). On May 23, 2007, Vicenta Lincicome executed a Promissory Note in favor of Sierra Pacific, and also a Deed of Trust to secure the mortgage loan.

On or about July 11, 2009, Bank of America sent Vicenta a Loan Modification Agreement (hereinafter "LMA") which provided that the first payment of \$2,272.62 was to be made September 1, 2009. A copy of the LMA is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.

The LMA extended the maturity date of the loan to August 1, 2049, and, as of August 1, 2009, the interest rate applicable to their loan would be reduced from the current rate of 6.875% to 4.875%. The LMA provided that on September 1, 2014, the interest rate would Under the Agreement all arrears were to be capitalized as of increase to 5.375%. September 1, 2009. A copy of the "Important Message About Your Loan" notice is attached as Exhibit 2.

On July 31, 2009, Vicenta signed the LMA and sent it to Bank of America by Federal Express in the reusable Fed-Ex envelope that was provided with the loan modification package.

On September 1, 2009, the Lincicomes made their first payment upon the LMA. The banker, Crystal was not able to find any record of the LMA in Bank of America's system. Crystal accepted the payment and told the Lincicomes to contact Bank of America Customer Service to obtain reference number for the modified loan.

Vicenta contacted Bank of America Customer Service and she was told to go to the Customer Assistance Center on Rose Drive in Reno. The Lincicomes met with Ms. Keady and showed her a signed copy of the LMA. Ms. Keady was unable to find a reference number for the loan and informed the Lincicomes that she would have Bank of America investigate the status of the LMA.

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On October 1, 2009, Vicenta travelled to the Carson City Bank of America branch to make the second payment on the LMA. This time the banker refused payment upon the modified loan because Bank of America showed no record that the Lincicomes' loan had been modified by the LMA.

On October 29, 2009, Bank of America sent Vicenta a statement contradicting the terms of the LMA. A copy of the October 29, 2009 statement is attached as Exhibit 3. The October 29, 2009 statement incorrectly reported the interest rate, total payment amount, principal balance, and listed the Lincicomes September 1, 2009 payment as a partial payment instead acknowledging payment for the full amount due under the LMA. See id.

From October 1, 2009, to December of 2011, the Lincicomes continued to contact Bank of America by phone to check on the status of the LMA so that they could begin making payments and get their loan on track. Each time, Bank of America informed the Lincicomes that the matter was being investigated.

On May 4, 2011, unbeknownst to the Lincicomes at the time, Bank of America recorded a fully executed copy of the July 11, 2009 LMA with the office of the Lyon County Recorder, as Document No. 475808. Ex.1. The Lincicomes remained unaware of the fact that the LMA had been found and executed until 2017.

On August 1, 2015, Bank of America informed the Lincicomes that their loan had been transferred to Fay Servicing. On or about August 10, 2015, Fay Servicing sent the Lincicomes a mortgage statement. A copy of the August 10, 2015 statement is attached hereto as Exhibit 4. Fay's statement reflects only the terms of the 2007 Note and Deed of Trust and not the terms reflected in the LMA.

Fay's statement incorrectly reflects the interest rate, total payment amount, principal balance, and the number of payments that remain outstanding had the terms of the LMA been applied. (See Ex.4).

On November 10, 2015, Bank of America assigned its interest in the Deed of Trust to PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank").

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On November 3, 2017, Sables, LLC (hereinafter "Sables"), as Trustee under the Deed of Trust, recorded its Notice of Breach and Default and of Election to Sell the Real Property under Deed of Trust (hereinafter "NOD"). A copy of the NOD is attached hereto as Exhibit 5.

The NOD provides that as of October 31, 2017, \$265,572.39 is owed in arrears. Even though the NOD acknowledges that the "subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 . . . on 5/4/2011," it provides that all monthly installments from "9/1/2008" forward are due instead of 9/1/2009 as provided in the Loan Modification Agreement. Ex.1.

The NOD also misstates the date of the recording of the November 25, 2015, Assignment from Bank of America to US Bank as having been recorded "November 25, 2016." Ex.5.

The NOD includes an Affidavit of Authority signed on October 5, 2016, by Veronica Talley, as a "Foreclosure Specialist IV" (hereinafter "Talley Affidavit") stating that Fay Servicing has complied with the requirements of NRS 107.080. Ex.5, pp.4-5.

On October 12, 2018, Sables recorded its Notice of Trustee's Sale with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, providing that the Property will be sold by public auction on November 9, 2018, at 11:00 AM, at the Lyon County Court House on 31 S. Main Street, Yerington, Nevada 89447. A copy of the Notice of Trustee's Sale is attached hereto as Exhibit 6.

On November 7, 2018, the Lincicomes filed a Complaint for Declaratory Relief and an Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction in the Third Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, as Case No. 18-CV-01332.

On November 7, 2018, a Notice of Lis Pendens was filed in the Third Judicial District Court Case No. 18-CV-01332 against the Premises and was recorded on November 8, 2018, with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 588549.

On November 8, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered an Order providing, "That Sables, LLC, is hereby restrained and temporarily enjoined from selling at public

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auction the real property identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, "at public auction until further order of the Court." A copy of the November 8, 2018 Order is attached as Exhibit 7.

On November 14, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered a Corrected Order restraining and enjoining SABLES, from selling the Premises until further order of the Court.

On November 20, 2018, the Court held a hearing on the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction.

On December 21, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court took SABLES' default.

On December 21, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court took BofA's default.

On December 31, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered an Order providing "[t]hat Sables, LLC, is hereby enjoined from selling at public auction the real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, and identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, until further order of the Court." A copy of the December 31, 2018 Order is attached as Exhibit 8.

On January 4, 2019, a Notice of Entry of Order concerning entry of the Court's December 31, 2018 Order was served on all interested parties.

On January 4, 2019, Sables sold the Premises at foreclosure to Breckenridge Property Fund 2016, LLC, a Utah limited liability company (hereinafter "Breckenridge").

On January 25, 2019, a Trustee's Deed Upon Sale was recorded in the office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 591393. A copy of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale recorded as Document No. 591393 is attached hereto as Exhibit 9.

### III. **ARGUMENT**

The Court should grant Plaintiffs leave to file their First Amended Complaint to substitute additional parties necessary for the Plaintiffs' to obtain relief sought by their Complaint, as well as to assert additional claims pertaining to wrongful foreclosure upon Plaintiffs' real property.

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NRCP 15(d) permits an amended pleading to be filed upon leave of Court. NRCP 15(a). NRCP 15(d) provides that a court may permit a party to serve a supplemental pleading setting forth transactions or occurrences or events which have happened since the date of the pleading sought to be supplemented. See id.

Pursuant to NRCP 15(a), leave to amend pleadings "shall be freely given when justice so requires."

"In the absence of any apparent or declared reason - such as undue delay, bad faith or dilatory motive on the part of the movant - the leave sought should, as the rules require, be 'freely given." Forman v. Davis, 371 U.S. 178, 182 (1962); see also Stephens v. Southern Nev. Music Co., 89 Nev. 104, 507 P.2d 138 (1973).

In making determinations to grant leave to amend a pleading, trial courts "must be guided by the underlying purpose of Rule 15 to facilitate a decision on the merits rather than on the pleadings or technicalities." US. v. Webb, 655 F.2d 977 979 (9th Cir. 1981).

A party opposing a motion for leave to amend upon the argument that the party would be prejudiced, that party bears the burden of showing that the amendment would cause prejudice. DCD Programs, Ltd. v. Leighton, 833 F.2d 193, 187 (9th Cir. 1987).

In this instance, Plaintiffs should be granted leave to file their First Amended Complaint pursuant to NRCP 15 so that this matter can be fully adjudicated upon the merits. Plaintiffs seek leave to amend the pleadings in this action rather than to initiate a new action against the same and additional parties.

Plaintiffs believe that the filing of an additional action would result in consolidation with this matter, and would, therefore, undermine judicial economy and unnecessarily delay the resolution of both matters. Accordingly, Plaintiffs do not seek leave to delay this matter, but rather to expedite the resolution of all Plaintiffs' claims. Additionally, Plaintiff's do not believe that the filing of the amended Complaint would cause prejudice that would exceed the filing of a separate matter to adjudicate Plaintiffs' additional claims.

Defendants also seek to amend to substitute other previously unknown parties.

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NRCP 10(a) states as follows:

Every pleading shall contain a caption setting forth the name of the court and county, the title of the action, the file number, and a designation as in Rule 7(a). In the complaint the title of the action shall include the names of all the parties, but in other pleadings it is sufficient to state the name of the first party on each side with an appropriate indication of other parties. A party whose name is not known may be designated by any name, and when the true name is discovered, the pleading may be amended accordingly.

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Since the filing of this action, the Deed of Trust concerning Plaintiffs' real property was assigned to a new entity, and a new servicer was engaged to administer the loan. Thereafter the Premises was sold at foreclosure.

Plaintiffs' have been informed that MCM 2018-NPL2, an investment Trust administered by MCM Capital, LLC as Trustee (hereinafter "MCM") became the assignee and beneficiary of the Deed of Trust prior to foreclosure on January 4, 2019. A Notice of Sale of Ownership of Mortgage Loan dated December 28, 2018, is attached hereto as Exhibit 10. MCM is a Delaware limited liability company and provides services as a mortgage investor, manager, advisor and technology provider. Ex.10. Plaintiffs are also informed that NEWREZ, LLC, d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing, LLC (hereinafter "SHELLPOINT"), a Delaware limited liability company, became the new loan servicing company concerning the Deed of Trust. See Ex.10.

On January 17, 2019, Plaintiffs received a Validation of Debt Notice from SHELLPOINT advising that the creditor to whom their debt was owed was 1900 CAPITAL TRUST II, BY U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, (hereinafter referred to as "CAPITAL TRUST"), as legal title trustee. A copy of the Validation of Debt Notice dated January 17, 2019, is attached hereto as Exhibit 11.

Because of the involvement of these new entities concerning the ownership of the Residence, and with regard to the interests of the Deed of Trust, it is necessary that Plaintiffs be permitted to substitute SHELLPOINT, MCM and CAPITAL TRUST, and BRECKENRIDGE for Defendants DOES I through IV.

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Therefore, Plaintiffs requests that this honorable Court grant them leave to file their First Amended Complaint attached hereto as **Exhibit 12** (exhibits omitted).

### I. CONCLUSION

Therefore, upon the foregoing basis, Plaintiffs request that the Court grant them leave to file an amended complaint.

### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Dated this  $\frac{16}{28}$  day of February, 2019.

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Michael G. Millward, Esq. NSB# 11212

### **INDEX TO EXHIBITS**

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### **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I hereby certify that service of the foregoing Motion for Leave to File First Amended Complaint was made on the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_ day of February, by depositing a true copy of the same for mailing with the United States Postal Service, addressed to the following:

SABLES, LLC c/o Shadd A. Wade, Esq. Zieve, Brodnax & Steel 9435 W. Russel Rd., Suite 120 Las Vegas, NV 89148

**US BANK** PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq. Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP 7785 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117

BRECKENRIDGE PROPERTY FUND 2016 2320 Potosi Street, Ste. 130 Las Vegas, NV 89146

1900 CAPITAL TRUST II BY U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOC. 300 Delaware Avenue 9<sup>th</sup> Floor Wilmington DE 19801

FAY SERVICING, LLC Christopher A. J. Swift, Esq. Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP 7785 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117

BANK OF AMERICA Scott R. Lachman, Esq. Darren T. Brenner, Esq. Ackerman, LLP 1635 Village Center Circle, Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89134

MCM-2018-NPL2 7101 Wisconsin Avenue, Suite 1012 Bethesda MD 20814

SHELLPOINT MORTGAGE SERVICING Post Office Box 10826 Greenville, SC 29603-0826

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### IN MODIFICATION AGREEMENT

(Fixed interest Rate)

This Loan Modification Agreement ("Agreement"), made this 11th day of July, 2009, between VICENTA LINCICOME (the "Borrower(s)") and BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP (the "Lender"), amends and supplements (1) the Mortgage, Deed of Trust, or Deed to Secure Debt (the "Security Instrument"), dated the 23rd day of May, 2007 in the amount of \$381,150 00, and (2) the Note secured by, the Security Instrument, which covers the real and personal property described in the Security Instrument and defined therein as the "Property", located at 70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, DAYTON, NV 89403

The real property described being set forth as follows

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### SAME AS IN SAID SECURITY INSTRUMENT

In consideration of the mutual promises and agreements exchanged, the parties hereto agree as follows (Notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Note or Security Instrument)

- As of the 1st day of September, 2009, the amount payable under the Note or Security Instrument (the "Unpaid Principal Balance") is U.S. \$417,196.58, consisting of the amount(s) loaned to the Berrower by the Lender which may include, but not limited to, any past due principal payments, interest, fees and/or costs capitalized to date
- The Borrower promises to pay the Unpaid Principal Balance, plus interest, to the order of the Lender Interest will be charged on the Unpaid Principal Balance at the yearly rate of 4 875% from the 1st day of August, 2009. The Borrower promises to make monthly payments of principal and inverest of U.S. \$1,977.29 beginning on the 1st day of September, 2009, and continuing thereafter on the same day of each succeeding month until principal and interest are paid in full. If on the 1st day of August, 2049 (the "Maturity Date"), the Borrower still owes amounts under the Note and Security Instrument, as amended by this Agreement, the Borrower will pay these amounts in full on the Maturity Date.
- 3 The Borrower will make such payments at Payment Processing PO Box 10219 Van Nuys, CA 91410 or at such other place as the Lender may require
- 4 Nothing in this agreement shall be understood or construed to be a satisfaction or release in whole or in part of the Note and Security Instrument. Except as otherwise specifically provided in this Agreement, the Note and Security Instrument will remain unchanged, and the Borrower and Lender will be bound by, and comply with, all terms and provisions thereof, as amended by this Agreement.
- In consideration of this Modification, Borrower agrees that if any document related to the Security Instrument, Note and/or Modification is lost, misplaced, misstated, inaccurately reflects the true and correct terms and conditions of the loan as modified, or is otherwise missing Borrower(s) will comply with Lender's request to execute, acknowledge, initial and deliver to Lender any documentation Lender deems necessary. If the original promissory note is replaced the Lender hereby indemnifies the Borrower(s) against any loss associated with a demand on the original note. All documents Lender requests of Borrower(s) shall be referred to as "Documents." Borrower agrees to deliver the Documents within ten (10) days after receipt by Borrower(s) of a written request for such replacement.

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### STEP RATE LOAN MODIFICATION ADDENDUM TO LOAN MODIFICATION AGREEMENT

The Step Rate Loan Modification Agreement Addendum (the "Addendum") is made this July 11, 2009, and is incorporated into and shall be deemed a part of that certain Loan Modification Agreement of even date herewith (the "Agreement") between VICENTA LINCICOME (the "Borrowers") and BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP ("the Lender"), which agreement amends and supplements that certain Mortgage, Deed of Trust or Deed to Secure Debt (the "Security Instrument") executed by Borrower in favor of Lender

### THIS ADDENDUM CONTAINS PROVISIONS PROVIDING FOR SCHEDULED INTEREST RATE CHANGES

In consideration of the mutual promises and agreements exchanged and for good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto agree as follows (notwithstanding anything to the contrary contained in the Agreement, Security Instrument/or the promissory note (the "Note"), except as specifically provided for herein )

1 Scheduled Interest Rate Changes

The Agreement provides for an initial interest rate of 4 875% which will be charged from the 1st day of August, 2009

The Interest Rate shall then change on the 1st day of August, 2014 at which time it shall be 5 375%

Thereafter, the interest rate and monthly principal and interest payment shall adjust in accordance with the Note, Adjustable Rate Rider and/or any other loan document that is affixed to or incorporated into the Note and Rider and provides for, implements or relates to any change or adjustment in the interest rate and monthly payment amount under the Note until such time as the principal and interest due under the Note are paid in full If on August 1, 2049 (the "Maturity Date"), the Borrower still owes amounts under the Note and Security Instrument, as amended by the Agreement and this Addendum, the Borrower shall pay these amounts in full on the Maturity Date

VICENTA LINCICOME

Lender

BAC Home Loans Servicing

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As evidenced by their signatures below, the Borrower and the Lender agree to the foregoing Vicenta VICENTA LINCICOME Notary Public, personally appeared personally known to me (or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authonzed capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signatures (s) on the instrument the person(s), or entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument WITNESS my hand and official seal GARY A. SIMCOX NOTARY PUBLIC STATE OF NEVADA APPT, No. 08-7696-12 MY APPT, BOPRES AUG. 15, 2012 ricing, LP is a subsidiary of Bank of America, NA

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subscribed to the within instrument and acknow	be basis of satisfactory evidence) to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/ar- i/ledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their ier signatures (s) on the instrument the person(s), or entity upon behalf of nent
WITNESS my hand and official seal	AMY L BOGAN
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### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

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PARCEL# 029-401-17



Home Loans

Attn: Home Retention Division BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP 100 Beecham Drive Suite 104 Pittsburgh, PA 15205

Notice Date: July 11, 2009

Account No.: 162304785

VICENTA LINCICOME 70 Riverside Dr Dayton, NV 89403

Property Address: 70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE DAYTON, NV 89403

### IMPORTANT MESSAGE ABOUT YOUR LOAN

We are pleased to advise you that your loan modification has been approved. In order for the modification to be valid, the enclosed documents need to be signed and returned.

The following amounts will be added to your current principal balance, resulting in a modified principal balance of \$417,196.58 prior to your first payment date. The amount added to your loan is:

 Interest :
 \$32,755.05

 Fees:
 \$55.00

 Escrow:
 \$3,236.53

 Total:
 \$36,046.58

Your new modified monthly payment will be \$2,272.62, effective with your September 1, 2009 payment. This payment is subject to change if your escrow account is reanalyzed due to new annual premiums. Your current interest rate is 6.875%. Your new reduced rate of 4.875% will be effective as of the September 1, 2009 payment. As of September 1, 2014 your interest rate will be 5.375% for the remaining erm of your loan. Your new maturity date is August 1, 2049, which may have changed from your current maturity date as a result of the modification terms. This agreement will bring the loan current; however, you are still required to pay back the entire unpaid principal by the maturity date for your loan.

A breakdown of the scheduled interest rate changes is as follows:

Statement Due Date	Interest Rate	Principal & Interest
September 1, 2009	4.875%	\$1,977.29
September 1, 2014	5.375%	\$2,105.10

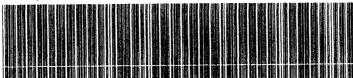
A breakdown of your payment is as follows:

 P&I Payment:
 \$1,977.29

 Escrow:
 \$295.33

 Total Payment:
 \$2,272.62

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**Home Loans** 

Customer Service PO Box 5170 Simi Valley, CA 93062-5170 Statement date 10/29/2009

Account Number 162304785

Property address

70 Riverside Drive

INTEREST-ONLY LOAN MONTHLY STATEMENT (During the Interest-Only Period)



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### IMPORTANT NOTICE

If you and BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP have entered into an agreement to address your monthly payments, please make payments in accordance with this agreement.

If you have qualified for an interest rate reduction based upon current active military service, subsequent statements may not reflect the reduced payment amount. Please refer to the notice previously sent to you for the reduced payment amount.

### Your Payment Choices This Month

The amounts listed below are total payments, including amounts collected for escrow items such as taxes and insurance premiums. You can also pay additional Principal any month in any amount, by specifying "Additional Principal" in the payment coupon.

		Principal/and or	Outstanding	
Payment Information	Total Payment Amount**	Interest Payment	Late Charges	Optional Products*
Interest Only Payment ***	\$2,435.43	\$2,183.67	\$218.36	\$0.00
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15-Year Amortized Payment Choice This Payment Choice is not available this month.

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Please note: Amounts above may change based on payments made, received or returned before or after this statement was created.

\*\*Outstanding late charges up to \$400 00 are reflected in the payment choice amount

\*\*\* The Amortized & 15-year Amortized Payment Choice (Amortized Payment Choices) amounts are based on the assumption that these payments will always be received on the scheduled due date. You are not required to pay these amounts. The extra amount of Principal included with each of these alternative Amortized Payment Choices will be applied as a partial Prepayment of Principal on the date the payment is received. The interest portion of your payment will be applied as of the scheduled due date. The Amortized Payment is similar to, but not identical to the interest and Principal payment that you will be required to make after the Interest-Only Period ends. When that happens, your Interest and Principal payments will be applied to your loan as of the scheduled due date. The Amortized Payment Choices will reduce your principal balance and the amount of interest you will pay over the life of this loan. These Amortized Payment Choices will reduce your principal balance and the amount of partial prepayments of principal that you may select on your own IMPORTANT NOTE. Be sure you review any prepayment penalty provision you may have in your loan. Depending on the amount of any partial Prepayments and when you make them, you may owe a prepayment charge at the time you payoff your loan.

(see next page for account activity details)

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Your Home Loan S	napshot as of October 29, 2009	Payment Due Date:	
Loan type	30 Yr Conv Jumbo ARM	Past Due Payment Amount	
Principal balance	\$381,150.00	Fees Due	
Escrow balance	-\$2,961.30	Partial Payment Balance	
Interest rate	6.875%	Late Charge if payment is received after 11/16/2009	

We may charge you a fee for any payment returned or rejected by your financial institution, subject to applicable law.

11/01/2009 \$42,143.00 \$1,746.40 \$2,272.62 \$109.18



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VICENTA LINCICOME 70 RIVERSIDE DR **DAYTON NV 89403-9055**  If you have questions or concerns about your statement, please contact us at 1-800-495-7166 between the hours of 9 a.m. - 9 p.m. CT Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. CT Friday, and 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. CT Saturday.

**Account Number** 114477 **Payment Due Date** 09/01/2015 **Amount Due** \$207,599.70 If payment is received after 09/16/2015, \$109.18 late fee will be charged.

**Property Address:** 70 RIVERSIDE DR **DAYTON NV 89403** 

Account Information	
Outstanding Principal	\$381,150.00
Deferred Balance	\$0.00
Current Interest Rate	6.875%
Next Interest Rate Change	06/01/2017
Prepayment Penalty	No
Escrow Balance	(\$20,204.11)

Partial Payments are not applied to your mortgage, but instead are held in a separate unapplied account. If you pay the balance of a partial payment, the unapplied funds will then be added to your mortgage. Adverse credit reporting, late charges and property inspections may occur as a result of the delinquency.

Explanation of Amount Due	
Principal	\$0.00
Interest	<b>\$2,</b> 183.67
Escrow (for Taxes & Insurance)	<b>\$2</b> 30.28
Regular Monthly Payment	\$2,413.95
Overdue Payments	\$205,185.75
Total Fees Charged	\$0.00
Total Amount Due	\$207,599,70

Past Payments Breakdown		
	Paid	d Year to Date
Principal	\$0.00	\$0.00
Interest	\$0.00	\$0.00
Escrow (for Taxes & Insurance)	\$0.00	\$0.00
Suspense (Unapplied Funds)	\$446.28	\$0.00
Fees	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$446.28	\$0.00

**Delinquency Notice** 

You are late on your monthly payments. Failure to bring the account current may result in additional fees or expenses, and in certain instances, you may risk foreclosure. The amount needed to cure the definquency is \$207,599.70. If you are unable to pay this amount, please call your account manager to explore

As of August 10, 2015, you are 2565 days delinquent on your mortgage loan.

- Payment Due 03/01/2015 Unpaid balance of \$2.413.95 Payment Due 04/01/2015 Unpaid balance of \$2.413.95 Payment Due 05/01/2015 Unpaid balance of \$2.413.95 Payment Due 05/01/2015 Unpaid balance of \$2.413.95

- Payment Due: 07/01/2015 Unpaid balance of \$2,413.95
- Payment Due: 08/01/2015 Unpaid balance of \$2,413.95

Total \$207,599.70 - You must pay this amount to bring your loan current.

If you are experiencing financial difficulty, see back for information about home ownership counseling.

DETACH AND RETURN BOTTOM PORTION WITH YOUR PAYMENT

SERVICING VICENTA LINCICOME

Account Number 114477

Due Date 09/01/2015

Regular **Payment** \$2,413.95

**Past** Due \$205,185.75 **Payments** Due

Other **Amounts** \$0.00

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P.O. Box 3187 Carol Stream, IL 60132-3187

Amount Due						
Due By 09/01/2015:	\$207,599.70					
If payment is received after 09/16/2015	, \$109.18 late fee will be charged.					
Additional Principal	\$					
Additional Escrow	\$					
Total Amount Enclosed	\$					

APN: 029-401-17

WHEN RECORDED MAIL TO:
Sables, LLC
c/o Zieve Brodnax & Steele
3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200
Las Vegas, Nevada 89169

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Official Record

Requested By SERVICELINK TITLE AGENCY INC.

Lyon County - NV
Dawna L. Warr - Recorder

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TS No.: 16-42397

### NOTICE OF BREACH AND DEFAULT AND OF ELECTION TO SELL THE REAL PROPERTY UNDER DEED OF TRUST

IF YOUR PROPERTY IS IN FORECLOSURE BECAUSE YOU ARE BEHIND IN YOUR PAYMENTS, IT MAY BE SOLD WITHOUT ANY COURT ACTION, and you may have the legal right to bring your account in good standing by paying all of your past due payments plus permitted costs and expenses within the time permitted by law for reinstatement of your account, which is normally five (5) business day prior to the date set for the sale of your property pursuant to NRS 107.080. No sale date may be set until three months from the date this Notice of Default may be recorded (which date of recordation appears on this notice). This amount is \$265,572.39 as of 10/31/2017 and will increase until your account becomes current.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT: SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company is either the original trustee, or the duly appointed substituted Trustee, or acting as agent for the Trustee or the Beneficiary under a under a Deed of Trust dated 5/23/2007, executed by VICENTA LINCICOME, A MARRIED WOMAN, as trustor to secure obligations in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc., as nominee for SIERRA PACIFIC MORTGAGE COMPANY, INC. its successors and assigns, as Beneficiary, recorded 5/25/2007, instrument no. 407150 The subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 and recorded on 5/4/2011 of Official Records in the office of the County recorder of Lyon, County, Nevada securing, among other obligations including

One note(s) for the Original sum of \$381,150.00, that the beneficial interest under such Deed of Trust and the obligations secured hereby are presently held by Beneficiary; that a breach of and default in the obligations for which such Deed of Trust is security has occurred or that payment has not been made of:

The monthly installment which became due on 9/1/2008, along with late charges, and all subsequent monthly installments.

You are responsible to pay all payments and charges due under the terms and conditions of the loan documents which come due subsequent to the date of this notice, including, but not limited to; foreclosure trustee fees and costs, advances and late charges.

Furthermore, as a condition to bring your account in good standing, you must provide the undersigned with written proof that you are not in default on any senior encumbrance and provide proof of insurance.

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Nothing in this Notice of Default should be construed as a waiver of any fees owing to the beneficiary under the Deed of Trust, pursuant to the terms and provisions of the loan documents.

That by reason thereof the present Beneficiary under such deed of Trust has executed and delivered to said duly appointed Trustee a written Declaration of Default and Demand for Sale and has deposited with said duly appointed Trustee such Deed of Trust and all documents evidencing obligations secured thereby and has declared and does hereby declare all sums secured thereby immediately due and payable and has elected and does hereby elect to cause the trust property to be sold to satisfy the obligations secured thereby.

### NOTICE

You may have the right to cure the default hereon and reinstate the one obligation secured by such Deed of Trust above described. Section NRS 107.080 permits certain defaults to be cured upon the Payment of the amounts required by that statutory section without requiring payment of that portion of principal and interest which would not be due had no default occurred. As to owner occupied property, where reinstatement is possible, the time to reinstate may be extended to 5 days prior to the date of sale pursuant to NRS 107.080. The Trustor may have the right to bring a court action to assert the nonexistence of a default or any other defense of Trustor to acceleration and Sale.

To determine if reinstatement is possible and the amount, if any, to cure the default, contact:

PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee

c/o Fay Servicing, LLC

c/o SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company

3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200

Las Vegas, NV 89169

Beneficiary Phone: 800-495-7166/

Trustee Phone: (702) 664-1774

To reach a person with authority to negotiate a loan modification on behalf of the lender:

Lauren Jowers 800-495-7166

Property Address: 70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, DAYTON, Nevada 89403

If you have any questions, you should contact a lawyer or the governmental agency that may have insured your loan. Notwithstanding the fact that your property for sale, provided the sale is concluded prior to the conclusion of the foreclosure.

REMEMBER, YOU MAY LOSE LEGAL RIGHTS IF YOU DO NOT TAKE PROMPT ACTION.

Attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference is the Affidavit of Authority in Support of Notice of Default and Election to Sell pursuant to NRS 107.080.



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You may wish to consult a credit counseling agency to assist you. The Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) can provide you with names and addresses of local HUD approved counseling agency by calling their approved Local Housing Counseling Agency toll free number: (800) 569-4287 or you can go to HUD's website: http://portal.hud.gov.

Dated: 11/1/2017

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee

CHRISTINE O'BRIEN

Notary Public - California **Orange County** Commission # 2167057 My Comm. Expires Oct 8, 2020

Sables, LLC

c/o Zieve Brodnax & Steele

3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200

Las Vegas, Nevada 89169

(702) 948-8565

Michael Busby, Trustee Sale Officer

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of CALIFORNIA County of ORANGE

On 11/1/2017, before me, Christine O'Brien, personally appeared Michael Busby who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(les), and that by his/ner/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature of Notary

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### **Affidavit of Authority**

(Nevada Revised Statute §107.080 as amended effective June 1, 2013)

Re: TS# 16-42397

Borrower Name: VICENTA LINCICOME
Property Address: 70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE
DAYTON, Nevada 89403

Veronica Talley, am the Foreclosure Specialist Fay Servicing, LLC, the current servicer for the beneficiary of the deed of trust described in the notice of default and election to sell to which this affidavit is attached ("Deed of Trust"). The following facts are based upon my personal review of documents that are of public record in the State of Nevada and personal knowledge acquired by my personal review of the business records of the beneficiary, which are within my custody and control. The business records of the beneficiary contain entries made in the ordinary course of business at or about the time the events reflected therein occurred.

- 1(a). The full name and business address of the current trustee of record for the Deed of Trust is Sables LLC, a
  Nevada Limited Liability Company, 3753 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 200, Las Vegas, Nevada
  89169
  - 1(b). The full name and business address of the current holder of the Note secured by the Deed of Trust is PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee 60 Livingston Ave EP-MN-WS3D St. Paul MN 55107, Attn: Structured Finance Services PROF
  - 1(c). The full name and business address of the current beneficiary for the obligation or debt secured by the Deed of Trust is PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee 60 Livingston Ave EP-MN-WS3D St. Paul MN 55107, Attn: Structured Finance Services PROF
  - 1(d). The full name and business address of the current servicer for the obligation secured by the Deed of Trust is Fay Servicing, LLC, 440 S. LaSalle St., Suite 2000, Chicago, IL 60605
  - 2. From my review of the documents of public record and the business records of the current beneficiary and a title guaranty or title insurance issued by a title insurer or title agent authorized to do business in this State pursuant to Chapter 692A of the NRS, the name of each assignee and each recorded assignment of the Deed of Trust.
  - 2(a). Assignee Name: PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee

    Instrument and Recording Information: Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on 11/25/2016
    Instrument No. 544042
  - 2(b). Assignee Name: Bank of America, N.A. Successor by Merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP FKA Country wide Home Loans Servicing, LP Instrument and Recording Information: Corporation Assignment of Deed of Trust recorded on 08/15/2011 Instrument No. 480360
  - 2(c) Assignee Name: Bank of America, N.A. Successor by Merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP FKA Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP Instrument and Recording Information: Assignment of Mortgage recorded on 11/10/2010 Instrument No 467719
  - 3. The current beneficiary under the Deed of Trust, the successor in interest of the beneficiary or the trustee is in actual or constructive possession of the note secured by the Deed of Trust.

4. From my review of the documents of public record and the business records of the current beneficiary, the current trustee has authority to exercise the power of sale with respect to the property

encumbered by the Deed of Trust, pursuant to instruction from the current beneficiary of record and current holder of the note secured by the Deed of Trust.

- 5. From my review of the documents of public record and the business records of the current beneficiary, the beneficiary, servicer of the obligation, or an attorney of the beneficiary or servicer has sent to VICENTA LINCICOME, a written statement of: (I) the amount of payment required to make good the deficiency in performance of payment, avoid the exercise of the power of sale and reinstate the terms and conditions of the underlying obligation or debt existing before the deficiency in performance or payment, as of the date of the statement; (II) the amount in default; (III) the principal amount of the obligation or debt secured by the deed of trust; (IV) the amount of accrued interest and late charges; (V) a good faith estimate of all fees imposed in connection with the power of sale; and (VI) contact information for obtaining the most current amounts due and the local or toll-free telephone number that VICENTA LINCICOME may call to receive the most current amounts due and a recitation of the information in this affidavit.
- 6. The borrower or obligor of the loan secured by the Deed of Trust may call Fay Servicing, LLC at 800-495-7166 to receive the most current amounts due and a recitation of the information contained in this Affidavit.

I declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of Nevada that the foregoing is true and correct and that this Affidavit was executed on 12044.5, 2044.

By:

Veronica Talley

(Print Name)

(Signature)

Foreclosure Specialist IV

(Title)

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

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Notary Public, who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to

be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s) or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature

ALLISON ANN JOHNSTONES Notary Public. State of Texas My Commission Exp. (es April 27, 2019

Affidavit of Authority to Exercise the Power of Sale Revised 6/1/2013



### Declaration of Mortgage Servicer Pursuant to NR 107.510

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Borrower(s):

VICENTA LINCICOME

Mortgage Servicer:

Fay Servicing, LLC

**Property Address:** 

70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE

DAYTON, Nevada 89403

The undersigned, as an authorized agent or employee of the mortgage servicer named below; declares that:

- 1. The mortgage servicer has contacted the borrower pursuant to NRS 107.510 (2), lassess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid a foreclosure sale". Thirty (30) days, or more, have passed since the initial contact was made.
- 2. The mortgage servicer has exercised due diligence to contact the borrower pursuant to NRS 107.510 (5), to "assess the borrower's financial situation and explore options for the borrower to avoid foreclosure". Thirty (30) days, or more, have passed since these due diligence efforts were satisfied.
- 3. I No contact was required by the mortgage/servicer because the individual(s) did not meet the definition of "borrower" pursuant to NRS 107.410.
- 4. Unusual During the preceding annual reporting period, the Lender has foreclosed on 100 or fewer real properties located in this state and therefore, pursuant to NRS 107.460, the provisions of NRS 107.400 to 107.560, inclusive, do not apply.
- 5. The loan is not a "residential mortgage loan" as defined in NRS 107.450.

I certify that this declaration is accurate, complete and supported by competent and reliable evidence which the mortgage servicer has reviewed to substantiate the borrower's default and the right to foreclose, including the borrower's loan status and loan information.

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OFFICIAL RECORD

Requested By: SERVICELINK TITLE AGENCY INC

Lyon County, NV Dawna L. Warr, Recorder

Fee: \$38.00 RPTT: \$0.00 Recorded By: mkassebaum

APN No.: 029-401-17

[Recording requested by:]

[When recorded mail to:]
Sables LLC
c/o Zieve Brodnax & Steele
9435 West Russell Road, Suite 120
Las Vegas, Nevada 89148

T.S. No. 16-42397

### NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED 5/23/2007. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY, IT MAY BE SOLD AT A PUBLIC SALE. IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDING AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

A public auction sale to the highest bidder for eash, cashier's check drawn on a state or national bank, check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, or savings association, or savings bank specified in Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in this state will be held by the duly appointed trustee as shown below, of all right, title, and interest conveyed to and now held by the trustee in the hereinafter described property under and pursuant to a Deed of Trust described below. The sale will be made, but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances, to pay the remaining principal sum of the note(s) secured by the Deed of Trust, with interest and late charges thereon, as provided in the note(s), advances, under the terms of the Deed of Trust, interest thereon, fees, charges and expenses of the Trustee for the total amount (at the time of the initial publication of the Notice of Sale) reasonably estimated to be set forth below. The amount may be greater on the day of sale.

TRUSTOR: VICENTA LINCICOME, A MARRIED WOMAN

Duly Appointed Trustee: Sables LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company

Recorded 5/25/2007, as Instrument No. 407150, The subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 and recorded on 5/4/2011 Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Lyon County, Nevada, Described as follows:

THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LYON, STATE OF NEVADA, AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

All that certain real property situate in the County of Lyon, State of Nevada, described as follows:

Lot 42 as shown on the official map of GOLD CANYON ESTATES, PHASE 2, filed in the office of the Lyon County, Nevada Recorder, on October 20, 2005, as Document No. 365687.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM all that portion thereof, lying below the natural ordinary high water line of the Carson River.

Date of Sale: 11/9/2018 at 11:00 AM

Place of Sale:

31 S. Main Street Yerington, Nevada 89447

**Lyon County Courthouse** 

Estimated Sale Amount: \$666,632.22

Street Address or other common designation of real property:

70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE DAYTON, Nevada 89403

A.P.N. No.: 029-401-17

The undersigned Trustee disclaims any liability for any incorrectness of the street address or other common designation, if any, shown above. If no street address or other common designation is shown, directions to the location of the property may be obtained by sending a written request to the beneficiary within 10 days of the date of first publication of this Notice of Sale.

Date: 10/11/2018

Sables LLC, a Nevada Limited Liability Company c/o Zieve Brodnax & Steele 9435 West Russell Road, Suite 120

Las Vegas, NV 89148 Phone: (702) 948-8565

Sale Information: (714) 848-9272 www.elitepostandpub.com For Non-Automated Sale Information, call: (702) 664-1774

Michael Busby, Trustee Sale Officer

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of CALIFORNIA County of ORANGE

On 10/11/2018, before me, A.J. Buckelew Notary Public, personally appeared Michael Busby who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

WITNESS my hand and official seal.

A.J. Buckelew

Signature of Notary

A. J. BUCKELEW

Notary Public - California

Orange County

Commission # 2255941

My Comm. Expires Aug 26, 2022

THIS FIRM IS ATTEMPTING TO COLLECT A DEBT AND ANY INFORMATION WE OBTAIN WILL BE USED FOR THAT PURPOSE

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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

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ORDER

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust ) given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated ) 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a ) Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. ) BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.)

Defendants.

THIS MATTER comes before the Court upon the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction filed on November 7, 2018, by Plaintiffs Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome.

THE COURT having reviewed the Application, the supporting evidence submitted therewith, and the representations of counsel, hereby makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT:

 That a Notice of Trustee's Sale was recorded by Sables, LLC, the current trustee under that certain Deed of Trust recorded in Lyon County, Nevada, on May 25, 2007, as Document No. 407150, noticing sale of the Plaintiff's real property there in described;

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property i	ocated a	at 70	Riverside	Drive,	Dayton,	Lyon	County,	Nevada,	Assessor	Parcel
Number 29	9-401-17	'; and								

3. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that Plaintiffs are likely to succeed on the merits of their claim for injunctive relief under NRS 107.560 for material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights.

THEREFORE, GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court hereby enters the following Orders:

- 1. That Sables, LLC, is hereby restrained and temporarily enjoined from selling at public auction the real property identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, at public auction until further order of the Court.
- 2. That the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded on October 12, 2019, is hereby cancelled and that the public auction of the property described in the Notice of Trustee's Sale is hereby vacated.
- 3. That a hearing to determine whether a preliminary injunction should issue shall be held on November, 2018 at 2.30 PM, at the courthouse located at 911 Harvey Way, Yerington, Nevada. Defendants, or any one of them, may appear at that time to be heard why the injunction should not issue;
- 4. That Plaintiffs are ordered to provide proper service of this Order, pursuant to NRCP 5.
  - 5. That Plaintiffs are not required to post bond.
- 6. That Plaintiffs are hereby ordered to appear at the above stated time set for the hearing in order to address their request for issuance of a preliminary injunction.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this day of November, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

ORDER

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### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Submitted this \_\_\_\_day of November, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq.

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**ORDER** 

IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR., and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

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SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust

given by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-

2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S.

BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for
BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; and DOES 1-50.)

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Defendants.

THIS MATTER comes before the Court upon the Application for Ex Parte Restraining

Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction (hereinafter "Application") filed on

November 7, 2018, by Plaintiffs Albert Ellis Lincicome, Jr., and Vicenta Lincicome

(hereinafter "Lincicomes"), thereby seeking a restraining order, preliminary injunction and

permanent injunction upon the sale of the Lincicomes' residence by Sables, LLC, at public

25 auction.

On November 8, 2018, the Court entered an Order temporarily enjoining and

restraining Sables, LLC, from conducting a trustee's sale of the Lincicomes' residence, and

set a hearing upon the application to occur on November 20, 2018.

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On November 14, 2018, Defendants Prof-2013 M4-Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank") and Fay Servicing, LLC (hereinafter "Fay Servicing"), filed their Response to Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction (hereinafter "Response"). Defendants argued in their Response that Plaintiff's arguments lack merit because Plaintiffs had previously consented to foreclosure, and because violations of the applicable Homeowners Bill of Rights statute are not material.

On November 20, 2018, the Court held a hearing on the Application and Response. The Lincicomes attended with their attorney, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and US Bank and Fay Servicing appeared through their counsel Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq., of Wright, Finlay & Zak, LLP. As well, Defendant Bank of America, N.A., (hereinafter "Bank of America") appeared telephonically through its counsel Scott Lachman, Esq., of Akerman, LLP.

Counsel at the hearing stipulated to the admission of the evidence presented in the Application and Response previously filed before the Court as well as documents presented at the hearing on behalf of the Lincicomes. Additionally, Counsel stipulated that the Lincicomes' respective Affidavits filed with the Application be considered as evidence by the Court as testimony.

The Court having considered the documentary evidence, testimony and arguments presented hereby makes the following FINDINGS OF FACT:

- 1. That on May 23, 2007, in connection with the purchase of the residence located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403, Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter "Vicenta") executed a Promissory Note in favor of Sierra Pacific, and also a Deed of Trust (hereinafter "2007 DOT") in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "MERS"), as the nominee for Sierra Pacific, to secure the mortgage loan;
- 2. That on or about July 11, 2009, Bank of America offered Vicenta a Loan Modification Agreement (hereinafter "LMA") which modified and extended the maturity date

of the 2007 DOT from June 1, 2037, to August 1, 2049 and further modified the interest rate applicable to the 2007 DOT by reducing the same from 6.875% to 4.875%;

- 3. That the LMA provided that on September 1, 2014, the interest rate applicable to the 2007 DOT would increase from 4.875% to 5.375%;
- 4. That the LMA capitalized existing arrears of September 1, 2009, and modified the principal balance owed under the 2007 DOT from \$381,150 to \$417,196.58;
- 5. That on July 31, 2009, Vicenta accepted Bank of America's offer to modify the 2007 DOT, and executed the LMA and sent the document to Bank of America;
- 6. That on September 1, 2009, the Lincicomes made a payment of \$2,272.62 to Bank of America upon the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA;
- 7. That on September 1, 2009, Bank of America accepted payment, but was unable to find the modified loan in its system;
- 8. That on October 1, 2009, Bank of America refused payment from the Lincicomes, because it did not have a record that the 2007 DOT had been modified by the LMA;
- 9. That the Lincicomes' requests to make payment on the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA between October 1, 2009 and December 2011, were refused by Bank of America;
- 10. That the Lincicomes filed a petition for Chapter 13 Bankruptcy protection before the United States Bankruptcy Court, District of Nevada, on April 6, 2010, under Case No. 10-51219, and listed Bank of America as a secured creditor;
- 11. That Bank of America did not file a claim or appear in the Lincicomes Chapter13 Bankruptcy case prior to confirmation of the Lincicomes' Chapter 13 Plan;
- 12. That on May 4, 2011, Bank of America recorded a fully executed copy of the July 11, 2009 LMA with the office of the Lyon County Recorder, as Document No. 475808;
- 13. That the Lincicomes were not made aware of the execution and recording of the LMA until 2017;

- 14. That on November 26, 2014, Bank of America appeared in the Lincicomes' Chapter 13 Bankruptcy case and filed a Motion for Relief of Stay seeking relief from the automatic stay, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362;
- 15. That Bank of America's Motion for Relief of Stay did not inform the Lincicomes or the Bankruptcy Court that the LMA had been executed and recorded;
- 16. That on June 15, 2015, the Bankruptcy Court Clerk granted the Lincicomes a discharge of all of their scheduled debts;
- 17. That on August 1, 2015, Bank of America transferred the servicing of the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA to Fay Servicing;
- 18. That all statements provided by Fay Servicing to the Lincicomes between August 10, 2015 and October 10, 2018, do not reflect that the terms of the 2007 DOT had been modified by the LMA.
- 19. All statements between August 10, 2015 and October 10, 2018, reported the principal balance owed, the applicable interest rate, the payment amount, the total arrearage owed, as well as the total number of payments remaining due;
- 20. That on November 10, 2015, Bank of America assigned its interest in the Deed of Trust to PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank");
- 21. That on November 3, 2017, Sables, LLC, as then acting Trustee under the 2007 DOT, recorded its Notice of Breach and Default and of Election to Sell the Real Property under Deed of Trust (hereinafter "NOD") with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 572258;
- 22. That the NOD provides that the "subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 . . . on 5/4/2011;"
- 23. That the NOD provides that all monthly installments from "9/1/2008" forward are due, instead of 9/1/2009 as required by the LMA;
- 24. That the NOD provides that the principal balance owed is \$381,150.00, instead of \$417,196.58 as provided in the LMA;

- 25. That on October 12, 2018, Defendant Sables, LLC, recorded its Notice of Trustee's Sale with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, providing that the Property would be sold by public auction on November 9, 2018, at 11:00 AM, at the Lyon County Court House on 31 S. Main Street, Yerlington, Nevada 89447;
- 26. That under the circumstances the foreclosure of the Lincicome's residence would cause them irreparable injury;
  - 27. The LMA appears to be a valid modification of the 2007 DOT;
- 28. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the total balance owed Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified by the LMA;
- 29. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the principal obligation owed by Vicenta Lincicome under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA;
- 30. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the date through which 2007 DOT as modified under LMA is paid; and
- 31. That based on the record before the Court at the hearing neither Fay Servicing nor Sables has accurately reported the current interest rate effective under the 2007 DOT as modified under the LMA.

The Court hereby enters the following Conclusions of Law:

- 1. The Homeowners Bill of Rights codified under NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560 is applicable to this foreclosure matter;
- 2. That Plaintiffs established that irreparable injury would result if Defendant Sables, LLC, was permitted to exercise the power of sale and foreclose on the Plaintiffs' real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, Assessor Parcel Number 29-401-17;

- 3. That Plaintiffs have established that they will succeed on their claim that Defendants have violated NRS 107.500(1)(b) for failing to provide accurate information required to be provided prior to the initiation of a foreclosure; and
- 4. That Plaintiffs have established to the Court's satisfaction that they were likely to succeed on the merits of their claims pertaining to material violations of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights pursuant to NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560.

THEREFORE, GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the Court enters the following orders:

- 1. That Sables, LLC, is hereby enjoined from selling at public auction the real property located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, and identified in the Notice of Trustee's Sale recorded with the Office of the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470, until further order of the Court;
- 2. That Plaintiffs shall post bond a bond in the amount of \$172,610.67 by December 20, 2018, and shall file with the Court and serve opposing counsel with a Notice of Bond filing;
- 3. That the injunction shall be effective against Defendants so long as bond is posted and Plaintiffs post additional security in the sum of \$2,105.10 on January 20, 2019, and on the 20<sup>th</sup> day of each month thereafter with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk's office;
- 4. Plaintiffs shall file a notice of compliance with the requirement to pay additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk and shall contemporaneously serve the same upon Defendants after making payment of additional security as set forth above;
- 5. That failure of Plaintiffs to timely post a bond and provide notice of bond by December 20, 2018, shall relieve Defendants of their duty to comply with this injunction enjoining the sale of 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Lyon County, Nevada, until a filing of notice of bond and a notice of compliance of Plaintiffs' satisfaction of the requirement to post additional security with the Third Judicial District Court Clerk in this matter are thereafter served upon Defendants; and

6. That the Court's orders entered in the Court's November 8, 2018 Order and the Court's November 14, 2018 Corrected Order, pertaining to the cancellation of the Notice of Sale, are hereby set aside.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 315th day of December, 2018

DISTRICT JUDGE

#### **AFFIRMATION**

The undersigned hereby affirms pursuant to NRS 239B.03 that the foregoing does not contain the social security number of any person, or other personal information as defined by NRS 603A.040.

Reviewed, approved and submitted this  $\frac{18}{2}$  day of December, 2018

Michael G. Millward, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 11212 Millward Law, Ltd.

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Reviewed, approved and submitted this day of December, 2018.

Ramir M. Hernandez, Esq. Nevada Bar No. 13146 Wright, Finlay & Zak 7785 W. Sahara Ave., Suite 200 Las Vegas, NV 89117

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### Exhibit 9

70 RIVERSIDE DR

A.P.N.: 029-401-17

RECORDING REQUESTED BY:

AND WHEN RECORDED TO: Breckenridge Property Fund, 2016, LLC 2320 Potosi St. Ste 130 Las Vegas, NV 89146

Recorded As An Accommodation
Only Without Liability

Forward Tax Statements to the address given above

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OFFICIAL RECORD

Requested By: FIRST AMERICAN TITLE INSURANCE C

Lyon County, NV Margie Kassebaum, Recorder

Fee: \$38.00 RPTT: \$1,148.55 Recorded By: Inhumildad

SPACE ABOVE LINE FOR RECORDER'S USE

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#### TRUSTEE'S DEED UPON SALE

Transfer Tax: S 1148. S The Grantee Herein WAS NOT the Foreclosing Beneficiary. The Amount of the Unpaid Debt was \$671,249.37 The Amount Paid by the Grantee was \$294,000.01 Said Property is in the City of DAYTON, County of Lyon

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee, (whereas so designated in the Deed of Trust hereunder more particularly described or as duly appointed Trustee) does hereby GRANT and CONVEY to

#### Breckenridge Property Fund, 2016, LLC

(herein called Grantee) but without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, all rights, title and interest conveyed to and now held by it as Trustee under the Deed of Trust in and to the property situated in the county of Lyon, State of Nevada, described as follows:

THE LAND REFERRED TO HEREIN BELOW IS SITUATED IN THE COUNTY OF LYON, STATE OF NEVADA. AND IS DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

All that certain real property situate in the County of Lyon, State of Nevada, described as follows: Lot 42 as shown on the official map of GOLD CANYON ESTATES, PHASE 2, filed in the office of the Lyon County, Nevada Recorder, on October 20, 2005, as Document No. 365687.

EXCEPTING THEREFROM all that portion thereof, lying below the natural ordinary high water line of the Carson River.

Property Address: 70 RIVERSIDE DRIVE, DAYTON, Nevada 89403

This conveyance is made in compliance with the terms and provisions of the Deed of Trust executed by VICENTA LINCICOME, A MARRIED WOMAN as Trustor, dated 5/23/2007 of the Official Records in the office of the Recorder of Lyon, Nevada under the authority and powers vested in the Trustee designated in the Deed of Trust or as the duly appointed Trustee, default having occurred under the Deed of Trust pursuant to the Notice of Breach and Election to Sell under the Deed of Trust recorded on 5/25/2007, as Instrument No. 407150, The subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 and recorded on 5/4/2011, of official records.

#### TRUSTEE'S DEED UPON SALE

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Trustee having complied with all applicable statutory requirements of the State of Nevada and performed all duties required by the Deed of Trust including sending a Notice of Breach and Election to Sell within ten days after its recording and a Notice of Sale at least twenty days prior to the Sale Date by certified return receipt mail, postage prepaid to each person entitled to notice in compliance with Nevada Revised Statutes 107.080.

All requirements per Nevada Statutes regarding the mailing, personal delivery and publication of copies of Notice of Default and Election to Sell under Deed of Trust and Notice of Trustee's Sale, and the posting of copies of Notice of Trustee's Sale have been complied with. Trustee, in compliance with said Notice of Trustee's sale and in exercise of its powers under said Deed of Trust sold said real property at public auction on 1/4/2019. Grantee, being the highest bidder at said sale became the purchaser of said property for the amount bid, being \$ \$294,000.01, in lawful money of the United States, in pro per, receipt there of is hereby acknowledged in full/partial satisfaction of the debt secured by said Deed of Trust.

In witness thereof, SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee, has this day, caused its name to be hereunto affixed.

Date: 1/15/2019

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company

Geoffrey Neal, Trustee Sale Officer

A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

State of CALIFORNIA County of ORANGE

On 1/15/2019 before me, the undersigned, J. Develasco Notary Public, personally appeared Geoffrey Neal who proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she/they executed the same in his/her/their authorized capacity(ies), and that by his/her/their signature(s) on the instrument the person(s), or the entity upon behalf of which the person(s) acted, executed the instrument.

I certify under PENALTY OF PERJURY under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing paragraph is true and correct.

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WITNESS my hand and official seal.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_\_

(Seal)

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Notary Public - California
Orange County
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P.O. BOX 51850 LIVONIA MI 48151-5850 RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

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Fax: 866-467-1137 www.shellpointmtg.com Mon - Thurs: 8:00AM-10:00PM

Fri: 8:00AM-10:00PM Sat: 8:00AM-3:00PM

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Loan Number: 0578622530

12/28/2018

#### NOTICE OF SALE OF OWNERSHIP OF MORTGAGE LOAN

#### Dear VICENTA LINCICOME:

Under federal law, borrowers must be notified in writing whenever ownership of a mortgage loan is sold, transferred or assigned ("sold") to a new owner. This Notice is to inform you that the prior owner of your loan sold your loan to the new owner identified below (the "New Owner") on 11/28/2018.

SHOULD YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS REGARDING YOUR LOAN, PLEASE CONTACT Shellpoint USING THE CONTACT INFORMATION LISTED BELOW. Shellpoint is authorized to handle routine inquiries and requests regarding your loan and, if necessary, to inform the New Owner of your request and communicate to you any decision with respect to such request.

#### LOAN INFORMATION

Borrower: VICENTA LINCICOME

Date of Loan: 05/23/2007

Original Amount of Loan: \$381,150.00

Date Your Loan was Transferred to the New Owner: 11/28/2018

Address of Mortgaged Property: 70 RIVERSIDE DR DAYTON, NV 89403

#### AS OF 01/07/2019 YOUR SERVICER IS Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing

Mailing Address:

P.O. Box 10826 Greenville, SC 29603-0826

Telephone Number(Toll free):

800-365-7107

Fax Number:

866-467-1137

Scope of responsibilities: The servicer is responsible for ongoing administration of your loan, including receipt of legal notices, receipt and processing of payments, resolution of payment-related issues, and response to any other inquiries you may have regarding your loan.

#### YOUR NEW OWNER IS MCM 2018-NPL2

Mailing Address: 7101 Wisconsin Avenue Suite 1012 Bethesda MD 20814

Telephone Number: 240-744-3100

Scope of responsibilities: The New Owner holds legal title to your loan (transfer of ownership has not been publicly recorded).

The New Owner has hired Shellpoint to service your mortgage loan and to act as agent for the New Owner.

Please be advised that all questions involving the administration of your loan should be directed to Shellpoint at the number above and NOT to the New Owner. The New Owner does not have access to information relating to the administration of your loan, will not be able to answer most loan-related questions, and, accordingly, will refer inquiries it receives to Shellpoint.

IMPORTANT NOTE: The New Owner of your loan is not the servicer of your loan. Shellpoint acts on behalf of the New Owner to handle the ongoing administration of your loan, including the collection of mortgage payments. Please continue to send your mortgage payments as directed to Shellpoint, and NOT to the New Owner.

#### Partial Payments:

Your lender:

may accept payments that are less than the full amount due (partial payments) and apply them to your loan.

may hold partial payments in a separate account until you pay the rest of the payment, and then apply the full payment to your loan, does not accept any partial payments.

#### If this loan is sold, your new lender may have a different policy.

The transfer of the lien associated with your loan is currently recorded, or in the future may be recorded, in the public records of the local County Recorder's office for the county where your property is located. If checked , ownership of your loan is also recorded on the registry of the Mortgage Electronic Registrations System at 1818 Library Street, Suite 300, Reston, VA 20190.

Si usted no entiende el contenido de esta carta, por favor contacte a uno de nuestros representantes que hablan español al número 800-365-7107.

Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing 800-365-7107

#### Please read the following important notices as they may affect your rights.

New Penn Financial LLC dba Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing is a debt collector. This is an attempt to collect a debt and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.



If you are a customer in bankruptcy or a customer who has received a bankruptcy discharge of this debt: please be advised that this notice is to advise you of the status of your mortgage loan. This notice constitutes neither a demand for payment nor a notice of personal liability to any recipient hereof, who might have received a discharge of such debt in accordance with applicable bankruptcy laws or who might be subject to the automatic stay of Section 362 of the United States Bankruptcy Code. However, it may be a notice of possible enforcement of the lien against the collateral property, which has not been discharged in your bankruptcy.

Attention Servicemembers and Dependents: The federal Servicemembers Civil Relicf Act and certain state laws provide important protections for you, including interest rate protections and prohibiting foreclosure under most circumstances during and twelve months after the servicemember's military or other service. Counseling for covered servicemembers is available from Military OneSource (800-342-9647) and the United States Armed Forces Legal Assistance or other similar agencies. For more information, please visit the Military OneSource website www.militaryonesource.mil/.

Notice of Error or Information Request Address: You have certain rights under Federal law related to resolving errors in the servicing of your loan and requesting information about your loan. If you want to request information about your loan or if you believe an error has occurred in the servicing of your loan and would like to submit an Error Resolution or Informational Request, please write to us at the following address: Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing P.O. Box 10826 Greenville, SC 29603-0826

A successor in interest is someone who acquires an ownership interest in a property secured by a mortgage loan by transfer upon the death of a relative, as a result of a divorce or legal separation, through certain trusts, between spouses, from a parent to a child, or when a borrower who is a joint tenant or tenant by the entirety dies. If you are a successor in interest, or you think you might be, please contact by phone, mail or email to start the confirmation process.

If you prefer to receive communication in a language other than English, please contact us at 800-365-7107 to speak with a translator in your preferred language about the servicing of your loan or a document you received.

Si prefiere recibir las comunicaciones en otro idioma que no sea el inglés, por favor, contáctenos en el 800-365-7107 para hablar con un traductor en el idioma de su preferencia sobre la gestión de su préstamo o cualquier documento que haya recibido.

如果您要使用英语以外的其他语言进行交流,请致电 800-365-7107。我们将根据您首选的语言安排相应的译员,与您就贷款服务事项或您所接收的文件进行商讨。

# Exhibit 11

P.O. BOX 51850 LIVONIA MI 48151-5850 RETURN SERVICE REQUESTED

P9HPCV00200193 - 568204428 100770 VICENTA LINCICOME 1591 MONO AVE MINDEN NV 89423-4012

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Phone Number: 800-365-7107 Fax: 866-467-1137 www.shellpointmtg.com

Mon - Thurs: 8:00AM-10:00PM

Fri: 8:00AM-10:00PM **Sat:** 8:00AM-3:00PM

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Loan Number:	0578622530
Principal Balance:	\$381,150.00
Deferred Balance:	\$0.00
Property:	70 RIVERSIDE DR
	DAYTON, NV 89403

### VALIDATION OF DEBT NOTICE

01/17/2019

Dear Mortgagor:

This is a Validation of Debt Notice that is required by the Fair Debt Collection Practices Act.

As of the date of this notice, the total amount of your debt is \$670,994.62. This amount consists of the following:

Total amount of your debt	\$ 670,994.62
Unapplied balance	\$ -791.01
Unpaid late fees and other charges	\$ 7,631.11
Escrow advances	\$ 29,434.72
Current accrued unpaid interest (includes any deferred interest balance)	\$ 253,569.80
Current principal balance (includes any deferred principal balance)	\$ 381,150.00

Interest and other charges will continue to accrue on your debt, so the total will change after the date of this notice. Please call us at the phone number listed below for an updated total amount of your debt. You also can call us to find out the amount required to bring your debt current.

The name of the creditor to whom this debt is owed is 1900 Capital Trust II, BY U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, NOT IN ITS INDIVIDUAL CAPACITY BUT SOLELY AS CERTIFICATE TRUSTEE.

Unless you, within thirty (30) days after receipt of this notice, dispute the validity of the debt, or any portion thereof, Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing ("Shellpoint") will assume the debt to be valid.

If you notify Shellpoint in writing within thirty (30) days after receipt of this notice that the debt, or any portion thereof, is disputed, Shellpoint will obtain verification of the debt and a copy of such verification will be mailed to you by Shellpoint.

Upon your written request within the thirty (30) day period, Shellpoint will provide you with the name and address of the original creditor, if different from the current creditor.

Send written correspondence to: Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing P.O. Box 10826 Greenville, SC 29603-0826

Our phone number: 800-365-7107

We are available Monday through Thursday 8:00AM-10:00PM, Friday 8:00AM-10:00PM, and Saturday 8:00AM-3:00PM EST.

For your benefit and assistance, there are government approved home ownership counseling agencies designed to help homeowners avoid losing their homes. To obtain a list of approved counseling agencies, please call (800) 569-4287.

Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing is attempting to collect a debt, and any information obtained will be used for that purpose.

Si usted no entiende el contenido de esta carta, por favor contacte a uno de nuestros representantes que hablan espanol al numero 800-365-7107.

Sincerely,

Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing P.O. Box 10826 Greenville, SC 29603-0826 800-365-7107

# Exhibit 12

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Case No: 18-CV-01332

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The undersigned affirms that this document does not contain personal information, pursuant to NRS 603A.040

### IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

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ALBERT ELLIS LINCICOME, JR. and VICENTA LINCICOME,

Plaintiffs,

|| V.

SABLES, LLC, a Nevada limited liability company, as Trustee of the Deed of Trust jeven by Vicenta Lincicome and dated 5/23/2007; FAY SERVICING, LLC, a Delaware limited liability company and subsidiary of Fay Financial, LLC; PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK, N.A., as Legal Title Trustee; for BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; NEWREZ, LLC, d/b/a SHELLPOINT MORTGAGE

(ARBITRATION EXEMPT-DECLARATORY RELIEF)

BANK OF AMERICA, N.A.; NEWREZ, LLC, d/b/a SHELLPOINT MORTGAGE

SERVICING, LLC; 1900 CAPITAL TRUST II, BY U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL

ASSOCIATION; MCM-2018-NPL2;

BRECKENRIDGE PROPERTY FUND 2016, LLC, a Utah limited liability company; and DOES 1-10.

Defendants.

COME NOW, ELLIS LINCICOME and VICENTA LINCICOME, by and through their attorney, Michael G. Millward, Esq., of Millward Law, Ltd., and hereby allege and aver against the Defendants named in this matter as follows:

#### **PARTIES**

1. At all times relevant herein, Plaintiff ELLIS LINCICOME is and was a resident of the State of Nevada, residing at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403.

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- 2. At all times relevant herein, Plaintiff VICENTA LINCICOME is and was a resident of the State of Nevada, residing at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403.
- 3. At all times relevant herein, Defendant SABLES, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "Sables"), is and was a Nevada limited liability company, providing deed of trust trustee services to servicers and financial institutions.
- 4. At all times relevant herein, Defendant FAY SERVICING, LLC (hereinafter referred to as "Fay Servicing"), is and was a Delaware limited liability company. Fay Servicing provides loan servicing for financial institutions and is the servicer for the beneficiary of the deed of trust and mortgage loan that is the subject of this Complaint.
- 5. Upon information and belief, at all times relevant herein, Defendant PROF-2013-M4 LEGAL TITLE TRUST by U.S. BANK NATIONAL ASSOCIATION (hereinafter referred to as "US Bank"), as legal title trustee, was a mortgage investment trust. At all times relevant herein, US Bank, was a non-title 7 business entity, registered to do business in the State of Nevada, conducting business in the State of Nevada as a national bank, and providing commercial banking services for individuals, businesses, and institutions in the State of Nevada.
- 6. At all times relevant herein, Defendant BANK OF AMERICA, N.A., successor by merger to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP, formerly Countrywide Home Loans Servicing, LP, (hereinafter referred to as "Bank of America") was a non-title seven business entity, registered to do business in the State of Nevada, conducting business in the State of Nevada as a national bank, and providing commercial banking services for individuals, businesses, and institutions in the State of Nevada.
- 7. At all times relevant herein, Defendant NEWREZ, LLC d/b/a Shellpoint Mortgage Servicing, LLC (hereinafter "Shellpoint") is and was a Delaware limited liability company. Shellpoint provides loan servicing services for the beneficiary of the deed of trust and mortgage loan that is the subject of this Complaint.
- 8. Upon information and belief, at all times relevant herein, Defendant 1900 CAPITAL TRUST II, BY U.S. BANK TRUST NATIONAL ASSOCIATION, (hereinafter referred to

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as "Capital Trust"), as legal title trustee, was a mortgage investment trust. At all times relevant herein, Capital Trust, was a non-title 7 business entity, registered to do business in the State of Nevada, conducting business in the State of Nevada as a national bank, and providing commercial banking services for individuals, businesses, and institutions in the State of Nevada.

- 9. Upon information and belief, Defendant MCM-2018-NPL2, is an investment Trust administered by MCM Capital, LLC (hereinafter "MCM") as Trustee. MCM is a Delaware limited liability company and provides services as a mortgage investor, manager, advisor and technology provider.
- 10. At all times relevant herein, Defendant BRECKENRIDGE PROPERTY FUND 2016, LLC, a Utah limited liability company (hereinafter "Breckenridge"), is and was the grantee of a Trustee's Deed recorded with the Lyon County Recorder on January 25, 2019, as Document No. 591393.
- 11. The true names, capacities, and/or involvement of the DOE Defendants named herein are unknown to Plaintiffs ELLIS LINCICOME and VICENTA LINCICOME (together hereinafter referred to as "the Lincicomes"), who therefore sue said Defendants by fictitious names. The Lincicomes are informed and believe, and thereon allege, that those persons or entities are the partners, owners, shareholders, agents, employees, or alter egos of the Defendants named herein, or those persons have an interest in the deed of trust or mortgage loan, or are otherwise affected by the relief sought herein. The Lincicomes pray leave to amend this Complaint to show their true names and capacities when the same have been determined. The Lincicomes are informed and believe, and thereon allege, that each of the Defendants named herein as a DOE is legally responsible in some manner for the events and happenings herein referred to in this lawsuit.

#### **JURISDICTION**

The Third Judicial District Court in and for the County of Lyon has personal 12. jurisdiction over all parties pursuant to NRS 14.065 and subject matter jurisdiction over all claims asserted in this Complaint pursuant to Article VI of the Nevada Constitution.

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### VENUE

13. The Third Judicial District Court in and for the County of Lyon is the proper venue for this action pursuant to NRS 13.010 because the actions arose out of contracts executed and to be performed in Lyon County, Nevada, and the real property at issue and affected by the relief sought is located in Lyon County, Nevada.

#### **GENERAL ALLEGATIONS**

- 14. In May of 2007, the Lincicomes agreed to enter into a residential mortgage loan with Sierra Pacific for the purchase of a home located at 70 Riverside Drive, Dayton, Nevada 89403 (hereinafter "Residence" or "Premises").
- 15. Sierra Pacific requested that Plaintiff Ellis Lincicome (hereinafter individually referred to as "Ellis") make a withdrawal of \$80,000 from his 401K retirement plan to be contributed as part of the down payment of the home purchase.
- 16. On May 23, 2007, Vicenta Lincicome (hereinafter individually referred to as "Vicenta") executed a Promissory Note in favor of Sierra Pacific as part of an interest only residential mortgage loan.
- 17. On that same day, May 23, 2007, Vicenta executed a Deed of Trust (hereinafter "Deed of Trust") in favor of Mortgage Electronic Registration Systems, Inc. (hereinafter referred to as "MERS"), a Delaware Corporation that tracks ownership interests and servicing rights in mortgage loans and holds title to mortgages solely as nominee for its member-lenders, as the nominee for Sierra Pacific to secure the mortgage loan. The Promissory Note and Deed of Trust are attached hereto as **Exhibit 1.**
- 18. In or about March of 2008, the Lincicomes learned that they had incurred a tax bill of nearly \$20,000 for having taken the \$80,000 distribution from Ellis's 401k.
- 19. The Lincicomes were unable to make their June 1, 2008, mortgage payment and were unable to later catch up on past due payments.
- 20. Also on April 27, 2009, Bank of America, N.A., and Countrywide Bank, N.A., merged. See Ex. C to *Motion for Relief of Stay* attached as **Exhibit 2.**



- 21. After receiving a Notice of Default and Notice of Sale, the Lincicomes began the process of applying for a mortgage workout with Bank of America.
- 22. On July 31, 2009, Vicenta executed a Loan Modification Agreement (hereinafter "LMA") with BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP, which provided that the first payment of \$2,272.62 was to be made September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2009. A copy of the 2009 Loan Modification Agreement is attached hereto as **Exhibit 3.**
- 23. The LMA extended the maturity date to August 1, 2049, and, as of August 1, 2009, the interest rate applicable to their loan would be reduced from the current rate of 6.875% to 4.875%. The LMA provided that on September 1, 2014, the interest rate would increase to 5.375%. Under the LMA all arrears were to be capitalized as of September 1, 2009, and the new principal balance owed would be \$417,196.58. A copy of the "Important Message About Your Loan" notice is attached as **Exhibit 4.**
- 24. On July 31, 2009, the LMA, which was fully executed by Vicenta, was sent by Federal Express in the reusable Fed-Ex envelope provided with the loan modification package to BAC Home Loans Servicing, LP Modification, 100 Beecham Drive, Suite 104, Pittsburgh, PA 15205.
- 25. On September 1, 2009, the Lincicomes travelled to the Bank of America branch located in Carson City to make their first payment under the LMA. The banker assisting the Lincicomes was a young woman named Crystal. After searching for information concerning the Lincicomes' loan, Crystal could not find any record of the LMA in their system. Crystal accepted payment under the understanding that it was to be credited against the Lincicomes' loan as modified by the LMA, once the LMA had been entered into their system. Crystal told the Lincicomes to contact Bank of America customer service and request a coupon book for the LMA to make payments easier.
- 26. On or about September 1, 2009, Vicenta contacted Bank of America Customer Service and was told to go to the Customer Assistance Center on Rose Drive in Reno. The Lincicomes were assisted by Manager Barbara Keady. The Lincicomes showed Ms. Keady a

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signed copy of the LMA. Ms. Keady informed the Lincicomes that Bank of America would investigate the status of the LMA.

- 27. On or about October 1, 2009, Vicenta travelled to the Carson City Bank of America branch to make the second payment on the LMA. This time the banker, a middle-aged woman, refused the payment and indicated that there was no record of the existence of the LMA in Bank of America's computer system.
- 28. Bank of America provided a Home Loan Statement dated October 29, 2009, which establishes that Bank of America had not applied the terms of the LMA to the Lincicomes' mortgage loan. The October 29, 2009 statement is attached as **Exhibit 5.** The statement reflects an incorrect payment amount, an incorrect interest rate and an incorrect past due amount. Ex. 5.
- 29. From October 1, 2009, to December of 2011, the Lincicomes continued to contact Bank of America by phone to inquire as to the status of the LMA and make payment. On each phone call, the Bank of America customer service representative would inform the Lincicomes that the matter was being investigated. Copies of correspondence from Bank of America dated December 15, 2009, February 23, 2010, March 12, 2010, October 19, 2011 and December 23, 2011, are attached hereto as **Exhibit 6.**
- 30. On March 12, 2010, the Lincicomes again contacted Bank of America by phone and again were informed that the status of the LMA was still being investigated. However, during this call the Lincicomes were advised to seek help from the Department of Housing and Urban Development's (HUD) Financial Guidance Center.
- 31. In April, the Lincicomes met with HUD Counselor Lucy Powell. Ms. Powell assisted the Lincicomes with the design of an action plan, which included the filing of a Chapter 13 Bankruptcy petition to cure the arrearage with Bank of America that would have accrued since the LMA was signed, and to force Bank of America to find and recognize the LMA.

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- 33. The deadline for Bank of America to file a claim was set by the Bankruptcy Court Clerk to expire on August 12, 2010. A copy of the *Notice of Chapter 13 Bankruptcy Case, Meeting of Creditors, & Deadlines* is attached as **Exhibit 7.**
- 34. Neither Bank of America nor BAC Home Loan Servicing filed a claim in the Lincicomes' Bankruptcy case.
- 35. Without a claim filing or information regarding the validity of the LMA and the current arrears to go off of, the Lincicomes were unable to include payment of arrears as part of their Chapter 13 plan.
  - 36. Upon information and belief, in early 2011, Bank of America found the LMA.
- 37. Senior Vice President of Bank of America, James S. Smith, executed the LMA on March 22, 2011.
- 38. A fully executed copy of the LMA was recorded with the office of the Lyon County Recorder on May 4, 2011, as Document No. 475808.
- 39. Bank of America did not give the Lincicomes notice that the LMA had been signed and recorded.
- 40. The Lincicomes remained unaware of the fact that the LMA had been found, or that it had been agreed to and fully executed by Bank of America, until 2017.
- 41. On November 26, 2014, Bank of America appeared in the Lincicomes' Bankruptcy case and filed a *Motion for Relief of Stay* seeking relief from the automatic stay, pursuant to 11 U.S.C. § 362.
- 42. In the *Motion for Relief of Stay*, Bank of America did not inform the Bankruptcy Court of the 2009 LMA, nor did it provide the Court with a copy of the LMA recorded on May 4, 2011.

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- 43. On June 15, 2015, the Bankruptcy Court Clerk granted the Lincicomes discharge of all of their scheduled debts. A copy of the June 15, 2015 Discharge Order is attached as **Exhibit 8**.
- 44. Prior to discharge, but after the Court had entered an order granting Bank of America's *Motion for Relief of Stay*, the Lincicomes again applied for a loan modification.
- 45. On or about April 24, 2015, Bank of America accepted the loan modification application and required the Lincicomes to complete three trial modification payments before they could move forward with modifying their mortgage loan. A copy of April 24, 2015 loan modification notice is attached as **Exhibit 9.**
- 46. The April 24, 2015 loan modification notice provided that upon completion of the trial payments, the Lincicomes' mortgage would be extended to May 1, 2055, that the interest rate would be reduced to 4.125%, and that if it is determined that the unpaid balance of the Lincicomes mortgage exceeds 115% of the current value of their home, the Lincicomes would be eligible to have up to 30% of their principal balance deferred and not be subject to interest. Ex.9.
- 47. The Lincicomes made the first trial payment of \$2,013.78 on May 28, 2015. The second trial payment was made on July 1, 2015.
- 48. Then on August 1, 2015, while attempting to make the third trial payment, Bank of America informed the Lincicomes that their loan had been transferred to Fay Servicing, LLC. A copy of the check which the Lincicomes attempted to tender on August 1, 2015, payable to Bank of America, is attached hereto as **Exhibit 10.**
- 49. The Lincicomes called Fay Servicing that same day, August 1, 2015, to make payment and spoke with account manager Rosalind Jackson. Ms. Jackson informed the Lincicomes that Fay Servicing does not honor Bank of America modifications.
- 50. On August 10, 2015, Fay Servicing generated a Mortgage Statement indicating the amount due on the Lincicomes' account on September 1, 2015, was \$207,599.70, and reflecting an interest rate of 6.875 percent and indicating there were 85 payments that

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remain due on the account. A copy of Fay Servicing's Mortgage Statement generated August 10, 2015, is attached hereto as **Exhibit 11**.

- On August 11, 2015, Fay Servicing, LLC, sent a letter to the Lincicomes that 51. Bank of America was no longer their loan servicer and that beginning August 1, 2015, all payment should be sent to Fay Servicing.
- 52. The Lincicomes were devastated when neither Bank of America nor Fay Servicing would accept their payment and that Fay Servicing would not honor the April 24, 2015 loan modification offer.
- On November 10, 2015, Bank of America assigned its interest in the Deed of 53. Trust to PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank"). A copy of the November 10, 2015 Assignment is attached as Exhibit 12.
- The November 10, 2015, Assignment to US Bank was recorded with the Lyon 54. County Recorder as Document No. 544042. Ex.12.
- 55. In 2016, the Lincicomes applied for the Home Affordable Modification Program (HAMP) modification through Fay Servicing. Fay Servicing informed the Lincicomes that they only qualified for a Home Affordable Foreclose Alternatives (HAFA) Short Sale. The Lincicomes appealed Fay Servicing's denial of their qualification for HAMP.
- On September 7, 2016, Fay Servicing sent the Lincicomes a response to their 56. appeal of their denial therein indicating that the Lincicomes did not have sufficient income to qualify for a modification, and also that they were not qualified for the HAMP Unemployment Program (HAMP UP) "because the property is not your primary residence."
- 57. The Lincicomes have continuously used and claimed their home located at 70 Riverside Dr., Dayton, Nevada, as their residence.
- After being denied, the Lincicomes reached out to Senator Harry Reid's office 58. for help. Shortly thereafter Fay Servicing offered the Lincicomes a trial modification at \$2,528.86 per month.



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- 59. The Lincicomes completed the three trial payments by December 1, 2016. Then on December 15, 2016, Fay Servicing sent the Lincicomes the final modification agreement. After reviewing the agreement, the Lincicomes knew that entering into the modification under the proposed terms would leave them in a terrible financial position, and would likely result in another default upon the modified terms. The Lincicomes decided not to enter into the agreement.
- On December 20, 2016, the Lincicomes then elected to enter the State of Nevada Foreclosure Mediation Program.
- Anita Conboy was appointed mediator and mediation was scheduled and held 61. on April 17, 2017. The mediation was terminated when no agreement between the parties was reached. No certificate of mediation was issued because Fay Servicing did not bring any certifications for any of the documents as required by law.
- On November 3, 2017, Sables, LLC, as Trustee under the Deed of Trust, 62. recorded its Notice of Breach and Default and Election to Sell the Real Property under Deed of Trust (hereinafter "NOD"). A copy of the NOD is attached hereto as **Exhibit 13**.
- 63. The NOD provides that as of October 31, 2017, \$265,572.39 is owed in arrears. Even though the NOD acknowledges that the "subject Deed of Trust was modified by Loan Modification Agreement recorded as Instrument 475808 . . . recorded on 5/4/2011 . . . in the office of the County recorder of Lyon County," it also provides that all monthly installments from "9/1/2008" forward are due.
- The NOD is incorrect because the LMA was effective July 31, 2009, with the first installment to be made on 9/1/2009 instead of 8/1/2008. Ex.3.
- The NOD includes an Affidavit of Authority signed on October 5, 2016, by 65. Veronica Talley, as a "Foreclosure Specialist IV" (hereinafter "Talley Affidavit") stating that Fay Servicing has complied with the requirements of NRS 107.080.
- The Talley Affidavit misstates the date of recording of the November 10, 2015 66. Assignment from Bank of America to PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National

Association, as Legal Title Trustee, as having been recorded November 25, 2016, instead of the actual date of recording November 25, 2015. Ex.13; Ex.12.

- 67. The Talley Affidavit was signed nearly 13 months prior to the recording of the NOD.
- 68. The Declaration of the Mortgage Service attached to the NOD indicates that pursuant to the requirements of NRS 107.510 the mortgage servicer contacted the borrower to assess the borrower's financial situation and to explore options for the borrower to avoid a foreclosure sale. The Declaration was signed and dated April 5, 2016, nearly 19 months prior to the signing of the NOD to which it is attached. Ex.13, p.6.
- 69. The Lincicomes attended a second mediation on April 3, 2018, and a Certificate of Mediation was issued on October 4, 2018.
- 70. The Certificate of Mediation provides that the Lincicomes will voluntarily relinquish the property.
- 71. Even though a deed in lieu of foreclosure was discussed as the Lincicomes' only option at the mediation, and recommended by their attorney Geoffrey Giles, they did not agree to relinquish their property.
- 72. On October 12, 2018, Sables, LLC, recorded its *Notice of Trustee's Sale* with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 587470.
- 73. The October 12, 2018 *Notice of Trustee's Sale* provides that the date of sale is November 9, 2018, at 11:00 AM, at the Lyon County Court House on 31 S. Main Street Yerington, Nevada 89447.
- 74. On November 7, 2018, the Lincicomes filed a *Complaint* for Declaratory Relief and an *Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction* in the Third Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, as Case No. 18-CV-01332.
- 75. On November 7, 2018, a *Notice of Lis Pendens* was filed in the Third Judicial District Court Case No. 18-CV-01332 against the Premises and was recorded on November 8, 2018, with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 588549.

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- On November 8, 2018, a Notice of Entry of Order concerning entry of the 77. Court's November 8, 2018 Order was served on all interested parties by mail.
- On November 14, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered a Corrected 78. Order restraining and enjoining Defendants from foreclosing on the Property.
- On November 20, 2018, a Notice of Entry of Order concerning entry of the 79. Court's November 14, 2018 Corrected Order was served on all interested parties.
- On November 20, 2018, the Court held a hearing on the Application for Ex Parte Restraining Order, Preliminary Injunction and Permanent Injunction.
  - On December 21, the Third Judicial District Court took Sable's default. 81.
- On December 31, 2018, the Third Judicial District Court entered its Order 82. therein enjoining Sables from selling the Premises at public auction until further order of the Court.
- On December 28, 2018, the Lincicomes received a notice from Shellpoint 83. Mortgage Servicing, LLC, indicating that MCM 2018-NPL2 is the new beneficiary of the Deed of Trust.
- On January 4, 2019, a Notice of Entry of Order concerning entry of the Court's 84. December 31, 2018 Order was served on all interested parties.
  - On January 4, 2019, Sables, sold the Premises at foreclosure to Breckenridge. 85.
- On January 17, 2019, the Lincicomes received a notice from Shellpoint that 86. 1900 Capital Trust II, by U.S. Bank Trust National Association, is the new beneficiary of the Deed of Trust.
- On January 25, 2019, a Trustee's Deed Upon Sale was recorded in the office of 87. the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 591393. A copy of the Trustee's Deed Upon Sale recorded as Document No. 591393 is attached hereto as Exhibit 15.



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88. The Trustee's Deed was issued in violation of the Court's December 31, 2018 Order enjoining Sables from conducting the sale of the Premises.

#### FIRST CAUSE OF ACTION

#### (Wrongful Foreclosure)

- 89. Plaintiffs re-allege and incorporate by this reference each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 88, hereinabove, as though fully set forth herein.
- 90. By acquiring the benefits of the Deed of Trust, US Bank, MCM, Capital Trust, and their respective agents, including Fay Servicing, assumed the duties imposed by law on a beneficiary of a deed of trust including the express obligations contained in the Deed of Trust, and subjected themselves to the statutory duties prerequisite to conducting a foreclosure sale.
- 91. By accepting appointment and acting as Trustee under the Deed of Trust, Sables and its agents assumed the duties imposed by law on a trustee and the obligations contained in the Deed of Trust.
- US Bank, Fay Serving, and Sables had a duty to comply with the provisions of 92. Chapter 107 of the Nevada Revised Statutes, including sections NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560, which sections are also known as the "Homeowners Bill of Rights Act."
- 93. US Bank, Fay Servicing, and Sables were given actual notice that the LMA had modified the Deed of Trust pertaining to Plaintiffs' Residence prior to the foreclosure sale that occurred January 4, 2019.
- US Bank, Fay Servicing, and Sables were given actual notice that the terms Deed of Trust as modified by the LMA had not been enforced by Bank of America or US Bank, or their respective agents.
- 95. Upon information and belief, US Bank and Fay Servicing requested that Sables conduct a foreclosure sale, even though doing so would be in violation its legal duties under NRS 107.
- Sables conducted a foreclosure sale of the Premises in violation of its legal 96. duties under the Deed of Trust and under NRS 107.



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- 97. On January 4, 2019, Sables violated the Third Judicial District Court's December 31, 2018 Order, by conducting a foreclosure of the Plaintiffs' Residence.
- 98. As a proximate and direct result of Defendants' wrongful foreclosure of Plaintiffs' Residence, Plaintiffs have been damaged in the sum of an amount in excess of \$15,000, according to proof.
- 99. The Lincicomes have had to retain the services of an attorney to prosecute this action and are entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and cost of suit incurred herein.

#### **SECOND CAUSE OF ACTION**

#### (Declaratory Relief - NRS 30.010 et. seq.)

- 100. Plaintiffs re-allege and incorporate by this reference each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 99, hereinabove, as though fully set forth herein.
- 101. An actual controversy has arisen and now exists between the Lincicomes and Defendants which requires a determination of rights, responsibilities, interests, and liabilities of the parties including those declarations sought below.
- 102. Plaintiffs seek a declaration of US Bank's and/or Capital Trust's right to enforce the May 23, 2007, Deed of Trust as modified by the 2009 LMA.
- 103. Plaintiffs seek a declaration as to the validity of the Trustee's Deed pertaining to Plaintiffs' Residence.
- 104. Plaintiffs seek a declaration as to their duty to perform following Bank of America's rejection of payment and Bank of America's and US Bank's failure to honor the terms of the 2009 LMA.
- 105. Plaintiffs have had to retain the services of an attorney to prosecute this action and are entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

#### THIRD CAUSE OF ACTION

#### (Injunctive Relief)

106. Plaintiffs re-allege and incorporate by this reference each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 105, hereinabove, as though fully set forth herein.

:	107.	Upon inform	mation and	belief,	Defe	ndant	Sables,	Fay	Ser	vicing,	US Ba	nk,	MCM
and Ca	pital <sup>-</sup>	Trust have	materially	violated	the	Home	owners	Bill	of R	lights,	codifie	d as	NRS
107.40	0 to N	RS 107.560	).										

- 108. Pursuant to NRS 107.560, "a borrower may bring an action for injunctive relief to enjoin a material violation of NRS 107.400 to NRS 107.560, inclusive."
- 109. Defendants Fay Servicing or US Bank did not provide the Lincicomes with a notice that complies with NRS 107.500(1), at least 30 calendar days before recording the NOD.
- 110. NRS 107.0805(1)(b)(3) requires the Affidavit to verify that Fay Servicing sent a written statement to the Lincicomes which provided as follows in relevant part:
- (I) The amount of payment required to make good the deficiency in performance or payment . . . ;
  - (II) The amount in default;

. . .

- (IV) The amount of accrued interest and late charges;
- (V) A good faith estimate of all fees imposed in connection with the exercise of the power of sale . . . .

NRS 107.0805(1)(b)(3).

- 111. The Lincicomes have not received a statement by any financial institution concerning their home loan from September 2009 forward that accurately reflects the interest rate, principal balance, or last payment date.
- 112. The failure to provide the Lincicomes with accurate information is a material violation of the Homeowner's Bill of Rights.
- 113. As a result of Defendants' violations of NRS 107.400 through NRS 107.560, and NRS 107.0805, the Lincicomes are entitled to injunctive relief permanently enjoining the Trustee's sale of the property pursuant to NRS 107.560.

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- 114. The Lincicomes respectfully pray for a permanent injunction to enjoin Sables, Fay Servicing, US Bank, MCM, Capital Trust, and Shellpoint from foreclosing upon their Residence.
- 115. Plaintiffs have had to retain the services of an attorney to prosecute this action and are entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

#### **FOURTH CAUSE OF ACTION**

#### (Breach of Contract - Bank of America)

- 116. Plaintiffs re-allege and incorporate by this reference each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 115, hereinabove, as though fully set forth herein.
- 117. On July 11, 2009, Defendant Bank of America offered Plaintiff Vicenta Lincicome a permanent loan modification.
- 118. On July 31, 2009, following receipt of the offer, Plaintiff Vicenta Lincicome accepted and executed the LMA provided by Defendant Bank of America.
- 119. Following Vicenta Lincicome's execution of the LMA, she immediately sent the agreement via Federal Express in the envelope that had been provided by Bank of America.
- 120. Upon information and belief, Defendant Bank of America failed to process the LMA in its system.
- 121. On March 22, 2011, James Smith executed the LMA on behalf of Bank of America. Ex.3.
- 122. Bank of America caused the LMA to be recorded with the Lyon County Recorder on May 4, 2011. Ex.3.
- 123. At no time, other than being provided a copy of the recorded LMA in 2017, did the Lincicomes receive notice, written or otherwise, that Bank of America had located and signed the 2009 LMA.
- 124. On September 1, 2009, Bank of America accepted Plaintiff Vicenta Lincicome's payment of \$2,276.72.

	125.	On	Octobe	1,	2009,	Bank	of	Americ	ca ı	rejected	Plaintif	f Vicenta	Linc	icon	ne's
payme	nt of s	\$2,27	76.72 ar	nd ir	nformed	l her t	hat	they c	ould	d not pro	cess a <sub>l</sub>	payment	for le	ess t	han
the cur	rent p	aym	ent amo	unt											

- 126. From October 1, 2009, through December of 2011, Bank of America refused to accept all offers to tender payment of \$2,276.72 under the LMA.
- 127. All verbal and written communications between October 1, 2009, through March of 2010, that were received from Bank of America requesting the status of the LMA were responded to by Bank of America with the indication that it was continuing to research or investigate the matter.
- 128. By failing to process the LMA, and payments according to the LMA's terms, Bank of America materially breached the LMA.
- 129. But for Defendant Bank of America's material breach of the LMA, the Lincicomes' property would not be at risk to sale by foreclosure.
- 130. As a proximate cause of Defendant Bank of America's material breach of the LMA, Plaintiffs have suffered economic losses and general damages in excess of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) to be proved at trial.
- 131. Plaintiffs have had to retain the services of an attorney to prosecute this action and are entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

#### **FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION**

### (Breach of Duty to Act in Good Faith and Fair Dealing - Bank of America)

- 132. Plaintiffs re-allege and incorporate by this reference each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 131, hereinabove, as though fully set forth herein.
- 133. At all times material hereto, Defendant Bank of America owed to Plaintiff Vicenta Lincicome a duty to deal fairly and in good faith with respect to their contractual relationship.
- 134. Defendant Bank of America violated its duty of good faith and fair dealing by refusing to perform under the provisions of the LMA by not accepting Vicenta's timely

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payments from October 1, 2009, forward so that the Lincicomes could keep current on their loan under the LMA.

- 135. That as a direct and proximate result of Defendant Bank of America's breach of its duty to Plaintiff Vicenta Lincicome, Plaintiffs have suffered economic losses and general damages in excess of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) to be proved at trial.
- 136. Plaintiffs have had to retain the services of an attorney to prosecute this action and are entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

#### SIXTH CAUSE OF ACTION

#### (Breach of Contract - US BANK)

- 137. Plaintiffs re-allege and incorporate by this reference each and every allegation contained in paragraphs 1 through 136, hereinabove, as though fully set forth herein.
- 138. On November 10, 2015, Bank of America assigned its interest in the Deed of Trust to PROF-2013-M4 Legal Title Trust, by U.S. Bank National Association, as Legal Title Trustee (hereinafter "US Bank"). Ex.12.
- 139. The November 10, 2015, Assignment to US Bank was recorded with the Lyon County Recorder as Document No. 544042. Ex.12.
- 140. US Bank through its agent Fay Servicing has at all times relevant continually disregarded the LMA or failed to honor and apply the terms of the LMA to Plaintiffs' loan.
- 141. By failing to honor and apply the terms of the LMA to the loan, US Bank has materially breached the terms of the LMA.
- 142. As a proximate cause of Defendant US Bank's continued material breach of the LMA, Plaintiffs have suffered economic losses and general damages in excess of Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000) to be proved at trial.
- 143. Plaintiffs have had to retain the services of an attorney to prosecute this action and are entitled to reasonable attorney's fees and costs of suit incurred herein.

FIRST AMENDED COMPLAINT