

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

NEVADA STATE EDUCATION
ASSOCIATION; NATIONAL
EDUCATION ASSOCIATION; RUBEN
MURILLO, JR.; ROBERT BENSON;
DIANE DI ARCHANGEL; AND JASON
WYCKOFF,

Appellants,

vs.

CLARK COUNTY EDUCATION
ASSOCIATION; JOHN VELLARDITA;
AND VICTORIA COURTNEY,

Respondents.

No. 79208

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ELIZABETH A. BROWN
CLERK OF SUPREME COURT
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DEPUTY CLERK

*ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO ASSOCIATE COUNSEL,
REMOVING APPEAL FROM SETTLEMENT PROGRAM,
AND REINSTATING BRIEFING*

Appellants have filed a motion to associate out-of-state attorney Georgina Catherine Yeomans, of the law firm of Bredhoff & Kaiser, PLLC, in this appeal pursuant to SCR 42. Attached to the motion to associate Ms. Yeomans is a verified application; certificates of good standing from the Bars of the District of Columbia; and the State of Connecticut; and a statement pursuant to SCR 42 from the State Bar of Nevada.

The State Bar of Nevada's Rule 42 statement indicates that Ms. Yeomans has not applied to appear in Nevada courts within the past 3 years. See SCR 42(6) (stating that repeated appearances by any person pursuant to this rule shall be cause for denial of the motion). Accordingly, we grant the motion to associate. SCR 42(8). Ms. Yeomans shall be permitted to appear on behalf of appellants in this matter. Nevada attorney Debbie Leonard of the law firm Leonard Law, PC, shall be

responsible for all matters presented by Ms. Yeomans in this matter. See SCR 42(14)(a) (requiring the Nevada attorney of record to be responsible for and actively participate in the representation of a client in any proceeding that is subject to the rule); NRAP 25(a)(5) (requiring all documents submitted to the supreme court for filing to include the original signature of at least one attorney of record who is an active member of the State Bar of Nevada); NRAP 46(a)(3) (requiring Nevada counsel to sign all briefs, be present during oral argument, and be responsible for all briefs and matters presented by foreign counsel).

The settlement judge has filed an Early Case Assessment Report indicating that this matter is not appropriate for mediation and should be removed from the settlement program. Cause appearing, we remove this appeal from the settlement program and reinstate the deadlines for requesting transcripts and filing briefs. See NRAP 16.

Appellants shall have 14 days from the date of this order to file and serve a transcript request form. See NRAP 9(a).¹ Further, appellants shall have 90 days from the date of this order to file and serve the opening brief and appendix.² Thereafter, briefing shall proceed in accordance with NRAP 31(a)(1).

It is so ORDERED.

 C.J.

¹If no transcript is to be requested, appellants shall file and serve a certificate to that effect within the same time period. NRAP 9(a).

²In preparing and assembling the appendix, counsel shall strictly comply with the provisions of NRAP 30.

cc: Paul M. Haire, Settlement Judge
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