IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SSJ'S ISSUE TRUST

IN THE MATTER OF THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE SAMUEL S. JAKSICK, JR., FAMILY TRUST

TODD B. JAKSICK, Individually, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family Trust, and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust; MICHAEL S. KIMMEL, Individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family Trust; KEVIN RILEY, Individually, as Former Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family Trust, and as Trustee of the Wendy A. Jaksick 2012 BHC Family Trust; and STANLEY JAKSICK, Individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family Trust,

Appellants/Cross-Respondents,

VS.

WENDY JAKSICK,

Respondent/Cross-Appellant.

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I certify that on the 13th day of April, 2021, I served a copy of **APPELLANT/CROSS-RESPONDENT TODD B. JAKSICK'S APPENDIX TO OPENING BRIEF- VOL. 13,** upon all counsel of record:

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

In the Matter of the Administration of the	CASE NO.: PR17-00445
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In the Matter of the Administration of the	CASE NO.: PR17-00446
SAMUEL S. JAKSICK, JR. FAMILY TRUST,	DEPT. NO.: 15
WENDY JAKSICK,	
Respondent and Counter Petitioner,	
v.	
TODD B. JAKSICK, Individually, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust, and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, MICHAEL S. KIMMEL, Individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust, and STANLEY S. JAKSICK, Individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust, Kevin Riley, Individually and as former Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust and Trustee of the Wendy A.	

of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family Trust and

Petitioners and Counter-Respondents.

Respondent and Counter-Petitioner,

TODD B. JAKSICK, Individually and as Trustee

SSJ's Issue Trust.

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STANLEY JAKSICK,

VERIFIED MEMORANDUM OF COSTS

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Stanley Jaksick, as co-Trustee of the Family Trust, respectfully submits the following Verified Memorandum of Costs:

1.	NRS 18.005(1). Clerk's Fees. Filing Fee.	\$299.50
2.	NRS 18.0052(8). Reporters' fees for depositions, including reporter's fee for one copy of each deposition.	\$22,341.44
3.	NRS 18.005(3). Jurors' fees and expenses, together with reasonable compensation of an officer appointed to act in accordance with NRS 16.120.	\$0.00
4.	NRS 18.005(4). Fees for witnesses at trial, pretrial hearings and deposing witnesses, unless the court finds that the witness was called at the instance of the prevailing party without reason or necessity.	\$0.00
5.	NRS 18.005(5). Reasonable fees of not more than five expert witnesses in an amount of not more than \$1,500 for each witness, unless the court allows a larger fee after determining that the circumstances surrounding the expert's testimony were of such necessity as to require the larger fee.	\$12,500.00
6.	NRS 18.005(6). Reasonable fees of necessary interpreters.	\$0.00
7.	NRS 18.005(7). The fee of any sheriff or licensed process server for the delivery or service of any summons or subpoena used in the action, unless the court determines that the service was not necessary. Nevada Court Services and Reno/Carson Messenger Service, Inc. – Service of Summons Complaint; Publication in Reno Gazette Journal.	\$0.00
8.	NRS 18.005(8). The fees of the official reporter or reporter pro tempore.	\$4,034.76
9.	NRS 18.005(9). Reasonable costs for any bond or undertaking required as part of the action.	\$0.00
10.	NRS 18.005(10). Fees of a court bailiff who was required to work overtime.	\$0.00
11.	NRS 18.005(11). Reasonable costs for facsimiles and telecopies.	\$0.00
12.	NRS 18.005(12). Reasonable costs for photocopies ¹ .	\$1,312.00
13.	NRS 18.005(13). Reasonable costs for long distance telephone calls.	\$0.00
14.	NRS 18.005(14). Reasonable costs for postage and overnight delivery service.	\$10.98

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15.	NRS 18.005(15). Reasonable costs for travel and lodging incurred taking depositions and conducting discovery.		\$0.00	
16.	NRS	S 18.005(16). Fees charged pursuant to N	NRS 19.0335.	\$0.00
17.	NRS 18.005(17). Any other reasonable and necessary expense incurred in connection with the action, including reasonable and necessary expenses for computerized services for legal research.		\$1,392.11	
	A.	Arbitration/Mediation Fees	\$1,154.17	
	Tota	al NRS 18.005 Statutory Costs		\$43,044.96

Cost Reports from McDonald Carano LLP and Kreitlein Leeder Moss are attached as Exhibit 1.

AFFIRMATION

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

Dated: March 17, 2020

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DECLARATION OF ADAM HOSMER-HENNER

I, Adam Hosmer-Henner, declare as follows:

- 1. I am over the age of eighteen (18) years. I make this declaration based upon my own personal knowledge, except where otherwise indicated, thereupon testifying upon information and belief. If called as a witness, I could and would be competent to testify to these facts. I submit this Declaration in support of Stanley Jaksick's Verified Memorandum of Costs.
- 2. I am an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Nevada and am a partner in the law firm of McDonald Carano LLP and counsel of record in this action for Stanley Jaksick.
- 3. To the best of my knowledge and belief the costs claimed in this Verified Memorandum of Costs are correct. These costs were reasonable and necessarily incurred in this action as more fully described below.
- 4. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$299.50 in clerk's filing fees in this matter. A true and correct copy of supporting documentation is attached hereto as Exhibit 1.
- 5. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$22,341.44 in reporters' fees for depositions. See Ex. 1. The reporters' fees were reasonable and necessary because of the number of depositions that were noticed by all parties in this matter.
- 6. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$4,034.76 in Official Reporter Fees. See Ex. 1. The Official Report Fees were reasonable and necessary in order to prepare during trial and for posttrial practice.
- 7. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$12,500 in expert witness fees. See Ex. 1. The expert witness fees were reasonable and necessary in order to evaluate disputed evidence in this matter. These fees are justified though they are in excess of the statutory fees, which would not have been sufficient to obtain the required expert opinions.
- 9. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$1,312.00 in costs for photocopies. See Ex. 1. The photocopy fees were reasonable and necessary because of the volume of documents in this case and the necessity of preparing witness and exhibit binders for use at trial and during depositions.
- 10. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$10.98 in cost for postage. See Ex. 1. The postage fees were reasonable and necessary as a result of discovery mailings.

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- 11. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$1,392.11 in online research fees via Westlaw. Online legal research costs were reasonable and necessary because Stanley Jaksick's attorneys necessarily performed legal research in support of his case. *See* Ex. 1.
- 12. Stanley Jaksick incurred \$1,154.17 in mediation fees. *See* Ex. 1. The mediation fees were reasonable and necessary as a result of the Court's order compelling the parties to attend mediation.

Executed on this 17th day of March, 2020.

/s/ Adam Hosmer-Henner
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I hereby certify that I am an employee of McDONALD CARANO and that on March 17, 2020, I served the within **VERIFIED MEMORANDUM OF COSTS** on the parties in said case by electronically filing via the Court's e-filing system. The participants in this case are registered e-filing users and that service will be accomplished by e-filing to the following e-filing participants:

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I declare under penalty of perjury that the forgoing is true and correct.

Dated: March 17, 2020

/s/ Jill Nelson
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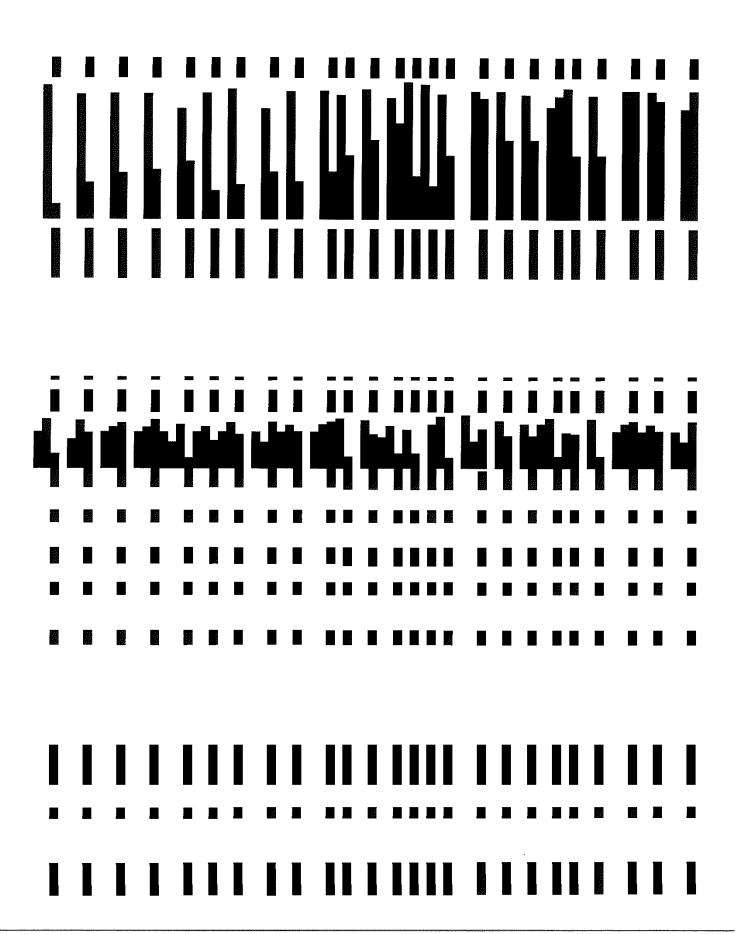


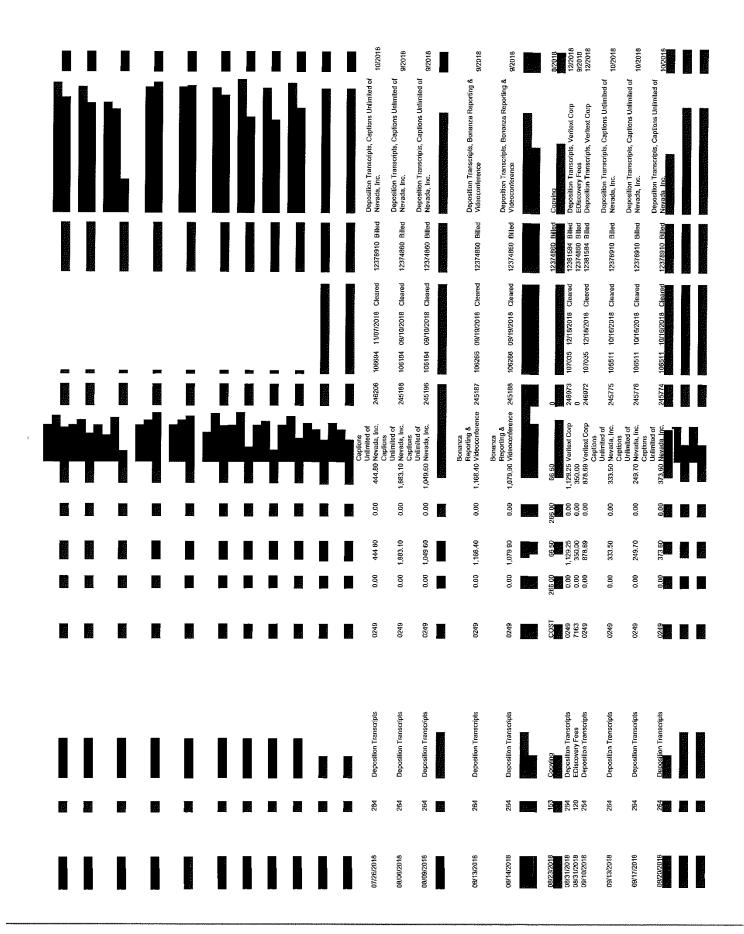
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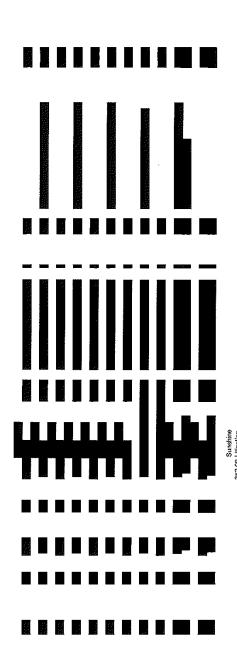
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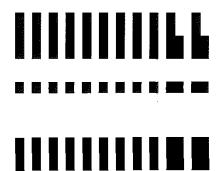




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8/31/2018 Photocopy Charges	69,50
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Expert Witness Retainer - Beth Chrisman, CFDE - Handwriting Expert	5,00	0.00
1/31/2019 Tahoe Appraisal Service - Final Appraisal	2,500	0.00
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FOX ROTHSCHILD LLP)80 Festival Plaza Drive, #70 | 35 Vecas Nevada 89135 Wendy A. Jaksick ("Wendy"), by and through her undersigned counsel, respectfully submits the following Verified Memorandum of Costs:

1.	NRS 18.005(1). Clerk's Fees. Filing Fees.	
2.	NRS 18.005(2). Reporters' Fees for depositions, including reporters' fee for one copy of each deposition.	\$49,621.00
3.	NRS 18.005(3). Jurors' Fees and expenses, together with reasonable compensation of an officer appointed to act in accordance with NRS 16.120.	\$4,480.00
4.	NRS 18.005(4). Fees for witnesses at trial, pretrial hearings and deposing witnesses, unless the court finds that the witness was called at the instance of the prevailing party without reason or necessity.	\$1,025.00
5.	NRS 18.005(5). Reasonable fees of not more than five expert witnesses in an amount of not more than \$1,500 for each witness, unless the court allows a larger fee after determining that the circumstances surrounding the expert's testimony were of such necessity as to require the larger fee.	\$122,177.19
6.	NRS 18.005(6). Reasonable fees of necessary interpreters.	\$0.00
7.	NRS 18.005(7). The fee of any sheriff or licensed process server for the delivery or service of any summons or subpoena used in the action, unless the court determines that the service was not necessary.	\$3,688.69
8.	NRS 18.005(8). The fees of the official reporter or reporter pro tempore.	\$16,925.27
9.	NRS 18.005(9). Reasonable costs for any bond or undertaking required as part of the action.	\$0.00
10.	NRS 18.005(10). Fees of a court bailiff who was required to work overtime.	\$0.00
11.	NRS 18.005(11). Reasonable costs for facsimiles and telecopies.	\$0.00
12.	NRS 18.005(12). Reasonable costs for photocopies.	\$10,725.41
13.	NRS 18.005(13). Reasonable cost for long distance telephone calls.	\$0.00
14.	NRS 18.005(14). Reasonable costs for postage and overnight delivery service.	\$351.24
15.	NRS 18.005(15). Reasonable costs for travel and lodging incurred taking depositions and conducting discovery. ²	\$60,541.09
16.	NRS 18.005(16). Fees charges pursuant to NRS 19.0335.	\$0.00
17.	NRS 18.005(17). Any other reasonable and necessary expense incurred in connection with the action, including reasonable and necessary expenses for computerized services for legal research. A. Fees and Costs For Admission <i>Pro Hac Vice</i> - \$3,250.00 B. Legal Research Fees – Westlaw - \$1,531.16 C. Arbitration/Mediation Fees - \$2,975.00 D. Courtroom Presentation - \$59,007.89 E. Deposition by Video Services - \$225.00	\$66,989.05

¹ This number includes the cost of the transcript.

² This number includes reasonable costs for travel and lodging incurrent for the trial.

TOTAL NRS 18.005 STATUTORY COSTS

\$336,523.94

Cost Reports from Fox Rothschild, LLP are attached hereto as Exhibit "1," and Cost Reports from Spencer & Johnson, PLLC are attached hereto as Exhibit "2".

AFFIRMATION STATEMENT

Pursuant to NRS 239B.030

The undersigned does hereby affirm that this **VERIFIED MEMORANDUM OF COSTS** filed by Wendy A. Jaksick in the above-captioned matter does not contain the social security number of any person.

DATED this 23rd day of March, 2020.

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DECLARATION OF MARK J. CONNOT

I, Mark J. Connot, declare as follows:

- I am over the age of eighteen (18) years. I make this declaration based upon my 1. own personal knowledge, except where otherwise indicated, thereupon testifying upon information and belief. If called as a witness, I could and would be competent to testify to these facts. I submit this Declaration in support of Wendy Jaksick's Verified Memorandum of Costs.
- I am an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Nevada. I am a partner 2. in the law firm Fox Rothschild LLP and co-counsel in this action for Wendy Jaksick.
- To the best of my knowledge and belief the costs claimed in the Verified 3. Memorandum of Costs are correct. These costs were reasonable and necessarily incurred in this action as more fully described below.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$49,621.00 in reporters' fees for depositions and 4. deposition transcripts in this matter invoiced and paid through Fox Rothschild LLP. A true and correct copy of supporting documentation is attached hereto as Exhibit "1". The reporters' fees and deposition transcripts were reasonable and necessary because of the number of depositions that were noticed by all parties in this matter.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$19,396.50 in expert witness fees in this matter invoiced 5. and paid through Fox Rothschild LLP. See Exhibit "1". The expert witness fees were reasonable and necessary to evaluate disputed evidence, develop Wendy Jaksick's claims for trial and present Wendy Jaksick's case. These fees are justified though they are in excess of the statutory fees, which would not have been sufficient to obtain the required expert opinions.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$3,688.69 in fees for licensed process services for the 6. delivery or service of summons or subpoenas in this action invoiced and paid through Fox

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Rothschild LLP. See Exhibit "1". The licensed process server fees were reasonable and necessary to obtain evidence, conduct discovery and secure witnesses attendance at trial.

- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$2,566.41 in costs for photocopies in this matter invoiced 7. and paid through Fox Rothschild LLP. See Exhibit "1". The photocopy fees were reasonable and necessary because of the volume of documents in this case and the necessity of preparing witness and exhibit binders for use at trial and during depositions.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$275.23 in costs for postage and overnight delivery services in this matter paid by Fox Rothschild LLP. See Exhibit "1". The postage fees were reasonable and necessary as a result of discovery and other mailings.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$20,387.47 in costs for travel and lodging incurred 9. taking depositions, conducting discovery and attending trial in this matter invoiced and paid through Fox Rothschild LLP. See Exhibit "1". The travel and lodging costs were reasonable and necessary to conduct and participate in discovery and attend and participate in trial.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$1,531.16 in costs for online research fees via Westlaw 10. in this matter invoiced and paid through Fox Rothschild LLP. See Exhibit "1". Online legal research costs were reasonable and necessary because Wendy Jaksick's attorneys necessarily performed legal research in support of her case.

Executed on this 23rd day of March, 2020.

/s/ R. Kevin Spencer R. Kevin Spencer

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DECLARATION OF R. KEVIN SPENCER

I, R. Kevin Spencer, declare as follows:

- I am over the age of eighteen (18) years. I make this declaration based upon my 1. own personal knowledge, except where otherwise indicated, thereupon testifying upon information and belief. If called as a witness, I could and would be competent to testify to these facts. I submit this Declaration in support of Wendy Jaksick's Verified Memorandum of Costs.
- I am an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of Texas, and I am currently 2. admitted to practice in this action pro hac vice. I am a partner in the law firm SPENCER & JOHNSON, PLLC and co-counsel in this action for Wendy Jaksick.
- To the best of my knowledge and belief the costs claimed in the Verified 3. Memorandum of Costs are correct. These costs were reasonable and necessarily incurred in this action as more fully described below.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$4,480.00 in Juror's fees and expenses paid through Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. A true and correct copy of supporting documentation is attached hereto as Exhibit "2". The fees and expenses were reasonable and necessary to conduct the jury phase of the trial.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$1,025.00 in witness fees for the deposition a witness 5. invoiced and paid through Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. See Exhibit "2". The fees and expenses were reasonable and necessary reasonable and necessary for Wendy Jaksick to prepare for and to try her case.
- Wendy Jaksick incurred \$122,177.19 in expert witness fees in this matter 6. invoiced and paid through Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. See Exhibit "2". The expert witness fees were reasonable and necessary to evaluate disputed evidence, develop Wendy Jaksick's claims

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for trial and present Wendy Jaksick's case. These fees are justified though they are in excess of the statutory fees, which would not have been sufficient to obtain the required expert opinions.

- 7. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$16,925.27 in Official Reporter fees and the transcript in this matter invoiced and paid through Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. A true and correct copy of supporting documentation is attached hereto as Exhibit "2". The Official Reporter's fees and the cost of the transcript were reasonable and necessary in order to prepare during trial, for the extensive briefing during the equitable claims phase of the trial and for post-trial practice.
- 8. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$8,159.00 in costs for photocopies in this matter invoiced and paid through Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. *See* Exhibit "2". The photocopy fees were reasonable and necessary because of the volume of documents in this case and the necessity of preparing witness and exhibit binders for use at trial and during depositions. These photocopy fees only include the costs of outside vendors, they do not include any fees for copies made by Spencer & Johnson, PLLC.
- 9. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$76.01 in costs for postage and overnight delivery services in this matter paid by Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. *See* Exhibit "2". The postage fees were reasonable and necessary as a result of discovery and other mailings.
- 10. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$40,153.62 in costs for travel and lodging incurred taking depositions and conducting discovery and attending trail in this matter paid for by Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. See Exhibit "2". The travel and lodging costs were reasonable and necessary to conduct and participate in discovery and attend and participate in trial.
- 11. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$3,250.00 in fees and costs for her Texas counsel to obtain and maintain admission *pro hac vice* in Nevada for this matter, which was paid by Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. See Exhibit "2". These fees and costs were reasonable and necessary so that Wendy Jaksick's Texas counsel could appear and represent her in this matter.

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12. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$2,975.00 in mediation fees in this matter invoiced and paid through Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. *See* Exhibit "2". The mediation fees were reasonable and necessary as a result of the Court's order compelling the parties to attend mediation.

- 13. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$59,007.89 in fees and costs for trial presentation services in this matter invoiced and paid through Spencer & Johnson, PLLC. See Exhibit "2". The fees and costs were reasonable and necessary to aid Wendy Jaksick, her counsel, the jury and the Court because of the multitude of exhibits and the complex nature of the case and claims involved.
- 14. Wendy Jaksick incurred \$225.00 in fees so the Parties could conduct the deposition by video of James Green, an expert witness for Plaintiffs, which was invoiced and paid through Spencer and Johnson, PLLC. See Exhibit "2". The fees were reasonable and necessary to conduct the deposition of James Green and allowed all the Parties to avoid the costs of travel out of state for the deposition.

Executed on this 23rd day of March, 2020.

/s/ R. Kevin Spencer
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of FOX ROTHSCHILD LLP and that on this 23rd day of March, 2020, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing VERIFIED MEMORANDUM OF COSTS by the Court's electronic file and serve system addressed to the following:

Kent Robison, Esq. Therese M. Shanks, Esq. Robison, Sharp, Sullivan & Brust 71 Washington Street Reno, NV 89503 Attorneys for Todd B. Jaksick, Beneficiary SSJ's Issue Trust and Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust

Phil Kreitlein, Esq. Kreitlein Law Group 1575 Delucchi Lane, Ste. 101 Reno, NV 89502 Attorneys for Stanley S. Jaksick, Co-Trustee Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust

Donald A. Lattin, Esq. Carolyn K. Renner, Esq. Maupin, Cox & LeGoy 4785 Caughlin Parkway Reno, NV 89519 Attorneys for Todd Jaksick and Michael Kimmel, as Co-Trustees of the SSJ's Issue Trust and SSJ, Jr. Family Trust

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I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of Nevada that the foregoing is true and correct.

DATED this 23rd day of March, 2020.

/s/ Doreen Loffredo An Employee of Fox Rothschild LLP

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ENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/16/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	531.96		AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attendance at Depo of M Kimmel	10107998
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/16/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	531.96	531.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attendance at Depo of W Jaksick, Reno, NV	10107994
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/16/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	531.96	531.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attendance at Depo of W Jaksick, Reno, NV	10107996
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/30/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	521.96	531.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE 531.96 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend T. Jaksick deposition	10120714
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/20/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	531.96	531.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE 531.96 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend depositions	10133779
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/1/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	531.96	531.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE 631.96 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend depositions of K Riley and T Jaksick	10181284
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/1/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	531.96	531.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE 531.96 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Document review (P Hascheff)	10181283
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/15/2018	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	531.96	531.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE 531.96 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend depo of P Hascheff 11/17/18	10190789
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/3/2019	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	541.98	541.98		10236867
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/21/2019	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	270.98	270.98	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO; MARK J. CONNOT 2/11/19 Preparation for trial	10276754
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/21/2019	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	270.98	270.98		10276755
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	5/16/2019	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	541.96	541.96	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE 541.96 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/12 - 5/18/19 Trial, Phase II	10359888
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	6/5/2019	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	275.98	275.98	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE 275.98 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/17/19 Settlement discussions	10389382
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	6/5/2019	941	AIR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	588.00	588.00	ᄩᅗᇊ	10389380
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	7/24/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	1,730.08	1,730.08		10084422
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/1/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	394.80	394.80		10098211
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/24/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	1,754.99	1,754.99	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: A CORRAO VIDEO SERVICE CO., LLC	10113806
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/31/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	547.10	547.10	COURT REPORT FEES PAY 10: 547.10 BONANZA REPORTING & VIDEOCONFERENCE CENTER	10121874
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/5/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	508.35	508.35	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: BONANZA REPORTING & VIDEOCONFERENCE CENTER	10123092
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/26/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	1,096.55	1,096.55	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: CAPTIONS UNLIMITED OF NEVADA, INC.	10139833
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	10/1/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	1,885.70	1,885.70	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: VERITEXT CORP	10142649
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	10/1/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	1,483.80	1,483.80	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: VERITEXT CORP	10142650
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	10/5/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	249.70	249.70	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: CAPTIONS UNLIMITED OF NEVADA.	10149188
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	10/23/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	373.60	373.60	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: CAPTIONS UNLIMITED OF NEVADA, INC.	10162154
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/27/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	1,672.76	1,672.76	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: A CORRAO VIDEO SERVICE CO., LLC	10200840
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	12/3/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	398.05	398.05	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: BONANZA REPORTING & VIDEOCONFERENCE CENTER	10211126
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	12/3/2018	465	COURT REPORT FEES	658.95	658.95	COURT REPORT FEES PAY BONANZA REPORTING & VIDEOCONFERENCE CENTER	10211127
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/5/2019	465	COURT REPORT FEES	495.00	495.00	COURT REPORT FEES PAY TO: VERITEXT CORP	10291416
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/20/2019	27	DEPOSITION/TRANSCRIPT	151.30	151.30		10276165
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/26/2019	27	DEPOSITION/TRANSCRIPT	2,317.17	2,317.17		10282047
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/26/2019	41	EXPERT FEES	13,766.50	13,766.50	-	10282044
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	5/21/2019	41	EXPERT FEES	5,630.00	5,630.00	COMPANY, CPA'S, APC	10362470
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/21/2018	948	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	31.38	31.38	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: KEVIN SUTEHALL Attend hearing 11/15 - 11/16/18	10198116
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/24/2019	848	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	588.19	588.19	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE - PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Travel to Reno for Mediation and Deposition 1/1 - 1/4/19	10254261
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/31/2019	948	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	788.90	788.90	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 788.90 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT M. Connot travel to attend depositions	10262254
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	6/5/2019	948	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	402.68	402.68	HOTEL - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/13 - 5/14/19 Attendance at trial	10389377
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/16/2018	949	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	67.92	67.92	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attendance at Depo of M Kimmel	10108000
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/16/2018	949	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	136.10	136.10	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 136.10 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attendance at Depo of W Jaksick, Reno, NV	10107995
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMËL	9/20/2018	949	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	80.65	80.65	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 80.65 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend depositions	10133777
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/15/2018	949	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	65.20	65.20		10190784
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/15/2018	949	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	38.12	38.12		10190785
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/15/2018	949	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	78.04	78.04	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 78.04 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend depositions in Reno 10/30/18	10190786
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	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	6/5/2019	949	ME	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	66.82	66.82	MEALS - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/13/19 Attendance at trial	10389378
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/28/2018	38	AR AR	MEDICAL/HOSPITAL RECORDS	191.00	191.00	MEDICAL/HOSPITAL RECORDS PAY TO: RONALD L, SMITH	10141944
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	77	ME	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY	150.00	150.00	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC	10248200
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	77	SE	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY	135.00	135.00	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC	10248206
Ì	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/26/2019	22	SE	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY	135.00	135.00	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC	10281795
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/26/2019	77	S	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY	135.00	135.00	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC	10281796
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/26/2019	11	SE	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY	65.00	65.00	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY PAY 65.00 TO: RENO CARSON MESSENGER SERVICE	10281810
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/27/2019	77	S W	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY	211.50	211.50	MESSENGER SERVICE/DELIVERY PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC Washoe County District Court	10312801
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/1/2019	82	E SE	MESSENGER SERVICE/FEDERAL EXPRESS	24.48	24.48		10264393
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/22/2019	82	M S G	MESSENGER SERVICE/FEDERAL EXPRESS	59.07	59.07	MESSENGER SERVICE/FEDERAL EXPRESS Invoice No: 64698203 Paid to: Fedex per 5258 Ship To: Mark Connot Ship Dt: 0213/19 Ainbill: 785484852160	10283302
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/22/2019	82	18 8 G	MESSENGER SERVICE/FEDERAL EXPRESS	63.45	63.45		10283303
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/22/2019	82	E S D	MESSENGER SERVICE/FEDERAL EXPRESS	52.51	52.51		10283304
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/22/2019	82	≅ ‰ <u>⊡</u>	MESSENGER SERVICE/FEDERAL EXPRESS	61.27	61.27		10283305
	ADV. TODD B, JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/24/2019	467	<u> </u>	MISCELLANEOUS OUTSIDE SERVICES	30.00	30.00	MISCELLANEOUS OUTSIDE SERVICES PAY TO: LYNNEL M. REYES Court documents 1/16/19	10254250
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/24/2019	194	Σö	MISCELLANEOUS OUTSIDE SERVICES	30.00		MISCELLANEOUS OUTSIDE SERVICES 30.00 PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Miscellaneous 1/5/19	10254259
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/30/2018	950		OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	10.79	10.79	OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend T. Jaksick deposition	10120711
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/15/2018	950		OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	12.00	12.00		10190780
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/21/2019	920		OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	322.51	322.51	OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 1131 - 2/3/19 Groceries for Harbour Cove Court	10276760
	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/21/2019	950		OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	64.36		64.36 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 2/33 - 2/6/19 Gas	10276759

JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/28/2019	950	OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	16.90	16.90	OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 2/15 - 3/5/19 Attendance at trial in Reno, NV	10314345
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	6/5/2019	950	OTHER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	18,42	18.42	OTHER - OUT-0F-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/13/19 Attendance at trial (gas expense)	10389379
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/31/2018	76	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	132.28	132.28	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: 132.28 SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10121813
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/31/2018	92	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	613.89	613.89	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: 613.89 SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10121815
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/14/2018	76	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	185.03	185.03	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10189938
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/16/2018	92	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	28.42	28.42	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: 28.42 SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10192013
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/16/2018	76	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	38.97	38.97	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10192014
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/3/2019	92	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	42.19	42.19	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: BANK OF AMERICA, N. A.	10237785
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/8/2019	9./	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	65.82	65.82	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: 65.82 SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10269416
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/26/2019	92	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	51,47	51.47	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10281784
JAKSICK, WENDY .	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/26/2019	76	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	15.16	15.16	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: 15.16 SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY	10281786
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	4/2/2019	76	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	250.24	250.24	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: 250.24 LASR, LLC D/B/A FIRST RECORDS RETRIEVAL Copies of court documents	10317657
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	4/2/2019	9.2	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	189.29	189.29	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES PAY TO: SENECA HOLDINGS LLC DBA HOLO DISCOVERY Print documents and GBC bind	10317665
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	4/19/2019	92	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	31.86	31.86		10333535
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	4/19/2019	76	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	22.00	22.00		10333536
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAELS. KIMMEL	5/6/2019	92	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	263.97	263.97		10350694
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	5/6/2019	9.2	OUTSIDE VENDOR COPIES	172.57	172.57		10350693
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/16/2018	947	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	23.00	23.00	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 23.00 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attendance at Depo of M Kimmel	10107999
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/1/2018	947	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	22.00	22.00	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 22.00 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Document review (P Hascheff)	10181281
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/21/2018	947	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	23.50	23,5	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 23.50 EXPENSE PAY TO: KEVIN SUTEHALL Attend hearing 11/15 - 11/16/18	10198113
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/29/2018	947	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	25.00	25.00	PARKING EXPENSE Attend dep	10203928
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/31/2019	947	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	4.50	4.50		10262256
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	6/5/2019	947	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	16.50	16.5	PARKING - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 16.50 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/18/19 Settlement discussions	10389381
JAKSICK WENDY 1108888245.v1-3	JAKSICK WENDEN 108888245.1-3 23 APV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/7/2018	84	PHOTOCOPYING	394.40	394.4	394.40 PHOTOCOPYING Time: 13.48 Duration: 0.000	10102983

JAKSICK WENDY	ADV TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/25/2018	88	PHOTOCOPYING	0.40	0.40	PHOTOCOPYING Time: 11:16 Duration:	10139412
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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	12/5/2018	84	PHOTOCOPYING	52.20	52.20		10214852
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	12/6/2018	84	PHOTOCOPYING	0.40	0.40		10215981
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	12/6/2018	84	PHOTOCOPYING	07.20	0.20		10215982
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	12/20/2018	25	PHOTOCOPYING	1.20	1.20	PHOTOCOPYING Time: 15:11 Duration: 0.000	10228490
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	12/5/2018	87	POSTAGE CHARGES	14.45	14.45	POSTAGE CHARGES Time: 16:53 Duration: 0.000	10214853
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	49	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	2,975.00	2,975.00	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PAY TO: LAW OFFICES OF ROBERT F. ENZENBERGER	10248214
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	69	PROFESSIONAL SERVICES	-2,975.00	-2,975.00	Reversal from Void Check Number: 600078 BART D: 12 Voorber 1D: 851037 Vendor: LAW OFFICES OF ROBERT F. RAZENBERGER PROFESSIONAL SERVICES PAY TO: LAW OFFICES OF ROBERT F. ENZENBERGER	10251892
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B, JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	72	PUBLICATION/RESEARCH	15.20	15.20	PUBLICATION/RESEARCH PAY TO: LEXISNEXIS RISK DATA MANAGEMENT INC DBA LEXISNEXIS RISK SOLU	10247858
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/16/2018	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	35.38	35.38	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 35.38 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attendance at Depo of M Kimmel	10107997
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL.	8/16/2018	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	182.04	182.04		10107993
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	8/30/2018	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	222.91	222.91	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend T. Jaksick deposition	10120712
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/20/2018	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	80.74	80.74	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 80.74 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend depositions	10133776
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/1/2018	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	31.31	31.31	RENTAL CÁR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Document review (P Hascheff)	10181280
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/15/2018	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	78.48	78.48	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend deposition in Reno 10/28 - 10/31/18	10190783
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	11/21/2018	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	10.57	10.57		10198114
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/24/2019	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	161.13	161.13		10254256
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/31/2019	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	301.89	301.89		10262253
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/21/2019	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	247.90	247.90	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE - PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 1/31 - 21/1/9 Travel to Reno for attendance at depositions	10276758
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/28/2019	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	991.97	991.97	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 1/31 - 3/5/19 Attendance at trial in Reno, NV	10314342
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/28/2019	944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	499.95	499.95	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 2/18 - 2/22/19 Attendance at trial in Reno. NV	10314347
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL		944	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	80.31	80.31	RENTAL CAR - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 80.31 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/13/19 Attendance at trial	10389376
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL		86	SECRETARIAL OVERTIME	111.00	111.00	O SECRETARIAL OVERTIME	10235772
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/3/2019	98	SECRETARIAL OVERTIME	21.63	21,63	SECRETARIAL OVERTIME	10263522
JAKSICK WENDO 11108888245.v1-3	JAKSICK WENBYN108888245.v.1-3.23/2DV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/19/2018	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	150.00	150.00	NATIONWIDE LEGAL, LLC	10133098

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JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/19/2018	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	65.00	65.00		10133100
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/19/2018	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	175.00	175.00		10133108
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/3/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	124.46	124.46	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: FIRST LEGAL NETWORK, LLC	10237038
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/3/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	124.46	124.46	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: FIRST LEGAL NETWORK, LLC	10237039
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/3/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	62.00	62.00		10237040
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	65.00	65.00	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC	10248196
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	550.00	550.00		10248199
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	175.00	175.00	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC	10248203
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/16/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	175.00	175.00	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC	10248205
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/6/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	136.42	136.42	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: LASR, LLC D/B/A FIRST RECORDS RETRIEVAL	10267154
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/27/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	200.00	200.00	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: 200.00 NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC Attempted service on Jessica Clayton	10312803
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/27/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	227.05	227.05	SUBPOENA SERVICE PAY TO: NATIONWIDE LEGAL NEVADA LLC Service on Nicholas Plamer	10312802
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/27/2019	25	SUBPOENA SERVICE	157.02	157.02		10312824
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	9/20/2018	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	27.21	27.21	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL I EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Attend depositions	10133780
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/24/2019	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	30.91	30.91	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Travet to Reno for Mediation and Deposition 111 - 1/5/19	10254257
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/24/2019	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	27.27	27.27	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT Travel to Reno for Mediation and Deposition 1/11 - 1/5/19	10254262
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV, TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	1/31/2019	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	54,58	54.58	F H C 10	10262252
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	- 2/21/2019	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	26.31	26.31	E 1	10276756
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	2/21/2019	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	22.81	22.81	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 2/2/19 Travel to Reno for attendance at depositions	10276757
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	3/28/2019	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	170.37	170.37	TAXI/UBER - OUT-0F-TOWN TRAVEL 7 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 2/11 - 3/5/19 Attendance at trial in Reno, NV	10314343
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL	6/5/2019	943	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF- TOWN TRAVEL EXPENSE	23.51	23.51	TAXI/UBER - OUT-OF-TOWN TRAVEL 1 EXPENSE PAY TO: MARK J. CONNOT 5/12/19 Attendance at trial	10389375
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL		101	WESTLAW, RESEARCH	13.69	13.65	9 WESTLAW, RESEARCH 205	10144802
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL		101	WESTLAW, RESEARCH	20.41	20.41	1 WESTLAW, RESEARCH 205	1017934
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL		101	WESTLAW, RESEARCH	46.29	46.25	9 WESTLAW, RESEARCH 205	1017934
JAKSICK, WENDY	ADV. TODD B. JAKSICK AND MICHAEL S. KIMMEL		101	WESTLAW, RESEARCH	173.76	173.76	6 WESTLAW, RESEARCH 205	10179350
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EXPENSES

11/09/2017	Litigation Support - State Bar of Texas for Letter in Good Standing for Kevin & Zach (SLPC ck#1895)	150.00
11/09/2017	Litigation Support - Applications of Association (SLPC Ck # 1896 & 1897)	1,100.00
05/02/2018	Outside photocopy charges - Pinnacle Reprographics - documents for Discover	•
00/02/2010	(Inv#D-13119)	2,373.62
05/25/2018	Travel expense - RKS & ZEJ flights to Reno for Wendy depositions (American	
00/20/2010	Airlines \$726 Kevin and \$778.40 ZEJ and bag fees o AA \$100	1,604.80
05/31/2018	Travel expense - Hotel in Reno for Wendy's Depo (6/3/18-6/7/18)	781.51
06/04/2018	Outside photocopy charges - Fedex in Reno for Depo of Wendy	54.16
06/06/2018	Travel expense - ZEJ - American flight	480.00
06/11/2018	Travel expense - ZEJ flight on AMerican	520.20
07/06/2018	Travel expense - SWA to Reno For RKS & ZEJ for Aug 12-18	1,548.76
07/18/2018	Travel expense - Kevin's & Zach flight to Reno for Aug 5-9th	837.56
07/18/2018	Travel expense - SWA to Reno RKS & ZEJ on Aug 28-Sept 1	1,006.20
08/01/2018	Postage - CMRRR - Notary Demand	13.16
08/06/2018	Travel expense - Pepermill Hotel for the week (Stan's Depo)	1,237.90
08/10/2018	Travel expense - ZEJ additional days for Wendy's Depo - Flight/Hotel and Ubers	1,052.00
08/13/2018	Travel expense - SWA flight for this week depos - ZEJ	397.96
08/13/2018	Travel expense - Hotel for week of depo of Todd - Peppermill	1,271.97
08/14/2018	Travel expense -Zach SWA flight/bags and Ubers	864.40
08/17/2018	Travel expense - 2 American Airlines tickets back early from Todds deps	1,148.40
10/22/2018	Travel expense - trip for Depos -Reno SWA RKS -Oct 29-Nov 1	804.16
10/23/2018	Travel expense - SWA Flight for Depo on Sat Nov 17	386.60
10/31/2018	Outside photocopy charges - Fedex office - copy charges - Depos in Reno	185.00
11/13/2018	Travel expense - SWA flight to Reno on Thursday Nov 15th for Hearing on Friday	248.00
11/13/2018	Travel expense - Hotel for Nov 15 - 18th hearing and Sat Depo at Peppermill Hotel	1,000.00
11/18/2018	Travel expense - American Airlines flight back from Reno	574.20
12/05/2018	Litigation Support - Attorney Annual Renewal for Association of Counsel (RKS, ZEJ)	
	(S&J ck# 1365)	1,000.00
12/13/2018	Postage - LSO to Linda James - HW Expert (Airbill #: z5065971)	26.53
01/01/2019	Travel expense - Hotel rooms for RJS & ZEJ	450.00
01/06/2019	Travel expense - Hertz Rental Car for the week of mediation and depos	900.00
01/17/2019	Travel expense Flights for RKS && ZEJ for depos in Reno- 1/21/19-1/25/19	1,600.00
01/21/2019	Travel expense - VRBO in Reno for week 1-20-19	1,800.00

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01/21/2019	Travel expense -	
01/24/2019	Outside photocopy charges - Fedex in Reno	57.42
01/28/2019	Travel expense - VRBO for a month during trial	11,000.00
01/30/2019	Veritext Legal Solutions for Video Conferencing (Invoice #CA3636048 on 1-28-19	225.00
01/30/2019	Travel expense -SWA for RKS & ZEJ to Reno for trial on 1-31-19	600,00
02/01/2019	Travel expense -	36.32
02/01/2019 02/04/2019	Postage - UPS to ZEJ - Wendy's Original Transcripts (1zy4760v0290235934) Outside photocopy charges - Sierra Document Management for Exhibits Binders	30.32
02/04/2019	(\$352.68 & \$745.08) Inv# 004 and 005) pd by cc	1,097.76
02/06/2019	Travel expense - American lights home for 2/7/19 for a week	1,200.00
02/00/2019	Travel expense - SWA flights for RKS & ZEJ and Uber to airports	750.00
02/12/2019	Outside photocopy charges - Sierra Document Mgmt for trial binders \$937.55 on	700.00
02/12/2010	2/11 and \$755.06 on 2/12	1,692.61
02/15/2019	Outside photocopy charges - Sierra Documents trial - copies of additional exhibits	2,698.43
02/25/2019	Travel expense - return flights on SWA from Reno after trial	1,200.00
03/19/2019	Clerk of the Court, Reno NV for Jury 10 days at \$40.00 each (S&J ck # 1437)	4,480.00
03/19/2019	Jury meal for 3-4-19 Pub N Sub \$176.44 ck#1439 & Jimmy Johns \$184 87 ck#1438	['] 361 31
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05/06/2019	Travel expense - SWA for RKS & BOS to Reno for trial 5/13-5/17	1,449.00
05/13/2019	Travel expense - Hotel or Trial	450.00
11/22/2019	State Bar of Nevada for RKS & ZEJ renewal for 2020 (S&J ck#1608)	1,000.00
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12/10/2018	Transcription fees - Bonanza Reporting -Pierre Hascheff on 11/17/18 (Inv#83468)	759.36
12/13/2018	Outside professional fee - Linda James, BCDE - HW Expert (S&J ck#1367 - \$900 -	700.00
12/13/2010	2nd retainer #1368 - \$1500)	2,400.00
12/18/2018	Attorney Gary Stolbach - expert retainer - \$10 k wire from S&J Ops & 2nd ACH	_,
12/10/2010	sent 12-27-18 \$10,700	20,700.00
01/02/2019	Law Office of Robert Enzenberger - mediator S&J ck#1404	2,975.00
01/07/2019	Expert Fee - R. Bruce Wallace PLLC ck#1405	14,850.00
01/10/2019	Attorney Gary Stolback - \$5k retainer for depo prep on 1-10-19 and \$5k on	
	1-15-19= \$10,000.00 for Depo Preperation	10,000.00
01/11/2019	Transcription fees to Sunshine Reporting & Litigation Srv (ck#1410)	60.00
01/23/2019	Courtroom Concepts Cartwright for trial (ck #1420)	10,000.00
01/30/2019	Expert - Gary Stolbach Invoice dated 1-18-19 (less the \$10k retainer paid on	
	1-15-19) ACH	20,327.00
02/15/2019	Expert Fee - Bruce Wallace - (Inv#18068-2nd)	14,850.00
02/25/2019	Courtroom Concepts - Trial presentation (Invoice #2386 - ck#1432)	23,817.32
02/25/2019	Transcription fees - Sunshine Reporting for trial (Invoice #1291710)- 8 hr Todd	
	2/19/19 (ck#1063)	160.00
03/06/2019	Courtroom concepts for last week of Trial (Invoice of #2391) Ck # 1436	21,705.57
03/11/2019	Sunshine Reporting for 2/4/19 - Invoice # 1294223 (S&J ck # 1071)	80.00
03/11/2019	Captions Unlimited of Nevada - 1/23/19 Depo of Bruce Wallace - Expert Invoice #	047.40
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03/25/2019	Complete Trial Graphics (Investigation of #1004- works with Keith Cartwright -	2 405 00
	Courtroom Concepts - on Slide show presentation)	3,485.00 5.134.56
03/25/2019	Transcription fees -Sunshine Reporting - for trial invoices 2/14/19-3/4/19 (ck#1080)	5,134.55
04/08/2019	Transcription fees to Sunshine Reporting - Jury Trial - Rough Draft on 2/22/19 -	457.00
05/07/00/0	Invoice dated 2/25/19 # 1292599 (S&J ck#1468)	38,025.19
05/07/2019	Expert Fee - 3&4th Invoice - Bruce Wallace \$36,553.30 and \$1,471.89 Sunshine Litigation -Day 3 Jury Trial (Inv#1309245)	957.60
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Robison, Sharp, Sullivan & Brust 71 Washington St. Reno, NV 89503 (775) 329-3151 Todd B. Jaksick, individually, ("Todd") respectfully asks this Court to strike the Verified Memorandum of Costs filed in this matter by Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick ("Wendy").

A. WENDY'S VERIFIED MEMORANDUM OF COSTS IS PREMATURE.

Wendy purports to have filed her Verified Memorandum of Costs pursuant to NRS 18.110. NRS 18.110(1) requires that "a party in whose favor **judgment** is rendered, and who claims costs, must file with the clerk, and serve a copy upon the adverse party, within five days after the entry of the **judgment**, or such further time as the Court or judge may grant." (Emphasis added.)

There is no judgment entered in this case. Indeed, in the Court's March 12, 2020 *Order After Equitable Trial*, this Honorable Court directed "Todd and the Trustees may submit a proposed judgment consistent with the jury's verdict and on this order on equitable claims." The proposed judgment is being prepared and will be submitted to this Honorable Court and all counsel of record on or before March 27, 2020.

For the reasons stated, Wendy's Verified Memorandum of Costs is premature and should not be cognizable. Filing a memorandum of costs before entry of judgment creates unrealistic and inappropriate filing deadlines as otherwise prescribed by NRS 18.110. For the reasons stated, Wendy's Verified Memorandum of Costs should be stricken as a fugitive, inappropriate filing.

B. WENDY'S VERIFIED MEMORANDUM OF COSTS IS INAPPROPRIATE AS TO TODD INDIVIDUALLY.

As an individual Counter-Respondent, Todd prevailed against Wendy on all claims Wendy filed against Todd as an individual. As to Todd individually, Wendy is not entitled to recover any costs whatsoever. Moreover, Todd, as an individual, served Offers of Judgment on Wendy. The Court has recognized the validity and effect of Todd's Offers of Judgment. Because Wendy did not recover any money or prevail on any claims against Todd individually, the effect of Todd's NRCP 68 Offer of Judgment is to preclude any award of costs in favor of Wendy against Todd individually.

To the extent Wendy has not given this Court the benefit of a precise allocation of what costs she incurred for having sued Todd as an individual as opposed to those specific costs she incurred in prosecuting Todd as a Co-Trustee or Trustee, her Verified Memorandum of Costs

should be stricken as incomplete, unfair and prejudicial to Todd in his capacity as an individual 1 2 Respondent. 3 AFFIRMATION Pursuant to NRS 239B.030 4 The undersigned does hereby affirm that this document does not contain the social security 5 number of any person. 6 Respectfully submitted this $25^{1/2}$ day of March, 2020. 7 ROBISON, SHARP, SULLIVAN & BRUST 8 A Professional Corporation 71 Washington Street 9 Reno, Nevada 89503 10 11 KENT R. ROBISON THERESE M. SHANKS 12 Attorneys for Todd B. Jaksick, Individually, 13 Incline TSS, Ltd., and Duck Lake Ranch, LLC 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

In the Matter of the:

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THE SAMUEL S. JAKSICK, JR., FAMILY TRUST.

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MOTION TO STRIKE VERIFIED MEMORANDUM OF COSTS

TODD JAKSICK, as sole Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust (the "Family Trust"), MICHAEL S. KIMMEL, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust and KEVIN RILEY, individually, as former Trustee of the Family Trust, and Trustee of the Wendy A. Jaksick 2012 BHC Family Trust (hereafter "Petitioners", "Trustees", or "Co-Trustees"), hereby move to strike the costs claimed by WENDY JAKSICK in this action.

This Motion is made and based on the attached Memorandum of Points and Authorities and all pertinent pleadings and papers on file herein.

Dated this **46** day of March, 2020.

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MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

I.

INTRODUCTION

On March 23, 2020, Wendy filed her Verified Memorandum of Costs ("Memo of Costs"). As set forth more fully below, Wendy's Memo of Costs is premature as judgment has not yet been entered on either the jury trial or the bench trial. Additionally, Wendy has failed to provide the documentation required in order to determine if her costs were reasonable and necessary as required under Nevada law. Further, Wendy did **not** prevail on all of her many claims against multiple defendants and thus is not the only prevailing party. Any allowance of cost to Wendy as prevailing party must be analyzed in conjunction with the costs of the other multiple defendants who prevailed on every other claim. Accordingly, CO-TRUSTEES submits this Motion to Strike.

II.

LAW AND ARGUMENT

A. Wendy's Memo of Costs is premature.

The statute upon which Wendy bases her Memo of Costs clearly states that a verified memorandum of costs is to be filed "within 5 days after entry of *judgment*." NRS 18.110(1) (emphasis added). Here, this Court entered its *Order* After Equitable Trial on March 12, 2020, in which it expressly required that "Todd and the Trustees may submit a proposed *judgment* consistent with the jury's verdict and on this order on equitable claims." Clearly, there has not yet been a judgment entered in this case upon which to file a memo of costs pursuant to NRS 18.110.

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Nevada law is clear that a party cannot be a prevailing party where the action has not proceeded to judgment. *See Dimick v. Dimick*, 112 Nev. 402, 404, 915 P.2d 254, 256 (1996). As such, Wendy's Memo of Costs is premature and should be stricken from the record.

B. Wendy did not prevail on all claims and should not be considered the sole prevailing party.

At trial, Wendy litigated multiple claims against multiple defendants. To be clear, Wendy's claims included the following:

Breach of Fiduciary Duty against:

- 1. Kevin Riley, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 2. Stan Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 3. Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 4. Michael Kimmel, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 5. Kevin Riley, as Trustee of the BHC Trust; and
- 6. Todd Jaksick, as Trustee of the Issue Trust.

Civil Conpspiracy and Aiding and Abetting against:

- 1. Kevin Riley, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 2. Kevin Riley, individually;
- 3. Kevin Riley, as Trustee of the BHC Trust;
- 4. Stan Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 5. Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 6. Todd Jaksick, individually;
- 7. Todd Jaksick, as Trustee of the Issue Trust;



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8. M	ichael	Kimmel,	as Co	o-Trustee	of the	Family	Trust;	and
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9. Michael Kimmel, individually.

Aiding and Abetting Breach of Fiduciary Duty Claim against:

- 1. Kevin Riley, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 2. Kevin Riley, individually;
- 3. Kevin Riley, as Trustee of the BHC Trust;
- 4. Stan Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 5. Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 6. Todd Jaksick, individually;
- 7. Todd Jaksick, as Trustee of the Issue Trust;
- 8. Michael Kimmel, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust; and
- 9. Michael Kimmel, Individually.

Fraud against:

- 1. Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- 2. Todd Jaksick, individually; and
- 3. Todd Jaksick, as Trustee of the Issue Trust.

See Verdict Form attached hereto as Exhibit "1."

That is a total of twenty-seven (27) claims for which Wendy claimed damages in the amount of Eighty Million Dollars (\$80,000,000). Additionally, Wendy sought, but was denied, punitive damages. In the end, the jury found that Wendy had proven her claim for breach of fiduciary duty as against Todd Jaksick as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust, and as Trustee of the

MCI MAUPIN COX LEGOY ATTORNEYS AT LAW P.O. Box 30000 Reno, Navnda 89520 Issue Trust – just two (2) of her twenty-seven (27) claims. For that, the jury awarded her a total of only Fifteen Thousand Dollars (\$15,000).

A party prevails "if it succeeds on any significant issue in litigation which achieves some of the benefit it sought in bringing suit." LVMPD v. Blackjack Bonding, 131 Nev. 80, 90, 343 P.3d 608, 615 (2015) (citing Valley Elec. Ass'n v. Overfield, 121 Nev. 7, 10, 106 P.3d 1198, 1200 (2005) (internal quotations omitted)). There is no specific guidance under Nevada law as to what is a "significant issue" or how to quantify whether it "achieves some of the benefit it sought." In this case, however, common sense must prevail and one cannot be considered the prevailing party having prevailed on only two (2) of twenty-seven (27) claims with the award being only \$15,000 on an \$80,000,000 claim. Notably, the cases in which a district court has determined that a party has prevailed, shows that a prevailing party is a party which succeeds on the majority of the claims brought. See, e.g., LVMPD, 131 Nev. at 90, 343 P.3d at 615 (wherein the district court ordered LVMPD to produce nearly all of the information that Blackjack sought in its petition for a writ of mandamus).

More importantly, Wendy was not the prevailing party on the following claims against Todd as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust and as Trustee of the Issue Trust: (1) civil conspiracy and aiding and abetting; (2) aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty claim; (3) fraud; and (4) she failed on her pursuit of punitive damages. Accordingly, Todd as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust and as Trustee of the Issue Trust was the prevailing party on three (3) of the four (4) claims she asserted against him. Todd in his trustee capacities is no less a prevailing party on these three (3) issues as Wendy is on her one (1) issue. See Valley Elec. Ass'n v. Overfield, 121 Nev. 7, 10, 106

P.3d 1198, 1200 (2005) ("[T]he term 'prevailing party' is broadly construed so as to encompass plaintiffs, counterclaimants, and defendants.").

Likewise, Wendy's claims failed against the following defendants:

- 1. Kevin Riley, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- Kevin Riley, individually;
- Kevin Riley, as Trustee of the BHC Trust;
- Stan Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust;
- Todd Jaksick, individually;
- 6. Michael Kimmel, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust; and
- 7. Michael Kimmel, Individually.

Kevin Riley, Stan Jaksick, and Michael Kimmel in all of their capacities listed above, as well as Todd Jaksick, individually, are the prevailing parties as against Wendy for all of her asserted claims against them. As noted above, Nevada law recognizes that a defendant is a prevailing party even if the defendant did not assert the claim. Thus, for the clear majority of claims asserted by Wendy, she is NOT the prevailing party and would not be entitled to costs.

There is Nevada case law on the issue of multiple prevailing parties, as in the case of Todd as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust and as Trustee of the Issue Trust as against Wendy. The Court has the authority to either claim that neither party is the prevailing party and thus deny costs to both parties (see New Shy Clown Casino, Inc. v. Baldwin, 103 Nev. 269, 271, 737 P.2d 524, 525-26 (1987); or the Court may find that more than one party is the prevailing party and award costs to more than one party resulting in an offset (see Friedman v. Friedman, 128 Nev. 897, 381 P.3d 613 (2012). The situation with costs as between Wendy and Todd as Co-Trustee

MCI VAUPIN COX LEGOY AT TO ANEYS AT LAW P.O. Box 30000 Reno, Nevada 89520 of the Family Trust and as Trustee of the Issue Trust requires a finding that either no party prevailed and no costs are allowed or both parties prevailed and an offset of costs is warranted.

With respect to the situation as between Wendy and the remaining defendants in all their different listed capacities, Wendy is NOT the prevailing party and is NOT entitled to her costs. Wendy failed to succeed any even one of her claims against these remaining defendants in their various capacities and she received none of the benefit she sought in bringing suit against them. Her costs as related to these defendants must be denied.

Wendy has filed her Memo of Costs in the total sum of Three Hundred, Thirty-Six Thousand, Five Hundred and Twenty-Three Dollars and Ninety-Four cents (\$336,523.94), which clearly encompass the entirety of the costs required to litigate all of her claims against all of the multiple defendants. She makes absolutely no effort to parse out that portion of her costs attributable to the case as against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust, and as Trustee of the Issue Trust. She is not entitled to an award of costs for the remaining twenty-five (25) claims against multiple defendants, as she did not prevail on those claims. Additionally, her costs for claims against Todd as Co-Trustee of the Family Trust, or as Trustee of the Issue Trust must be offset with Todd's costs for his prevailing position on three (3) of the four (4) claims asserted against him. Alternatively, none of these three parties should be awarded costs, as none were the prevailing party. For these reasons, Wendy's request for costs should be denied.

C. Wendy has failed to provide the required documentation to justify her costs.

The Co-Trustees have the right to move this Court to retax and settle the costs; however, Wendy has failed to comply with Nevada law and has not included evidence that her costs were

MCI MAUPIN COX LEGOY ATTORNEYS AT LAW P.O. Box 30000 Reno, Nevada 89520 reasonable, necessary and actually incurred. Without such information, a district court may not award costs. See Cadle Co. v. Woods & Erickson, LLP, 131 Nev. 114, 345 P.3d 1049 (2015).

The law is well-settled in Nevada that the district court may not award costs unless authorized to do so by a statute, rule, or contract. *See U.S. Design & Constr. v. I.B.E.W. Local* 357, 118 Nev. 458, 462, 50 P.3d 170, 173 (2002). The statute is clear with respect to a definition of costs (*see* NRS 18.005).

NRS 18.005 sets forth sixteen categories of permissible costs which a prevailing party may seek to have the non-prevailing party pay. The determination of allowable costs is within the sound discretion of the trial court; however, statutes permitting recovery of costs are in derogation of the common law, and therefore must be strictly construed. *Gibellini v. Klindt*, 110 Nev. 1201, 1205, 885 P.2d 540 (1994). Judicial discretion should be sparingly exercised when considering whether or not to allow expenses not specifically allowed by statute or precedent. *Bergmann v. Boyce*, 109 Nev. 670, 679, 856 P.2d 560 (1993).

Throughout NRS 18.005, several categories permit only "reasonable costs." A strict construction of the statute requires that the phrase "reasonable costs" be interpreted to mean actual costs that are also reasonable, rather than a reasonable estimate or calculation of such costs based upon administrative convenience. *See Gibellini, supra,* at 1206. Not only must a party moving for costs provide sufficient justifying documentation for claimed costs, that party must also provide specific itemization with respect to its requests for costs. *See Bobby Berosini, Ltd. v. PETA*, 114 Nev. 1348, 1353, 971 P.2d 383, 386 (1999).

In Cadle Co. v. Woods & Erickson, LLP, 131 Nev. 114, 345 P.3d 1049 (2015), the Court found as follows:

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MCI VAUPIN COX LEGOY ATTORNEYB AT LAW PO, Box 30003 Reno, Nevada 89520 In *Bobby Berosini*, *Ltd.*, we explained that a party must "demonstrate how such [claimed costs] were necessary to and incurred in the present action." Although cost memoranda were filed in that case, we were unsatisfied with the itemized memorandum and demandedfurther justifying documentation. It is clear, then, that "justifying documentation" must mean something more than a memorandum of costs. In order to retax and settle costs upon motion of the parties pursuant to NRS 18.110, a district court must have before it evidence that the costs were reasonable, necessary and actually incurred. Without evidence to determine whether a cost was reasonable and necessary, a district court may not award costs.

Cadle Co., 131 Nev. at 120-21, 345 P.3d at 1054 (internal citations omitted).

Here, WENDY has submitted seventeen categories of costs, which CO-TRUSTEES have the right to retax, however, Wendy provided no actual invoices for any of the costs submitted. On that basis alone, the district court cannot award costs. Without actual invoices to back up the charges claimed by Wendy, there is no basis to determine whether the costs were <u>actual and reasonable</u>, and as such, there is no basis to award costs. See Cadle Co. v. Woods & Erickson, LLP, 131 Nev. 114, 345 P.3d 1049 (2015).

III.

CONCLUSION

Based on the foregoing objections, CO-TRUSTEES respectfully requests that this Court strike Wendy's Memo of Costs, and deny her request for costs based on her failure to provide documentation and justification for the costs as required under Nevada law.

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Pursuant to NRS 239B.030, the undersigned hereby affirms that this document does not contain the Social Security Number of any person.

NRS 239B.030 Affirmation

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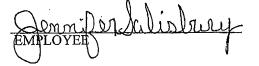
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Petitioner, CASE NO.: PR17-00445
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TODD B. JAKSICK, Individually, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family Trust, and as Trustee of the CASE NO.: PR17-00446 SSJ's Issue Trust; MICHAEL S. KIMMEL,

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DUCK LAKE RANCH, LLC; SAMMY SUPERCUB LLC, SERIES A,

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1. We, the jury, duly impaneled in the above-entitled
action, having found in favor of Petitioner, Wendy Jaksick, on
one or more of her claims against one or more of the
Respondents, find that she has proven by a preponderance of
evidence the amount of her damages, assess her damages to be
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2. Has Wendy Jaksick established by clear and convincing evidence that any of the Respondents acted with fraud, oppression, or malice?

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KEVIN RILEY	YES	(NO)
STAN JAKSICK	YES	NO
TODD JAKSICK	YES	NO
MICHAEL KIMMEL	YES	NO
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MOTION TO RETAX COSTS AND JOINDER TO MOTIONS TO STRIKE

Stanley Jaksick ("Stan" or "Stanley Jaksick") as co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust ("Family Trust"), by and through undersigned counsel, hereby provisionally moves to retax the Verified Memorandum of Costs filed by Wendy Jaksick on March 23, 2020. Stanley Jaksick additionally joins in the Motions to Strike filed by Todd Jaksick and by Petitioners on March 26, 2020. This Motion is based upon the following Memorandum of Points and Authorities and supporting exhibits attached thereto, the pleadings and papers on file in this action, and any argument of counsel at a hearing on these matters.

MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

Stanley Jaksick prevailed on all claims and defenses against Wendy Jaksick, thus preventing Wendy Jaksick from having even an arguable basis to assess costs against Stanley Jaksick. Nevertheless, because Wendy Jaksick's Verified Memorandum of Costs was filed without reference to which party may be held responsible for these costs or in which apportionment, Stanley Jaksick provisionally moves to retax the Verified Memorandum of Costs. None of these costs should be assessed against Stanley Jaksick or against his beneficial interest in any entity or trust. While Stanley Jaksick reserves all right to respond to the Verified Memorandum of Costs when and if necessary, the following three points can be made at the present.

First, Wendy Jaksick lacks a statutory basis to recover costs from Stanley Jaksick or from his beneficial interest in any of his entities or trusts as she failed to prevail on a single claim against him in any capacity.

Second, any costs that Wendy Jaksick may be entitled to from the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust, should be offset by the total costs incurred by the prevailing parties related to the Family Trust that she sued. Furthermore, these total costs are not disaggregated in any way such that can be fairly evaluated in relation to any claim that she may have prevailed upon.

Third, the Verified Memorandum of Costs fails to provide the required documentation under *Cadle Co. v. Woods & Erickson, LLP*, 131 Nev. 114 (2015). Without adequate

documentation on each cost, this Court cannot evaluate or award these costs under the clear precedent of the Nevada Supreme Court. **Affirmation** The undersigned does hereby affirm that pursuant to NRS 239B.030, the preceding document does not contain the social security number of any person. DATED: March 26, 2020 McDONALD CARANO Adam Hosmer-Henner
Adam Hosmer-Henner, Esq.
100 West. Liberty Street, 10th Floor Reno, Nevada 89501 Attorneys for Stanley Jaksick, Co-Trustee of the Family Trust

1 2 3 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE** Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I hereby certify that I am an employee of McDONALD 4 CARANO and that on March 26, 2020, I served the foregoing on the parties in said case by 5 electronically filing via the Court's e-filing system. The participants in this case are registered e-6 7 filing users and notice of filing will be served on all parties by operation of the Court's CM/ECF 8 system, and parties may access this filing through the Court's CM/ECF system. 9 Donald Lattin, Esq. Kent Robison, Esq. Robert LeGoy, Esq. Therese M. Shanks, Esq. 10 Robison, Sharp, Sullivan & Brust Brian C. McQuaid, Esq. Carolyn Renner, Esq. 71 Washington Street 11 Maupin Cox & LeGoy Reno, NV 89503 4785 Caughlin Parkway 12 Reno, NV 89520 13 Mark J. Connot, Esq. Philip L. Kreitlein, Esq. Fox Rothschild, LLP Kreitlein Law Group, Ltd. 14 1980 Festival Plaza Drive, # 700 1575 Delucci Lane, Ste. 101 Las Vegas, NV 89135 Reno, NV 89502 15 16 R. Kevin Spencer, Esq. Zachary E. Johnson, Esq. 17 Brendan P. Harvell, Esq. Spencer Law, P.C. 18 500 N. Akard St., Suite 2150 Dallas, TX 75201 19 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. 20 DATED: March 26, 2020. 21 22 By /s/ Adam Hosmer-Henner An Employee of McDonald Carano 23 24 25 26 27 28

FILED Electronically PR17-00445 2020-04-01 03:33:19 PM Jacqueline Bryant 1 1845 Clerk of the Court Transaction # 7818567 2 3 4 5 IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA 6 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE 7 8 CASE NO.: PR17-00445 In the Matter of the: 9 **DEPT. NO.: 15** SSJ's ISSUE TRUST. 10 In the Matter of the: 11 CASE NO.: PR17-00446 SAMUEL S. JAKSICK, JR., FAMILY 12 **DEPT. NO.: 15** TRUST. 13 WENDY JAKSICK, JUDGMENT ON JURY VERDICT AND 14 Respondent and Counter-Petitioner, **COURT ORDER ON EQUITABLE** 15 **CLAIMS** TODD B. JAKSICK, Individually, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family 16 Trust, and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust; MICHAEL S. KIMMEL, Individually and as 17 Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. Family 18 Trust; STANLEY S. JAKSICK, Individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. 19 Family Trust; KEVIN RILEY, Individually, as Former Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick Jr. 20 Family Trust, and as Trustee of the Wendy A. 21 Jaksick 2012 BHC Family Trust, INCLINE TSS, LTD.; and DUCK LAKE RANCH, LLC; 22 Petitioners and Counter-Respondents. 23 24 25 JUDGMENT ON JURY VERDICT A. 26 This matter was tried to a jury from February 14, 2019 to and including March 4, 2019. 27 The jury found in favor of Todd Jaksick, individually, Stanley Jaksick, individually and as Co-28

 Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Kevin Riley, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the BHC Trust and against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick on all claims and defenses. The jury found in favor of Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust on her breach of fiduciary duty claim and assessed damages in the total amount of \$15,000. The jury found in favor of Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, on all of Wendy Jaksick's other claims tried to the jury. The Jury Verdict is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Accordingly, judgment is entered as follows:

- 1. In favor of Todd Jaksick, individually, Stanley Jaksick, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Kevin Riley, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the BHC Trust against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick on all of the claims and defenses tried to the jury. As required by NRS 18.110, these prevailing parties shall file their Memoranda of Costs within five days from notice of entry of this Judgment on Jury Verdict.
- 2. In favor of Wendy Jaksick against Todd Jaksick as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust on Wendy Jaksick's breach of fiduciary duty claims. The Jury's Verdict in favor of Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick in the amount of \$15,000 is *de minimis* in light of her request for damages of \$80,000,000 and in light of her failure to prevail on fraud, conspiracy and aiding and abetting. She is, therefore, not a prevailing party and not entitled to recover costs under NRS 18.050 and NRS 18.110. Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick failed to obtain a judgment in excess of the Offers of Judgment served by Todd Jaksick, as an individual, and is therefore not entitled to recover costs pursuant to NRCP 68. Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick's judgment against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, is for the total amount

of \$15,000, together with prejudgment interest from the date of her Counter-Petition (January 19, 2018) to the date of the Offer of Judgment (August 29, 2018) served by Todd Jaksick, in his individual capacity, in the amount of \$605.34, for a total judgment of \$15,605.34. This judgment shall accrue interest at judgment rate until paid in full.

- 3. All claims asserted by Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick in her Counter-Petition and Amended Counter-Petition and tried to the jury are dismissed with prejudice.
- 4. In favor of Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, Ltd. against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick. The Court dismissed Counter-Petitioner's claims against these entities and pursuant to NRS 18.110, these entities shall file their Memoranda of Costs within five days of notice of entry of this judgment.

B. JUDGMENT ON EQUITABLE CLAIMS

On May 13, 2019, the Court began a bench trial to resolve Wendy Jaksick's equitable claims. The parties stipulated to submit written closing trial briefs and replies. Having considered all briefs, evidence admitted during the jury trial and evidence submitted in support of the parties' positions on the equitable claims, the Court entered its *Order After Equitable Trial* on March 12, 2020. The Order is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and is incorporated herein. The terms, provisions, findings and conclusions set forth in its *Order After Equitable Trial* are incorporated herein as the Court's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law pursuant to Rule 52(a) of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure.

Judgment is hereby entered as follows:

1. Against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick on all of her equitable claims and is entered in favor of Todd Jaksick, as an individual, Stanley Jaksick, as an individual and Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, as an individual and Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Kevin Riley, individually, Kevin Riley, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Kevin Riley, as Trustee of the BHC Trust, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, Ltd. These prevailing parties shall file their Memoranda of Costs pursuant to NRS 18.110 within five days of the notice of entry of this judgment.

- 2. In favor of Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick's counsel of record in the amount of \$300,000 to be paid by the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and the SSJ's Issue Trust.
- 3. In favor of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and SSJ's Issue Trust against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust in an amount equal to 25% of the attorneys' fees paid by the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and SSJ's Issue Trust for legal services rendered on behalf of the Co-Trustees of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee for the SSJ's Issue Trust. Todd Jaksick's obligation to satisfy this judgment requires payment of the amount determined from his personal funds. Counsel for the Trustees and Trustee shall submit verified Memoranda of Fees paid within twenty-one days of notice of entry of this judgment.
- 4. On March 13, 2019, Todd Jaksick, in his individual capacity, filed a Motion for Order Awarding Costs and Attorneys' Fees for Todd Jaksick, individually, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC and Incline TSS, Ltd. For the reasons stated in the Court's March 12, 2020 *Order After Equitable Trial*, Todd Jaksick's Motion for Order Awarding Costs and Attorneys' Fees was granted, subject to section (c) on page 22 of the Court's *Order After Equitable Trial*. Accordingly, judgment is hereby entered in favor of Todd Jaksick, individually, against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick in the amount of \$436,331 for attorneys' fees and \$68,834.07 in costs, for a total judgment in favor of Todd Jaksick against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick of \$505,165.07, which amount shall accrue interest from the date hereof at the legal rate.
- 5. In favor of the SSJ's Issue Trust and Incline TSS, Ltd., confirming title to the Lake Tahoe house is to remain in the name of Incline TSS, Ltd., and against Wendy Jaksick regarding claims to disrupt or change the title to the Lake Tahoe home.
- 6. In favor of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick denying her July 23, 2019 Emergency Motion to Compel Distribution from the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust.
- 7. In favor of Counter-Respondents, consistent with the Jury's Verdict on the ACPAs and Indemnification Agreements.

- 8. Against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick and in favor of Todd Jaksick, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Stanley Jaksick, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Kevin Riley, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the BHC Trust, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, Ltd., on Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick's claims on unjust enrichment and constructive trust.
- 9. In favor of Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, and against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick confirming Todd Jaksick, as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust and Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust. Michael Kimmel and Stanley Jaksick are also confirmed as Co-Trustees of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust.
- 10. In favor of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and the SSJ's Issue Trust against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, for all Trustee's fees paid to Todd Jaksick. Todd Jaksick is hereby required to disgorge all Trustee's fees paid to him, and payment thereof will constitute a setoff against any amounts he must pay as and for 25% of the attorneys' fees paid to the Trustees' counsel of record.
- 11. Declaring and decreeing that all fees ordered against Wendy Jaksick shall be treated as a general trust administration expense and are not allocated to any beneficiaries' distributive share. Todd Jaksick may attach or anticipate Wendy's distributive share only if there are no spendthrift provisions within the trust instruments that prohibit such creditor collection efforts. If such spendthrift provisions exist, distributions shall be made to Wendy, and Todd may seek collection efforts against Wendy personally, subsequent to the distribution.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, DECREED AND ADJUDGED that the foregoing, upon entry and filing in this matter, is an enforceable final judgment and all findings and conclusions of the Court's March 12, 2020 *Order After Equitable Trial* are expressly incorporated herein. This judgment resolves all claims against all parties, and pursuant to Rule 54(b) of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure is a final judgment.

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27 28 THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA
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In the Matter of the Administration of the Case No. PR17-00446

SAMUEL S. JAKSICK, JR. FAMILY TRUST. Dept. No. 15

ORDER AFTER EQUITABLE TRIAL

On August 2, 2017, the trustees of the SSJ's Issue Trust ("Issue Trust") and the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust ("Family Trust") filed Petitions for Confirmation of Trustee and Admission of Trust to the Jurisdiction of the Court, and for Approval of Accountings and Other Trust Administration Matters. October 10, 2017, Wendy Jaksick filed an Opposition and Objection to the Petition. On January 19, 2018, Wendy filed a Counterpetition to Surcharge Trustees for Breach of Fiduciary Duties, for Removal of Trustees and Appointment of Independent Trustee(s), and for Declaratory Judgment and Other Relief, which was subsequently amended on February 23, 2018. Family Trust cotrustee Stan Jaksick filed an Objection to Approval of Accountings and Other Trust Administration Matters on October 10, 2017. Todd Jaksick, as trustee of the Issue Trust

¹ Family Trust co-trustee Stan Jaksick did not join in the petitions.

and co-trustee of the Family Trust, and Michael Kimmel as co-trustee of the Family Trust, are represented by Donald Lattin and Carolyn Renner. Todd is represented in his individual capacity by Kent Robison. Mr. Robison also represents Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, Incline TSS, Ltd., and Sammy Supercub, LLC. Stanley Jaksick, as co-trustee of the Family Trust, is represented by Adam Hosmer-Henner and Philip Kreitlein. Wendy is represented by Mark Connot and Kevin Spencer.

- 1. This Court presided over a jury trial on legal claims between February 14, 2019, and March 4, 2019. The jury concluded Todd breached his fiduciary duty as trustee and awarded damages of \$15,000. The jury found no other trustee breached any fiduciary duty. In addition, the jury found Wendy had not proven her claims for 1) civil conspiracy and aiding and abetting, 2) aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty, or 3) fraud against any counter-respondent whether individually or as trustee. The jury did not find any counter-respondent acted with fraud, oppression, or malice.
- 2. On May 13, 2019, this Court began a bench trial to resolve the remaining equitable claims. By stipulation, the parties submitted written closing trial statements and replies. This Court authorized supplemental briefing on a narrow issue related to Exhibit 561. This Court has considered all briefs and evidence admitted during the equitable trial (including many exhibits previously admitted at jury trial).² This Court is aware that disagreements continue and Wendy alleges ongoing breaches of fiduciary duties, as illustrated by the moving papers relating to post-trial costs, the 2018 annual accountings, and distribution guidance. It now finds and orders as follows:

General Findings

1. As a factfinder, this Court is authorized to consider its everyday common sense and judgment, and determine what inferences may be properly drawn from direct and circumstantial evidence. See Lewis v. Sea Ray Boats, Inc., 119 Nev. 100, 105, 65 P.3d

² On May 13, 2019, the parties stipulated into evidence many exhibits previously admitted during the jury trial. Wendy also offered new evidence during the equitable phase of trial. A list of all documentary evidence admitted on equitable issues is contained in this Court's Order Addressing Evidence at Equitable Trial, dated May 20, 2019. This Court has not considered unadmitted documentary evidence. However, this Court has considered deposition testimony properly part of the trial record pursuant to NRCP 32.

245, 248 (2003); Nev. 1GI.5 (2011); Nev. 2EV.3 (2011); Nev. J.I. 1.05 (1986).

- 2. The facts presented in support of the equitable claims inextricably overlap with the legal claims presented to the jury. Despite how the claims are pled, Wendy is attempting to retry her case to obtain a second review of similar facts and an outcome different from the jury verdict.³ This Court may or may not have reached the same decision as the jury. Regardless, it has no authority to dilute or otherwise modify the jury's verdict.
- 3. The file materials compose more than 17,000 pages. There were more than 300 separate pleadings, motions, oppositions, replies, joinders, and other substantive papers filed in this proceeding. The parties produced tens of thousands of documents before trial and marked 677 exhibits for the two trials, of which 227 were admitted. The substantive papers (with exhibits and transcripts) filed since the jury's verdict compose more than 4,000 pages. This Court has read and re-read the pending moving papers, to include exhibits and transcripts. It has analyzed every argument presented and carefully studied the cited authorities. It cannot synthesize the competing moving papers, exhibits, and arguments into a single coherent order. It cannot resolve the arguments in minutia. Therefore, this Court elects to make general findings, which are substantially supported by the evidence of record.
- 4. This Court regrets some of its more direct findings, which it must disclose to support its discretionary resolution of equitable claims.
- 5. Sam Jaksick created substantial wealth during his life but his leveraged estate was compromised by the "great recession" during the last season of his life. Sam's estate is exceedingly complex because he used tens of different corporate entities as holding companies for his wealth. Sam also partnered with non-family business entities.
 - 6. Sam had three children: Stan, Wendy, and Todd. Sam loved each of his

³ On January 3, 2018, Wendy demanded a jury trial on all legal claims. Wendy demanded a jury —at least in part—because she likely suspected a judge's comprehensive, studious examination of all evidence would not result in the \$80 million compensatory damages and additional punitive damages she asked the jury to award. This Court honors Wendy's unfettered constitutional right to a jury trial but it will not re-visit the identical facts to arrive at a different outcome for Wendy.

children, despite their different strengths, weaknesses, and personalities. Wendy did not transition well into adulthood and Sam was aware of her inability to provide for herself. Wendy does not understand financial complexities. Sam was more confident in Stan and Todd as he worked with them during his life and designated them to continue participating in his estate and business affairs after his death. Stan's trial participation was not lengthy but he appears to enjoy some financial fluency and business sophistication. Stan also presented as a credible witness and thoughtful sibling. While Todd is most familiar with Sam's business and trust affairs, he is only marginally sophisticated as a trustee. He regularly deferred to the knowledge and expertise of others. Todd also presented as conflicted by his own interests, influenced by his animus towards Wendy, and confused about his duties as a neutral trustee.

- 7. Sam's estate plan evolved over the years, and its last iteration was influenced by debt, tax avoidance, asset protection, and planning around Stan's divorce. Both Sam and Todd were exposed to personal liabilities on substantial debts Sam had incurred. Some of the estate documents were created in haste because of Sam's heart illness and surgery in December, 2012. (Sam survived his heart illness and tragically died in a water accident in 2013). Some of the 2012-13 estate planning documents are disorganized, internally inconsistent, and complicated by notarial mischief or neglect. This Court was particularly troubled by the notary's abdication of statutory responsibilities, which was an influencing fact in the litigation Wendy pursued. Notaries are given great authority and their actions induce reliance. The notary at issue fell below the statutory standards. This finding alone warrants a substantial financial consequence upon the trust, which this Court includes in its analysis of the no-contest penalty and attorneys' fees requests.
- 8. Todd's participation in Sam's estate beginning in 2012 can be viewed through two opposing lenses: he was either a disconnected participant who yielded to his

⁴ This Court understands jury instruction no. 11, which does not alter the fact that Todd struggled under the shadow of his father's business acumen. The dynamic of Todd relying on professionals regarding the accountings, while the professionals provided accountings with disclaimers and hyphens, created uncertainty (or at least the appearance of uncertainty) about transactions, values, and who was ultimately responsible for acts and accountings of trust administration.

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father's wishes, or he was a subtly strategic participant who enriched himself to the detriment of his siblings. These opposing possibilities are relevant only to understand how this dispute became so bitter. This Court is inclined to find Todd was the former rather than the latter, but regardless, Stan and Wendy had cause to seek answers to questions created by document anomalies, inadequate disclosures, and transactions inuring to Todd's benefit.

- 9. This action began when Stan, Wendy, and Todd were opposed to each other. The dispute was exacerbated by inadequate information and self-interested perspectives. Some of the more personal allegations among siblings reveal a family influenced by misperceptions and individual interests. Wendy was particularly personal in her allegations, the worst of which were harassing, vexatious, and without factual basis. There were at least seven lawyers zealously advocating for their clients, which further entrenched the siblings against each other. The children chose litigation over compromise to work through the complexities of Sam's estate and their disparate financial circumstances. With more effortful disclosures, neutral access to information, and a little sibling patience, they might have worked through the messiness of Sam's estate to reach a non-litigation resolution. Instead, the children sued each other, with Todd and Stan settling their dispute just days before the jury trial began. Despite the settlement, this Court is aware of the allegations Stan made against Todd in his deposition and trial testimony. The settlement does not extinguish Stan's pleading allegations and testimony - it merely reflects Todd and Stan's strategic and well-advised decision to compromise their claims before trial. The settlement worked to Wendy's trial detriment, yet she chose trial over settlement and must now accept the consequences of her choice. Stan's allegations and testimony are relevant to contextualize the legal and equitable claims, particularly the request to impose a no-contest penalty and for attorneys' fees under NRS Chapter 18 and NRCP 68.
- 10. Todd and Stan contend they made every effort to avoid litigation but could not persuade Wendy or her attorneys to choose compromise over conflict. This is mostly

- observed his children spending millions of dollars litigating his estate. The parties repeatedly invited this Court to consider Sam's testamentary intentions. Responding to that invitation, this Court has wondered how Sam would react to see his estate disproportionally allocated among his children. There is no way to know how or if Sam would have enlarged Wendy's beneficial interests if he survived the economic recovery. Sam loved Wendy despite her issues, and this Court suspects Sam would have continued his pattern of lifetime largesse in favor of his troubled daughter. But suspicion and speculation are beyond this Court's authority. Death arrives at its own inconvenient time and none can alter its consequences. Wendy is simply without her paternal benefactor and is susceptible to the trustees' actions as governed by documents and transactions Sam approved during his life.
- 12. The trustees' initial petitions were predicated upon accountings that provided inadequate information. The accountings were untimely, and even if technically compliant with the statutes, they failed to provide full and fair notice to Wendy as a beneficiary. This Court acknowledges the trustees attempted to answer Wendy's questions by making their CPA and lawyers available to Wendy, but there is only marginal evidence in the record the trustees invested their own personal efforts to satisfy Wendy's concerns. At some point the trustees' responses became form over function. Todd particularly grew weary of Wendy, which affected his neutral trusteeship, as illustrated by his hope to satisfy Wendy's beneficial interests at a discount that inured to his benefit. In response, Wendy initiated scorched-earth litigation grounded in entitlement and limited self-awareness. This Court cannot now alter the consequences of

the trust administration and litigation choices that precede this order.

- 13. Wendy's legal and equitable claims are grounded in the same common facts and are exceedingly difficult to segregate. As this Court reviewed the hundreds of pages of written arguments relating to the equitable claims, it was taken back to the evidence and arguments presented to the jury. Through the misty fog of painfully voluminous allegations and varied claims, the core of Wendy's complaint is that Todd breached his fiduciary duties by self-dealing and failing to disclose information relevant to Wendy as a beneficiary. No matter how Wendy frames or argues her equitable claims, she asks this Court to remedy the identical facts and transactions she placed before the jury. This Court must look to the substance of the claims, not just the labels used in the pleading document. Nev. Power Co. v. District Court, 120 Nev. 948, 960, 102 P.3d 578, 586 (2004).
- 14. The complexity of Sam's estate warranted extraordinary disclosures, explanations, and compliance with discovery rules. There were significant discovery disputes, such that this Court created a schedule for recurring access to the Discovery Commissioner. This Court also ordered the production of disputed discovery. Discovery continued to the very eve of trial and Wendy was still attempting to discern her beneficial interests when trial began.
- There were several sports references and metaphors argued to the jury. Consistent with that theme, Wendy "swung for the fences" when she asked the jury to award \$80 million to her (plus punitive damages), an amount that exceeds the evidentiary value of this estate and would deprive Todd and Stan of any beneficial interests. She now seeks a "mulligan" by re-arguing to this Court what was over-argued to the jury. The jury found that Todd breached his fiduciary duties but only awarded \$15,000 to Wendy. It found against Wendy on all other claims and against all other counter-respondents. This Court may have been authorized to award additional equitable relief upon the same facts

⁵ To illustrate, Wendy argued in her omnibus opposition to the cost memoranda filed before the equitable claims trial that "damages may still be awarded, transactions may be set-aside, further breaches of fiduciary duty may be found, and the ACPAs and other documents may be found fraudulent or invalid, ab initio." These were all claims and requests rejected by the jury.

16. Todd asks this Court to contextualize the \$15,000 as a *de minimis* award. This Court will not infuse qualitative meaning into the jury's verdict. To do so would be impermissible speculation. Todd breached his fiduciary duties to Wendy. And Wendy was not awarded the damages she sought. These two facts are integral to this Court's resolution of equitable claims and fees requests.

General Legal References

- 1. This Court cannot supplant or alter a jury's verdict by relying upon common facts to reach a different outcome. See generally Lehrer McGovern Bovis, Inc. v. Bullock Insulation, Inc., 124 Nev. 1102, 197 P.3d 1032, 1038 (2008) (discussing special interrogatory verdicts). In Acosta v. City of Costa Mesa, 718 F.3d 800 (9th Cir. 2013), the plaintiff submitted his equitable claim for declaratory relief to the bench after the jury rejected his legal claims. The court held "it would be a violation of the Seventh Amendment right to jury trial for the court to disregard a jury's findings of fact. Thus, in a case where legal claims are tried by a jury and equitable claims are tried by a judge, and the claims are based on the same facts, in deciding the equitable claims, the Seventh Amendment requires the trial judge to follow the jury's implicit or explicit factual determinations." Id. at 828-29 (citations omitted).
- 2. In Sturgis Motorcycle Rally, Inc. v. Rushmore Photo & Gifts, Inc., 908 F.3d 313, 343 (8th Cir. 2018), the jury found for the plaintiff on legal intellectual property claims, but the bench subsequently applied the equitable defenses of laches and acquiescence. The appellate court reversed, holding "[t]o bind the district court's equitable powers, a jury's findings must be on an issue 'common' to the action's legal and equitable claims; otherwise, the court is free to treat the jury's findings as 'merely advisory'" Id. Further, "[i]f the jury's findings were on a common issue, the court, in fashioning equitable relief, may take into account facts that were not determined by the jury, but it may not

- 3. Among prescribed form and content, an accounting must provide a beneficiary with the ability to evaluate his or her interests. NRS 165.135(3). See also NRS 153.041. The cost of preparing an accounting is presumptively borne by the trust. NRS 165.1214(5). Unless acting in good faith, a trustee can be personally liable for failing to provide an accounting. NRS 165.148. A beneficiary may petition the court to order a trustee to perform his or her accounting duties. NRS 165.190. This Court may order a trustee's compensation be reduced or forfeited, or enter other civil penalty, when a trustee fails to perform his duties. NRS 165.200.
- 4. The trustees' just and reasonable expenses are presumptively governed by the trust instruments and borne by the trust. However, this Court has authority to review and settle the trustees' expenses and compensation. NRS 153.070. This Court may also reduce a trustee's compensation or order a trustee to pay a beneficiary's reasonable attorneys' fees and costs when the beneficiary compels redress for a breach of trust or compliance with trust terms. NRS 153.031(3). See also In re Estate of Anderson, No. 58227, 2012 WL4846488 (Oct. 9, 2012). This Court may order the trust expenses defending against a beneficiary's successful claims be borne by a trustee individually. NRS 18.090. See also Estate of Bowlds, 120 Nev. 990, 1,000, 102 P.3d 593, 600 (2004) (concluding payment of attorney's fees from trust assets only when litigation generally benefits the trust); NRS 153.031(3)(b) (stating if court grants relief to petitioner, it may order trustee to pay fees and costs); RESTATEMENT (THIRD) OF TRUSTS § 100 (2012) (examining denial of compensation to breaching trustee).

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However, the statute then creates a wide exception when it provides a no-contest clause must not be enforced when a beneficiary acts to enforce her legal rights, obtain court instruction regarding proper administration, seeks to enforce the trustee's fiduciary duties, or institutes and maintains a legal action in good faith and based on probable cause. NRS 163.00195(4). See also Matter of ATS 1998 Tr., No. 68748, 2017 WL3222533, at *4 ("[T]he purpose of a no-contest clause is to enforce the settlor(s)' wishes, not to discourage a beneficiary from seeking his or her rights."). A legal action is based on probable cause when the facts and circumstances available to the beneficiary, or a properly informed and advised reasonable person, "would conclude that the trust, the transfer of property into the trust, any document referenced in or affected by the trust or any other trust-related instrument is invalid." NRS 163.00195(4)(e) (emphasis added).

NRS 163.00195 governs no-contest provisions. It begins by emphasizing this

- A trustee has a duty to act impartially, based on what is fair and reasonable to all beneficiaries. Specifically, "the trustee shall act impartially in investing and managing the trust property, taking into account any differing interests of the beneficiaries." NRS 164.720(1). "[I]t is the trustee's duty, reasonably and without personal bias, to seek to ascertain and to give effect to the rights and priorities of the various beneficiaries or purposes as expressed or implied by the terms of the trust." RESTATEMENT (THIRD) OF TRUSTS § 79 (2007).
- "In all matters connected with [the] trust, a trustee is bound to act in the 7. highest good faith toward all beneficiaries and may not obtain any advantage over the latter by the slightest misrepresentation, concealment, threat, or adverse pressure of any kind." Charleson v. Hardesty, 108 Nev, 878, 882, 839 P.2d 1303, 1306 (1992) (quoting Morales v. Field, 160 Cal.Rptr. 239, 244 (1980)).
- This Court may remove a trustee for good cause, including breach of fiduciary duties. NRS 156.070; NRS 163.115; NRS 163.190; NRS 163.180; NRS 164.040(2); see also Diotallevi v. Sierra Dev. Co., 95 Nev. 164, 591 P.2d 270 (1979) (explaining court has

"full equitable powers" to redress breach of trust). Removal may be appropriate when there is significant animosity between the trustee and a beneficiary, such that it has the potential to materially interfere with the proper administration of the trust. Acorn v. Monecchi, 386 P.3d 739, 760 (Wyo. 2016) (explaining the relevant question is whether "hostility, in combination with existing circumstances, materially interferes with the administration of the trust or is likely to cause that result"); In re Estate of Stuchlik, 857 N.W.2d 57, 70 (Neb. 2014) (stating a trustee cannot act impartially when "influenced by . . . animosity toward individual beneficiaries"); BOGERT, LAW OF TRUSTS AND TRUSTEES § 129 (3d rev. ed. 2019) (explaining where there is potential for a conflict of interest to arise from the dual status of a trustee who is also a beneficiary, removal of the trustee may be appropriate); see also Dennis v. R.I. Hosp. Trust Nat. Bank, 571 F. Supp. 623, 639 (D.R.I. 1983) (discussing removal may be appropriate when the court could expect "that future Trust transactions will be scrutinized by the beneficiaries" as a result of lengthy and antagonistic litigation). Additionally, conflict between the trustee and beneficiary may form a basis for removal when personal contact or collaboration is required for the administration of the trust. Blumenstiel v. Morris, 180 S.W.2d 107, 109 (Ark. 1944). "The purpose of removing a trustee is not to inflict a penalty for past action, but to preserve trust assets." Getty v. Getty, 205 Cal. App.3d 134, 140 (1988).

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9. Attorney's fees are not allowed to a prevailing party absent a contract, statute, or rule to the contrary. See Smith v. Crown Fin. Servs., 111 Nev. 277, 890 P.2d 769 (1995) (analyzing the American and English rules regarding attorney's fees and their intersection with Nevada Law). NRS 18.010(2)(b) provides that this Court may award attorney's fees when it finds a claim was brought or maintained without reasonable ground, or to harass the prevailing party. Pursuant to NRCP 68(a), "[a]t any time more than 21 days before trial, any party may serve an offer in writing to allow judgment to be taken in accordance with its terms and conditions." If an offer is not accepted within the prescribed time period, it will be considered rejected by the offeree. NRCP 68(e). If an offeree rejects an offer and fails to obtain a more favorable judgment, "the offeree must

- 10. "[T]he purpose of NRCP 68 is to encourage settlement . . . not to force plaintiffs unfairly to forego legitimate claims." <u>Beattie v. Thomas</u>, 99 Nev. 579, 588, 668 P.2d 268, 274 (1983). To determine whether an award of fees is appropriate, a court must consider and weigh the following factors: (1) whether the claim was brought in good faith; (2) whether the offer of judgment was reasonable and in good faith in both its timing and amount; (3) whether the decision to reject the offer and proceed to trial was grossly unreasonable or in bad faith; and (4) whether the fees sought by the offeror are reasonable and justified in amount. Beattie, 99 Nev. at 588–89, 668 P.2d at 274. No one Beattie factor is outcome determinative, and each should be given appropriate consideration. Yamaha Motor Co., USA v. Arnoult, 114 Nev. 233, 252 n.16, 955 P.2d 661, 673 n.16 (1998).
- 11. A proceeding concerning a trust "does not result in continuing supervisory proceedings, and the administration of the trust must proceed expeditiously in a manner consistent with the terms of the trust, without judicial intervention or the order, approval or other action of any court, unless the jurisdiction of the court is [properly] invoked . . . as provided by other law." NRS 164.015(7).

Equitable Issues

The following equitable issues and arguments are before this Court:

1. Approval of accountings

The trustees ask this Court to settle, allow, and approve the Issue and Family Trust accountings without further examination, to include approval of trustees' fees, attorneys'

⁶ When considering the fourth <u>Beattie</u> factor, the court must consider the <u>Brunzell</u> factors. <u>See Shuette v. Beazer Homes Holdings Corp.</u>, 121 Nev. 837, 864-65, 124 P.3d 530, 548-49 (2005). These factors include the following: "(1) the qualities of the advocate: his or her ability, training, education, experience, professional standing, and skill; (2) the character of the work to be done: its difficulty, intricacy, importance, time and skill required, the responsibility imposed and the prominence and character of the parties where they affect the importance of litigation; (3) the work actually performed by the lawyer: the skill, time, and attention given to the work; and (4) the result: whether the attorney was successful and what benefits were derived." <u>Brunzell v. Golden Gate Nat'l Bank</u>, 85 Nev. 345, 349, 455 P.2d 31, 33 (1969).

fees, and payment of other professional fees and administrative expenses.⁷ Wendy opposes and asks this Court to order the trustees to prepare statutory compliant accountings that disclose assets, values, transactions, and other acts of trust administration. Wendy further argues that if the amended accountings are untimely or noncompliant, this Court should find and remedy the trustees' breach of fiduciary duties.

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The timing and form of accountings are prescribed by statute. But an accounting is more than a formulaic compilation of data. An accounting is given to provide notice. Just as facts in controversy vary from case to case, an accounting must be adjusted as the trust estate requires. The trusts before this Court are complex because of the multiple layers of entity and fractional ownership. They are further complicated by fluid and often unknown values. This Court generally agrees with Wendy that the accountings fail to provide adequate notice because they reveal only a portion of Sam's complex affairs - they are mere pieces in a much larger puzzle and are ineffective when only reviewed in isolation.8 Instead, the accountings created confusion and engendered suspicion. The trustees attempted to answer Wendy's questions informally and made their professionals available to answer Wendy's questions. But the accountings should have included more explanatory details. The best example of how the accountings failed to provide actual and adequate notice occurred when Todd testified Wendy could expect to receive \$4 million from a variety of sources. While the trustees may have provided explanations through accountants and settlement offers, Wendy's beneficial expectancy is not apparent from the accountings or evidence of the trustees' pre-trial explanations.

However, this Court also notes that Wendy's complaints about the content and general timing of the accountings were presented to the jury in the legal phase of trial and are therefore facts common to the equitable claims. The jury presumably considered all evidence when deliberating its verdict. The verdict is an express or implicit rejection of

⁷ The relevant accountings are for the Issue and Family Trusts (April, 2013 through December, 2017) and Wendy's subtrust (2013 – 2016).

⁸ Wendy argues: "While in some circumstances, preparing and delivering accountings in the format provided by NRS 165.135 may fully satisfy a fiduciary's requirement to account and fully disclose, that is not and cannot be the case for these very complex trusts."

Wendy's complaints about the accountings. Accordingly, this Court will not provide equitable relief regarding the accountings, which were constructively approved and confirmed by the jury's verdict. In so doing, this Court does not countenance the trustees' arguments that all accountings and disclosures complied with Nevada law, to include NRS 165.135(4)(a), which allows for a statement prepared by a CPA containing summaries of the information required by NRS 165.135(1). This Court simply orders that all litigation regarding the accountings in existence at the time of the jury trial must end.⁹ The nature of the accountings influence this Court's decision regarding attorneys' fees and the nocontest provisions of the trust.

2. Validity of the Agreements and Consents to Proposed Actions (ACPAs) and Indemnification Agreements

Todd as trustee of the Issue Trust, and Todd and Michael Kimmel as co-trustees of the Family Trust, ask this Court to ratify and approve the ACPAs, thus relieving them of liability for actions reasonably taken in reliance upon them. They (and Todd individually) also ask this Court to affirm the indemnification agreements. Wendy opposes and asks this Court to invalidate the ACPAs and rescind any transactions accomplished through them. She also contests Stan and Todd's indemnification agreements and asks that any transactions accomplished through them be invalidated and set aside. Each party presents substantial arguments supporting their respective positions. This Court again returns to the scope and content of the jury trial and the facts common to legal and equitable claims. While the attorneys argued to the jury that this Court would decide the validity of the ACPAs and indemnification agreements, each of the challenged documents and related transactions were thoroughly presented and argued to the jury — including document preparation, execution, and other formation irregularities. Thus, at least, the jury verdict is an implicit rejection of Wendy's arguments.

Having considered all arguments, this Court concludes it will neither affirm nor

⁹ The trustees may wish to modify the form of future accountings to provide better notice and explanations to the beneficiaries. Otherwise, they risk objections this Court may be inclined to grant, including an award of attorney's fees.

reject the ACPAs and indemnification agreements. They cannot be segregated from the legal claims presented to the jury and now subsequently argued in support of equitable relief. The jury constructively approved and affirmed the ACPAs and indemnification agreements when it reached its verdict. The verdict prevents additional litigation and precludes liability exposure for actions taken in reliance upon these documents. All claims involving the disputed ACPAs and indemnification agreements shall end with the jury's verdict. Nonetheless, the ACPAs and indemnification agreements also influence this Court's decision regarding attorneys' fees and the no-contest provisions.

3. Violation of the no-contest provisions of the trusts

All trustees except Stan ask this Court to declare that Wendy violated the no-contest provisions of the trusts when she initiated and maintained this litigation. Wendy opposes and asks this Court to declare that Todd violated the no-contest provisions when he filed the initial petition and later moved to dismiss her litigation. The trustees' request deserves analysis, whereas Wendy's request is retaliatory and made with little legal basis or support from the trust instruments.

Wendy sought to enforce her rights, obtain instructions, and remedy a breach of fiduciary duties. The jury agreed that Todd breached his fiduciary duties. Further, based upon the information she possessed, she had probable cause to seek invalidation of transfers and other acts of trust administration. This Court must distinguish between the *existence* of probable cause for initiating and maintaining this action with the manner in which the probable cause was *litigated*. As noted elsewhere, Wendy and Stan had probable cause to seek answers to questions raised by the accountings and other events of trust administration. Thus, while Wendy's litigation zeal and overreaching jury demand may implicate Sam's intention to disincentivize litigation, Wendy's legal actions were authorized and do not create a bar to her beneficial rights.

4. Unjust enrichment and constructive trust

Wendy asks this Court to impress a constructive trust to cure unjust enrichment caused by fraud, breach of fiduciary duty, and self-dealing. Todd, Stan, and the trustees

make several arguments in opposition to Wendy's request. This Court disagrees with Wendy's position. Wendy's allegations of misconduct, document impropriety, and self-dealing underlying her request for equitable relief are inseparable from the legal claims she presented to the jury. Wendy has been awarded damages for Todd's breach of fiduciary duties. Any other equitable relief would constitute double recovery and alter the jury's verdict in violation of the Seventh Amendment and its interpretative decisions.

Removal of trustees
 Disgorgement of trustee fees
 Use of trust funds to initiate petition and defend against Wendy's counterpetition
 Award of attorneys' fees

Wendy relies upon her same arguments when asking this Court to remove the trustees, order the trustees to disgorge trustee fees, and deny the use of trust funds to present their petitions and defend against her counterpetition. The parties present substantial authorities and arguments (and other moving papers) relating to attorneys' fees.

There is no basis to consider the removal of any trustee except Todd. The two bases to remove Todd are 1) the jury's verdict that Todd breached his fiduciary duties, and 2) this Court's observation that Todd's neutrality is conflicted by his own interests and animus towards Wendy. This Court concludes removal would be unjust and incommensurate for several reasons: 1) Todd is Sam's designated and preferred trustee, 2) other trustees will diffuse Todd's conflicts and reduce the personal contact between Todd and Wendy, 3) the remedy against Todd's breaches and conflicts are made through other orders regarding attorneys' fees, disgorgement of trustee's fees, and inapplicability of the no-contest provisions, 4) Todd's own affairs are inseparable from trust administration and his removal as trustee will not sever him from trust business; he will remain involved in Jaksick family affairs through his ongoing management and ownership of several other related entities, 5) the expenses of removing Todd and educating a successor trustee would be expensive and inefficient, and 6) Wendy's suggestion that a commercial trustee serve as successor trustee for all trustees is neither warranted nor workable.

However, based upon the jury's verdict that Todd breached his fiduciary duties

 (and secondarily, this Court's findings about the timing and content of the accountings), this Court grants Wendy's request that Todd disgorge or disclaim all trustee's fees from the inception of his trusteeship through the date when final judgment is entered. The amount disgorged or otherwise forfeited may serve as an offset against the 25% of trustees' attorneys' fees Todd is ordered to pay, as set forth below. This Court confirms trustee fees to all other trustees.

There are several requests regarding attorney's fees as a trust expense. This Court's discretionary resolution of the fees requests is bound by all facts of record and influenced by the entirety of the pre-trial, legal, and equitable proceedings (including the settlement agreement between Todd and Stan) and uncertainties created by notarial malfeasance.

This Court first orders that Stan Jaksick and Michael Kimmel's attorneys' fees be chargeable to the trust and paid from trust corpus. This Court's decision regarding Wendy and Todd's fees (both as trustee and individually) are more complicated. There are competing facts and legal principles, which this Court analyzes in the aggregate and not in isolation. In particular, the NRCP 68 request cannot be considered narrowly, but instead, must be viewed by a totality of the case proceedings and statutory authorities governing trustees. There are several options before this Court:

- Order the trust to pay all, some, or none of Wendy's fees because she successfully obtained a verdict that Todd breached his fiduciary duties as trustee.
- Order the trust to pay all, some, or none of the fees Todd incurred as trustee because, even though he breached his fiduciary duties, he qualitatively and quantitively prevailed against other claims asserted by Wendy.
- Order Wendy to pay fees Todd incurred because she brought or maintained her action without reasonable grounds or to harass.
- Order Wendy to pay fees Todd incurred as trustee of the Issue Trust because she rejected his \$25,000 offer of judgment.
- Order Wendy to pay fees Todd incurred individually because

Discretionarily decline to order Wendy to pay fees pursuant to the offers of judgment.

On August 29, 2018, Todd offered Wendy to have judgment entered against him individually in the amount of \$25,000. He also offered Wendy to have judgment entered against him as trustee of the Issue Trust in the amount of \$25,000. The jury did not make any adverse findings against Todd individually, but it concluded Todd breached his fiduciary duties as trustee and awarded \$15,000 to Wendy. With adjustments for interest, the amount Wendy will receive is almost indistinguishable from the \$25,000 Todd offered as trustee. To the extent there is a *de minimis* distinction, the difference is not enough in a dispute that incurred several million dollars of fees and involved tens of millions in controversy.

An offer of judgment must be an authentic attempt to settle a dispute. The offer of judgment benefit is not automatically conferred. Instead, this Court must carefully analyze the offer and discretionarily apply it to the unique facts of each case. This Court and counsel are familiar with the American Rule of attorneys' fees and discretionary application of NRCP 68. This Court's discretion exists to encourage parties to convey legitimate offers to resolve their disputes. Of course, judicial discretion is controversial to those who are aggrieved, and it is unpredictable to all.

On one side, offers that are appropriate in time and amount will cause the non-offering party to become realistic and engage in genuine risk/benefit analyses. These offers shift a calculated risk as trial approaches. To be an effective mechanism to resolve disputes before trial, they should be in an amount the non-offering party cannot decline in good faith. Defendants who perceive no liability exposure chafe against making time- and amount-appropriate offers because they resent the payment of any money to a party they perceive will not prevail at trial. On the other side, offering parties sometimes make time-and amount-inappropriate offers they expect to be rejected. These offers do not facilitate settlement--they are strategic devices to shift the risk of fees by offering illusory

consideration to end litigation.

 This Court's discretion is guided by the unique facts and procedural history of this case. This Court analyzes the <u>Beattie</u> factors as follows:

Whether Wendy's claims were brought in good faith? Wendy believed in good faith that she suffered damages from Todd's individual and fiduciary misconduct. She trusted the court system and exercised her constitutional right to jury trial. This Court concludes that Wendy's claims against Todd as trustee of the Issue Trust were brought in good faith. Wendy's concerns are countenanced, in large part, by the questions raised by the accountings, Stan's separate allegations against Todd, document anomalies, and the optics of Todd's disproportionate benefit from Sam's business and trust affairs. The good-faith nature of Wendy's claims against Todd individually are more difficult to discern. In the final analysis, Wendy had some cause to initiate the claims against Todd individually, but as discovery progressed, Wendy's cause to pursue Todd individually diminished. This factor weighs slightly in Wendy's favor regarding the Issue Trust offer of judgment and is neutral regarding Todd's individual offer of judgment.¹⁰

Whether Todd's offers were reasonable and in good faith in both timing and amount? This Court has wrestled with the question of whether the offers of judgment were brought in good faith in both timing and amount. These offers of judgment were made six months after Wendy filed her amended counter-petition, when discovery was still in its infancy. This Court concludes the amounts offered were neither good faith/reasonable nor strategic bad faith/unreasonable. They fall within the continuum between those two categories. Todd knew, or should have known, the fees incurred through continuing litigation alone would substantially overshadow the offered amounts. Todd knew, or should have known, that Wendy would never accept \$25,000 to resolve her claims against him as trustee of the Issue Trust.

However, Todd also had cause to believe he would prevail at trial, a fact now

¹⁰ Because this Court finds Wendy brought her claims in good faith, this Court concludes fees under NRS 18,010(2)(b) are not warranted.

proven with respect to the claims against him individually. Todd's subjective belief about the strength of his position is legally relevant. "[W]here the offeror has a reasonable basis to believe that exposure to liability is minimal, a nominal offer is appropriate." Arrowood Indem. Co. v. Acosta, Inc., 58 So. 3d 286, 289 (Fla. Dist. Ct. App. 2011) (discussing the good faith prong of an offer of judgment from a Florida statute analogous to NRCP 68). At the time Todd made his individual offer, Wendy had been unable to present coherent facts underlying her claims against him personally. He therefore had reason to believe Wendy's claims against him individually were weak or lacked merit. See Beach, 958 F. Supp. at 1171 (holding defendant's offer was reasonable even though plaintiff's alleged damages exceeded the offer's amount "given the weaknesses defendant perceived in plaintiff's case."); see also Scott-Hop v. Bassek, Nos. 60501, 61943, 2014 WL 859181 at *6 (Feb. 28, 2014) (holding reasonable an offer of \$25,000 even though plaintiff's alleged medical expenses were over \$150,000 because of the uncertainty of plaintiff's case and defendant's summary judgment motion); Max Bear Productions, Ltd. v. Riverwood Partners, LLC, No. 3:09-CV-00512-RCJ-RAM, 2012 WL 5944767 (D. Nev. Nov. 26, 2012) ("The token \$1,000 offer may appear to have been made simply for the procedural purpose of preserving rights to fees . . . should Defendant win a judgment. However, the weaknesses of Plaintiff's case made this token offer reasonable."); Arrowood, 58 So. 3d at 289-90 (holding a court is required to consider an offeror's subjective belief that an offer is reasonable and not just objective factors).

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This Court concludes the second factor to consider is neutral regarding the Issue Trust and does not inure to any party's favor or disfavor. Todd hoped he would prevail at trial, but given the financial and documentary complexity, discovery delays and disputes (including Todd's continued depositions long after the offers of judgment were made), the untimely accountings, incomplete discovery, and the amounts in controversy, the offer does not appear to be made with the good-faith intention of settling Wendy's claims. In contrast, Todd's offer to settle Wendy's claims against him individually for the payment of \$25,000 appears more reflective of the circumstances and was made with a good-faith

intention to settle the claims. Thus, this factor favors Todd individually.

Whether Wendy's decision to reject the offer and proceed to trial was grossly unreasonable or in bad faith? Wendy's decision to reject Todd's offer as trustee of the Issue Trust was not grossly unreasonable or in bad faith. The offer arrived early in discovery. Wendy had incurred substantially more in fees than the offered amount and she was entitled to examine her legal position after discovery was received. In contrast, her decision to reject Todd's individual offer is less reasonable, yet this Court cannot conclude her rejection was grossly unreasonable or made in bad faith. Her decision was simply unwise in retrospect and she cannot now be relieved of its consequences. This third factor weighs in favor of Wendy regarding the Issue Trust and is neutral regarding Todd's personal liability.

Whether the fees sought are reasonable and justified in amount? Todd's individual and trustee attorneys are experienced in law and trial. They have exemplary records of service in our legal community and they obtained a positive outcome for their clients. After considering each of the Brunzell factors, this Court finds the fees sought by Todd individually from the date of the offer are reasonable in light of his experienced and effective attorneys, duration and scope of litigation, and the result obtained. However, the aggregate fees this Court expects Todd to seek as trustee of the Issue Trust are not justified when the offered \$25,000 is compared to the jury verdict. Shifting substantial attorneys' fees to Wendy is unjustified in this instance. Regarding Todd's individual fees, the amounts are reasonable and justified when charged against Wendy. This factor is neutral with respect to the Issue Trustee offer and favors Todd with respect to his individual offer of judgment.

For these reasons, this Court orders as follows:

a. The trusts shall pay 100% of the fees incurred by their attorneys in representation of the trustees. However, Todd shall reimburse the trusts from his personal resources for 25% of the amount paid because the jury determined he breached his fiduciary duties. Provided, however, Todd is entitled to reduce this 25% personal obligation by

the amount of trustee's fees he is ordered to disgorge.

- b. Wendy is *not* required to pay fees Todd incurred as trustee because she rejected the \$25,000 offer of judgment.
- c. Wendy *shall* pay 100% of fees Todd incurred individually from the date the offer of judgment was made. Provided, however, Todd shall be Wendy's judgment creditor and have no greater access to payment than any other judgment creditor. Todd may attach or anticipate Wendy's distributive share only if there are no spendthrift provisions within the trust instruments that prohibit such creditor collection efforts. If such spendthrift provisions exist, distributions shall be made to Wendy and Todd may seek collection efforts against Wendy personally, subsequent to the distribution. The trustees (including Todd) shall carefully measure Todd's rights as an individual judgment creditor with their fiduciary duties owed to Wendy as a beneficiary.
- d. The Trusts shall pay a combined attorneys' fee of \$300,000 to Wendy's attorneys for prevailing in the claim against Todd for breach of fiduciary duties. This payment shall be made directly to Wendy's attorneys without Wendy's signatory participation as a client or trust beneficiary.
- e. All fees ordered shall be treated as general trust administration expenses and not allocated to any beneficiary's distributive share.
- f. Todd is not required to indemnify the trust for the \$300,000 payable to Wendy's attorneys because he is already ordered to pay 25% of the aggregate fees incurred in representation of the trustees.
- g. The request for oral arguments is denied.

Other Issues

1. Second supplement to first amended counterpetition

On May 9, 2019 (after the legal phase of trial but before the equitable trial), Wendy filed a Second Supplement to her First Amended Counterpetition in which she continued her theme about untimely accountings. Wendy asks this Court to consider the new fact allegation the Family Trust co-trustees failed to prepare and deliver accountings for the Family Trust and Wendy Subtrust for the period from January 1, 2018, to December 31, 2018. She requests the production and delivery of these accountings and asks that the trustees be sanctioned. The trustees (including Todd and Stan individually) moved to strike Wendy's supplement because it was filed after the August 2, 2018, deadline to file motions to amend pleadings and violated NRCP 15(d).¹¹ The 2018 accountings were provided to Wendy in early July, 2019, thus rendering Wendy's request to compel moot.

It appears the accountings were untimely and this Court agrees Wendy could not have filed the supplement until after the deadline for providing the 2018 accountings had passed. However, the 2018 accountings are not part of the underlying litigation. This Court declines Wendy's invitation to enlarge this litigation to satisfy judicial economy. This litigation is bounded by the pleadings and cannot remain an open receptacle to receive real-time allegations of inappropriate trust administration. The supplement is stricken as beyond the scope of claims before this Court. Wendy may file a separate action challenging the timing and content of the 2018 accountings if she is so inclined. This Court neither encourages nor discourages such litigation.

2. The Lake Tahoe property

 Though not placed within a certain claim for relief within her pleadings, Wendy asks this Court to rescind all transactions involving the Lake Tahoe home and restore title to the SSJ LLC, which was 100% owned by the Family Trust. Wendy continues to overwhelm this Court with repetitive and lengthy arguments about the option agreements, forgery, fraud, fiduciary duties, unjust enrichment, trustor intentions, consideration, etc. All of Wendy's arguments were presented to the jury and rejected in

¹¹ Stan filed an additional Motion to Dismiss or Motion to Strike, arguing Wendy's supplement alleged a new claim for breach of fiduciary duty that has not been discovered. Todd joined in Stan's motion.

the jury's verdict. This Court will not enter any order granting relief to Wendy regarding the Lake Tahoe home.

3. Future distributions

On July 23, 2019, Wendy filed an Emergency Motion to Compel Distribution from the Family Trust. She alleged she was being evicted from her home in Texas and needed money to relocate to either Arizona or Reno. Wendy asked this Court to order the trustees of the Family Trust to distribute \$6,000 for a deposit on a new apartment and \$5,000 per month for living expenses. Wendy further asks this Court to advise the trustees regarding the schedule of other distributions for living expenses. Wendy's motion is denied. This Court will not supervise trust administration on an ongoing basis. It will not provide advisory guidance or otherwise order the trustees regarding administration and distributions. Instead, it will adjudicate disputes through normal judicial processes. Wendy may initiate separate litigation if she is so inclined.

4. Costs.

Todd Jaksick as an individual, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, are the prevailing parties entitled to statutory and reasonable costs. All other parties may file cost memoranda as authorized by law.

Conclusions

- 1. This Court does not confirm the accountings. However, the substance of the accountings were presented to the jury and fall within the jury's verdict. Thus, this Court will not allow additional litigation as to any accounting that formed the basis for Wendy's legal claims. All future accountings shall be timely and formulated to provide the beneficiaries with adequate notice of values, transactions, and other acts of trust administration. The trustees are authorized to pay, at Wendy's request, a portion of Wendy's distributive shares to Wendy's designated financial professional who will assist her to understand the accountings and interact with the trustees.
- 2. This Court does not confirm the ACPAs or indemnification agreements.

 However, the substance of the ACPAs and indemnification agreements were presented to

the jury and fall within the jury's verdict. This Court will not allow additional litigation as to any of the ACPAs and indemnification agreements that formed the basis for Wendy's legal claims.

- 3. The trustees' request to impose no-contest penalties against Wendy is denied.
 - 4. Wendy's claims for unjust enrichment and constructive trust are denied.
- 5. Todd is confirmed as trustee of Issue Trust and co-trustee of Family Trust. All other trustees are also confirmed.
- 6. Todd shall disgorge all trustee fees he received or otherwise earned, subject to the fees award provisions.
- 7. This Court anticipates the parties will seek clarification and other relief through additional motion work. The attorneys' fees provisions in this order reflect the entirety of this Court's intentions regarding fees. This order also reflects the entirety of this Court's intentions regarding all other pending matters.
- 8. Todd and the trustees may submit a proposed judgment consistent with the jury's verdict and this order on equitable claims.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 12, 2020.

David A. Hardy
District Court Judge

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1 We, the jury, duly impaneled in the above-entitled action, 2 find that Petitioner, Wendy Jaksick, has proven her aiding and 3 abetting breach of fiduciary duty claim, by a preponderance of 4 evidence, against: 5 (Please circle only one for each line item) 6 KEVIN RILEY (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust) YES 7 YES KEVIN RILEY (individually) 8 YES KEVIN RILEY (as Trustee of BHC Trust) 9 STAN JAKSICK (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust) YES 10 TODD JAKSICK (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust) YES YES 11 TODD JAKSICK (individually) NO TODD JAKSICK (as Trustee of Issue Trust) YES 12 MICHAEL KIMMEL (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust) YES 13 YES MICHAEL KIMMEL (individually) 14 We, the jury, duly impaneled in the above-entitled action, 15 find that Petitioner, Wendy Jaksick, has proven her fraud claim 16 by clear and convincing evidence, against: 17 (Please circle only one for each line item) 18 TODD JAKSICK (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust) YES 19 YES TODD JAKSICK (individually) 20 YES TODD JAKSICK (as Trustee of Issue Trust) 21 22 (If you circled "yes" to ANY of the above claim(s) correlating 23 to ANY respondent then proceed to and answer Questions 1 AND 2. 24 If you answered "no" to ${\color{red} {\bf ALL}}$ of the above then skip Questions 1 25 AND 2 and sign and date verdict form.) 26 / / / 27 / / / 28 111

1. We, the jury, duly impaneled in the above-entitled					
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2. Has Wendy Jaksick established by clear and convincing evidence that any of the Respondents acted with fraud, oppression, or malice?

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KEVIN RILEY	YES	(NO)
STAN JAKSICK	YES	NO
TODD JAKSICK	YES	NO
MICHAEL KIMMEL	YES	NO

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NOTICE OF ENTRY OF JUDGMENT PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on April 1, 2020, the above-entitled Court entered its Judgment on Jury Verdict and Court Order on Equitable Claims. A true and correct copy of the Judgment is attached hereto. **Affirmation** The undersigned does hereby affirm that pursuant to NRS 239B.030, the preceding document does not contain the social security number of any person. DATED: April 1, 2020 McDONALD CARANO Adam Hosmer-Henner Adam Hosmer-Henner, Esq. (NSBN 12779) 100 West. Liberty Street, 10th Floor Reno, Nevada 89501 Attorneys for Stanley Jaksick, Co-Trustee of the Family Trust

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I hereby certify that I am an employee of McDONALD CARANO and that on April 1, 2020, I served the foregoing on the parties in said case by electronically filing via the Court's e-filing system. The participants in this case are registered e-filing users and notice of filing will be served on all parties by operation of the Court's CM/ECF system, and parties may access this filing through the Court's CM/ECF system.

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Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Kevin Riley, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the BHC Trust and against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick on all claims and defenses. The jury found in favor of Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust on her breach of fiduciary duty claim and assessed damages in the total amount of \$15,000. The jury found in favor of Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, on all of Wendy Jaksick's other claims tried to the jury. The Jury Verdict is attached hereto and made a part hereof.

Accordingly, judgment is entered as follows:

- 1. In favor of Todd Jaksick, individually, Stanley Jaksick, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Kevin Riley, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the BHC Trust against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick on all of the claims and defenses tried to the jury. As required by NRS 18.110, these prevailing parties shall file their Memoranda of Costs within five days from notice of entry of this Judgment on Jury Verdict.
- 2. In favor of Wendy Jaksick against Todd Jaksick as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust on Wendy Jaksick's breach of fiduciary duty claims. The Jury's Verdict in favor of Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick in the amount of \$15,000 is *de minimis* in light of her request for damages of \$80,000,000 and in light of her failure to prevail on fraud, conspiracy and aiding and abetting. She is, therefore, not a prevailing party and not entitled to recover costs under NRS 18.050 and NRS 18.110. Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick failed to obtain a judgment in excess of the Offers of Judgment served by Todd Jaksick, as an individual, and is therefore not entitled to recover costs pursuant to NRCP 68. Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick's judgment against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, is for the total amount

of \$15,000, together with prejudgment interest from the date of her Counter-Petition (January 19, 2018) to the date of the Offer of Judgment (August 29, 2018) served by Todd Jaksick, in his individual capacity, in the amount of \$605.34, for a total judgment of \$15,605.34. This judgment shall accrue interest at judgment rate until paid in full.

- 3. All claims asserted by Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick in her Counter-Petition and Amended Counter-Petition and tried to the jury are dismissed with prejudice.
- 4. In favor of Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, Ltd. against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick. The Court dismissed Counter-Petitioner's claims against these entities and pursuant to NRS 18.110, these entities shall file their Memoranda of Costs within five days of notice of entry of this judgment.

B. JUDGMENT ON EQUITABLE CLAIMS

On May 13, 2019, the Court began a bench trial to resolve Wendy Jaksick's equitable claims. The parties stipulated to submit written closing trial briefs and replies. Having considered all briefs, evidence admitted during the jury trial and evidence submitted in support of the parties' positions on the equitable claims, the Court entered its *Order After Equitable Trial* on March 12, 2020. The Order is attached hereto, made a part hereof, and is incorporated herein. The terms, provisions, findings and conclusions set forth in its *Order After Equitable Trial* are incorporated herein as the Court's Findings of Fact and Conclusions of Law pursuant to Rule 52(a) of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure.

Judgment is hereby entered as follows:

1. Against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick on all of her equitable claims and is entered in favor of Todd Jaksick, as an individual, Stanley Jaksick, as an individual and Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, as an individual and Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Kevin Riley, individually, Kevin Riley, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Kevin Riley, as Trustee of the BHC Trust, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, Ltd. These prevailing parties shall file their Memoranda of Costs pursuant to NRS 18.110 within five days of the notice of entry of this judgment.

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- 2. In favor of Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick's counsel of record in the amount of \$300,000 to be paid by the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and the SSJ's Issue Trust.
- 3. In favor of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and SSJ's Issue Trust against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust in an amount equal to 25% of the attorneys' fees paid by the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and SSJ's Issue Trust for legal services rendered on behalf of the Co-Trustees of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee for the SSJ's Issue Trust. Todd Jaksick's obligation to satisfy this judgment requires payment of the amount determined from his personal funds. Counsel for the Trustees and Trustee shall submit verified Memoranda of Fees paid within twenty-one days of notice of entry of this judgment.
- 4. On March 13, 2019, Todd Jaksick, in his individual capacity, filed a Motion for Order Awarding Costs and Attorneys' Fees for Todd Jaksick, individually, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC and Incline TSS, Ltd. For the reasons stated in the Court's March 12, 2020 Order After Equitable Trial, Todd Jaksick's Motion for Order Awarding Costs and Attorneys' Fees was granted, subject to section (c) on page 22 of the Court's Order After Equitable Trial. Accordingly, judgment is hereby entered in favor of Todd Jaksick, individually, against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick in the amount of \$436,331 for attorneys' fees and \$68,834.07 in costs, for a total judgment in favor of Todd Jaksick against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick of \$505,165.07, which amount shall accrue interest from the date hereof at the legal rate.
- In favor of the SSJ's Issue Trust and Incline TSS, Ltd., confirming title to the Lake 5. Tahoe house is to remain in the name of Incline TSS, Ltd., and against Wendy Jaksick regarding claims to disrupt or change the title to the Lake Tahoe home.
- In favor of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust against Counter-Petitioner 6. Wendy Jaksick denying her July 23, 2019 Emergency Motion to Compel Distribution from the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust.
- In favor of Counter-Respondents, consistent with the Jury's Verdict on the ACPAs 7. and Indemnification Agreements.

- 8. Against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick and in favor of Todd Jaksick, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Stanley Jaksick, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust, Michael Kimmel, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Kevin Riley, individually and as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the BHC Trust, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, Ltd., on Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick's claims on unjust enrichment and constructive trust.
- 9. In favor of Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, and against Counter-Petitioner Wendy Jaksick confirming Todd Jaksick, as Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust and Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust. Michael Kimmel and Stanley Jaksick are also confirmed as Co-Trustees of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust.
- 10. In favor of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and the SSJ's Issue Trust against Todd Jaksick, as Co-Trustee of the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr., Family Trust and Trustee of the SSJ's Issue Trust, for all Trustee's fees paid to Todd Jaksick. Todd Jaksick is hereby required to disgorge all Trustee's fees paid to him, and payment thereof will constitute a setoff against any amounts he must pay as and for 25% of the attorneys' fees paid to the Trustees' counsel of record.
- 11. Declaring and decreeing that all fees ordered against Wendy Jaksick shall be treated as a general trust administration expense and are not allocated to any beneficiaries' distributive share. Todd Jaksick may attach or anticipate Wendy's distributive share only if there are no spendthrift provisions within the trust instruments that prohibit such creditor collection efforts. If such spendthrift provisions exist, distributions shall be made to Wendy, and Todd may seek collection efforts against Wendy personally, subsequent to the distribution.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, DECREED AND ADJUDGED that the foregoing, upon entry and filing in this matter, is an enforceable final judgment and all findings and conclusions of the Court's March 12, 2020 *Order After Equitable Trial* are expressly incorporated herein. This judgment resolves all claims against all parties, and pursuant to Rule 54(b) of the Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure is a final judgment.

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

Case No. PR17-00445

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ORDER AFTER EQUITABLE TRIAL

On August 2, 2017, the trustees of the SSJ's Issue Trust ("Issue Trust") and the Samuel S. Jaksick, Jr. Family Trust ("Family Trust") filed Petitions for Confirmation of Trustee and Admission of Trust to the Jurisdiction of the Court, and for Approval of Accountings and Other Trust Administration Matters.¹ October 10, 2017, Wendy Jaksick filed an Opposition and Objection to the Petition. On January 19, 2018, Wendy filed a Counterpetition to Surcharge Trustees for Breach of Fiduciary Duties, for Removal of Trustees and Appointment of Independent Trustee(s), and for Declaratory Judgment and Other Relief, which was subsequently amended on February 23, 2018. Family Trust cotrustee Stan Jaksick filed an Objection to Approval of Accountings and Other Trust Administration Matters on October 10, 2017. Todd Jaksick, as trustee of the Issue Trust

¹ Family Trust co-trustee Stan Jaksick did not join in the petitions.

and co-trustee of the Family Trust, and Michael Kimmel as co-trustee of the Family Trust, are represented by Donald Lattin and Carolyn Renner. Todd is represented in his individual capacity by Kent Robison. Mr. Robison also represents Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, Incline TSS, Ltd., and Sammy Supercub, LLC. Stanley Jaksick, as co-trustee of the Family Trust, is represented by Adam Hosmer-Henner and Philip Kreitlein. Wendy is represented by Mark Connot and Kevin Spencer.

- 1. This Court presided over a jury trial on legal claims between February 14, 2019, and March 4, 2019. The jury concluded Todd breached his fiduciary duty as trustee and awarded damages of \$15,000. The jury found no other trustee breached any fiduciary duty. In addition, the jury found Wendy had not proven her claims for 1) civil conspiracy and aiding and abetting, 2) aiding and abetting breach of fiduciary duty, or 3) fraud against any counter-respondent whether individually or as trustee. The jury did not find any counter-respondent acted with fraud, oppression, or malice.
- 2. On May 13, 2019, this Court began a bench trial to resolve the remaining equitable claims. By stipulation, the parties submitted written closing trial statements and replies. This Court authorized supplemental briefing on a narrow issue related to Exhibit 561. This Court has considered all briefs and evidence admitted during the equitable trial (including many exhibits previously admitted at jury trial).² This Court is aware that disagreements continue and Wendy alleges ongoing breaches of fiduciary duties, as illustrated by the moving papers relating to post-trial costs, the 2018 annual accountings, and distribution guidance. It now finds and orders as follows:

General Findings

1. As a factfinder, this Court is authorized to consider its everyday common sense and judgment, and determine what inferences may be properly drawn from direct and circumstantial evidence. See Lewis v. Sea Ray Boats, Inc., 119 Nev. 100, 105, 65 P.3d

² On May 13, 2019, the parties stipulated into evidence many exhibits previously admitted during the jury trial. Wendy also offered new evidence during the equitable phase of trial. A list of all documentary evidence admitted on equitable issues is contained in this Court's Order Addressing Evidence at Equitable Trial, dated May 20, 2019. This Court has not considered unadmitted documentary evidence. However, this Court has considered deposition testimony properly part of the trial record pursuant to NRCP 32.

245, 248 (2003); Nev. 1GI.5 (2011); Nev. 2EV.3 (2011); Nev. J.I. 1.05 (1986).

- 2. The facts presented in support of the equitable claims inextricably overlap with the legal claims presented to the jury. Despite how the claims are pled, Wendy is attempting to retry her case to obtain a second review of similar facts and an outcome different from the jury verdict.³ This Court may or may not have reached the same decision as the jury. Regardless, it has no authority to dilute or otherwise modify the jury's verdict.
- 3. The file materials compose more than 17,000 pages. There were more than 300 separate pleadings, motions, oppositions, replies, joinders, and other substantive papers filed in this proceeding. The parties produced tens of thousands of documents before trial and marked 677 exhibits for the two trials, of which 227 were admitted. The substantive papers (with exhibits and transcripts) filed since the jury's verdict compose more than 4,000 pages. This Court has read and re-read the pending moving papers, to include exhibits and transcripts. It has analyzed every argument presented and carefully studied the cited authorities. It cannot synthesize the competing moving papers, exhibits, and arguments into a single coherent order. It cannot resolve the arguments in minutia. Therefore, this Court elects to make general findings, which are substantially supported by the evidence of record.
- 4. This Court regrets some of its more direct findings, which it must disclose to support its discretionary resolution of equitable claims.
- 5. Sam Jaksick created substantial wealth during his life but his leveraged estate was compromised by the "great recession" during the last season of his life. Sam's estate is exceedingly complex because he used tens of different corporate entities as holding companies for his wealth. Sam also partnered with non-family business entities.
 - 6. Sam had three children: Stan, Wendy, and Todd. Sam loved each of his

³ On January 3, 2018, Wendy demanded a jury trial on all legal claims. Wendy demanded a jury—at least in part—because she likely suspected a judge's comprehensive, studious examination of all evidence would not result in the \$80 million compensatory damages and additional punitive damages she asked the jury to award. This Court honors Wendy's unfettered constitutional right to a jury trial but it will not re-visit the identical facts to arrive at a different outcome for Wendy.

children, despite their different strengths, weaknesses, and personalities. Wendy did not transition well into adulthood and Sam was aware of her inability to provide for herself. Wendy does not understand financial complexities. Sam was more confident in Stan and Todd as he worked with them during his life and designated them to continue participating in his estate and business affairs after his death. Stan's trial participation was not lengthy but he appears to enjoy some financial fluency and business sophistication. Stan also presented as a credible witness and thoughtful sibling. While Todd is most familiar with Sam's business and trust affairs, he is only marginally sophisticated as a trustee. He regularly deferred to the knowledge and expertise of others. Todd also presented as conflicted by his own interests, influenced by his animus towards Wendy, and confused about his duties as a neutral trustee.

- 7. Sam's estate plan evolved over the years, and its last iteration was influenced by debt, tax avoidance, asset protection, and planning around Stan's divorce. Both Sam and Todd were exposed to personal liabilities on substantial debts Sam had incurred. Some of the estate documents were created in haste because of Sam's heart illness and surgery in December, 2012. (Sam survived his heart illness and tragically died in a water accident in 2013). Some of the 2012-13 estate planning documents are disorganized, internally inconsistent, and complicated by notarial mischief or neglect. This Court was particularly troubled by the notary's abdication of statutory responsibilities, which was an influencing fact in the litigation Wendy pursued. Notaries are given great authority and their actions induce reliance. The notary at issue fell below the statutory standards. This finding alone warrants a substantial financial consequence upon the trust, which this Court includes in its analysis of the no-contest penalty and attorneys' fees requests.
- 8. Todd's participation in Sam's estate beginning in 2012 can be viewed through two opposing lenses: he was either a disconnected participant who yielded to his

⁴ This Court understands jury instruction no. 11, which does not alter the fact that Todd struggled under the shadow of his father's business acumen. The dynamic of Todd relying on professionals regarding the accountings, while the professionals provided accountings with disclaimers and hyphens, created uncertainty (or at least the appearance of uncertainty) about transactions, values, and who was ultimately responsible for acts and accountings of trust administration.

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27 28 father's wishes, or he was a subtly strategic participant who enriched himself to the detriment of his siblings. These opposing possibilities are relevant only to understand how this dispute became so bitter. This Court is inclined to find Todd was the former rather than the latter, but regardless, Stan and Wendy had cause to seek answers to questions created by document anomalies, inadequate disclosures, and transactions inuring to Todd's benefit.

- This action began when Stan, Wendy, and Todd were opposed to each other. The dispute was exacerbated by inadequate information and self-interested perspectives. Some of the more personal allegations among siblings reveal a family influenced by misperceptions and individual interests. Wendy was particularly personal in her allegations, the worst of which were harassing, vexatious, and without factual basis. There were at least seven lawyers zealously advocating for their clients, which further entrenched the siblings against each other. The children chose litigation over compromise to work through the complexities of Sam's estate and their disparate financial circumstances. With more effortful disclosures, neutral access to information, and a little sibling patience, they might have worked through the messiness of Sam's estate to reach a non-litigation resolution. Instead, the children sued each other, with Todd and Stan settling their dispute just days before the jury trial began. Despite the settlement, this Court is aware of the allegations Stan made against Todd in his deposition and trial testimony. The settlement does not extinguish Stan's pleading allegations and testimony - it merely reflects Todd and Stan's strategic and well-advised decision to compromise their claims before trial. The settlement worked to Wendy's trial detriment, yet she chose trial over settlement and must now accept the consequences of her choice. Stan's allegations and testimony are relevant to contextualize the legal and equitable claims, particularly the request to impose a no-contest penalty and for attorneys' fees under NRS Chapter 18 and NRCP 68.
- 10. Todd and Stan contend they made every effort to avoid litigation but could not persuade Wendy or her attorneys to choose compromise over conflict. This is mostly

- 11. Throughout trial this Court reflected upon how Sam would respond if he observed his children spending millions of dollars litigating his estate. The parties repeatedly invited this Court to consider Sam's testamentary intentions. Responding to that invitation, this Court has wondered how Sam would react to see his estate disproportionally allocated among his children. There is no way to know how or if Sam would have enlarged Wendy's beneficial interests if he survived the economic recovery. Sam loved Wendy despite her issues, and this Court suspects Sam would have continued his pattern of lifetime largesse in favor of his troubled daughter. But suspicion and speculation are beyond this Court's authority. Death arrives at its own inconvenient time and none can alter its consequences. Wendy is simply without her paternal benefactor and is susceptible to the trustees' actions as governed by documents and transactions Sam approved during his life.
- 12. The trustees' initial petitions were predicated upon accountings that provided inadequate information. The accountings were untimely, and even if technically compliant with the statutes, they failed to provide full and fair notice to Wendy as a beneficiary. This Court acknowledges the trustees attempted to answer Wendy's questions by making their CPA and lawyers available to Wendy, but there is only marginal evidence in the record the trustees invested their own personal efforts to satisfy Wendy's concerns. At some point the trustees' responses became form over function. Todd particularly grew weary of Wendy, which affected his neutral trusteeship, as illustrated by his hope to satisfy Wendy's beneficial interests at a discount that inured to his benefit. In response, Wendy initiated scorched-earth litigation grounded in entitlement and limited self-awareness. This Court cannot now alter the consequences of

the trust administration and litigation choices that precede this order.

- 13. Wendy's legal and equitable claims are grounded in the same common facts and are exceedingly difficult to segregate. As this Court reviewed the hundreds of pages of written arguments relating to the equitable claims, it was taken back to the evidence and arguments presented to the jury. Through the misty fog of painfully voluminous allegations and varied claims, the core of Wendy's complaint is that Todd breached his fiduciary duties by self-dealing and failing to disclose information relevant to Wendy as a beneficiary. No matter how Wendy frames or argues her equitable claims, she asks this Court to remedy the identical facts and transactions she placed before the jury. This Court must look to the substance of the claims, not just the labels used in the pleading document. Nev. Power Co. v. District Court, 120 Nev. 948, 960, 102 P.3d 578, 586 (2004).
- 14. The complexity of Sam's estate warranted extraordinary disclosures, explanations, and compliance with discovery rules. There were significant discovery disputes, such that this Court created a schedule for recurring access to the Discovery Commissioner. This Court also ordered the production of disputed discovery. Discovery continued to the very eve of trial and Wendy was still attempting to discern her beneficial interests when trial began.
- There were several sports references and metaphors argued to the jury. Consistent with that theme, Wendy "swung for the fences" when she asked the jury to award \$80 million to her (plus punitive damages), an amount that exceeds the evidentiary value of this estate and would deprive Todd and Stan of any beneficial interests. She now seeks a "mulligan" by re-arguing to this Court what was over-argued to the jury. The jury found that Todd breached his fiduciary duties but only awarded \$15,000 to Wendy. It found against Wendy on all other claims and against all other counter-respondents. This Court may have been authorized to award additional equitable relief upon the same facts

⁵ To illustrate, Wendy argued in her omnibus opposition to the cost memoranda filed before the equitable claims trial that "damages may still be awarded, transactions may be set-aside, further breaches of fiduciary duty may be found, and the ACPAs and other documents may be found fraudulent or invalid, ab initio." These were all claims and requests rejected by the jury.

if the jury found for Wendy on more claims and against more counter-respondents. But constitutional and decisional authorities prevent this Court from entering a subsequent order diluting or altering the jury's verdict.

16. Todd asks this Court to contextualize the \$15,000 as a *de minimis* award. This Court will not infuse qualitative meaning into the jury's verdict. To do so would be impermissible speculation. Todd breached his fiduciary duties to Wendy. And Wendy was not awarded the damages she sought. These two facts are integral to this Court's resolution of equitable claims and fees requests.

General Legal References

- 1. This Court cannot supplant or alter a jury's verdict by relying upon common facts to reach a different outcome. See generally Lehrer McGovern Bovis, Inc. v. Bullock Insulation, Inc., 124 Nev. 1102, 197 P.3d 1032, 1038 (2008) (discussing special interrogatory verdicts). In Acosta v. City of Costa Mesa, 718 F.3d 800 (9th Cir. 2013), the plaintiff submitted his equitable claim for declaratory relief to the bench after the jury rejected his legal claims. The court held "it would be a violation of the Seventh Amendment right to jury trial for the court to disregard a jury's findings of fact. Thus, in a case where legal claims are tried by a jury and equitable claims are tried by a judge, and the claims are based on the same facts, in deciding the equitable claims, the Seventh Amendment requires the trial judge to follow the jury's implicit or explicit factual determinations." Id. at 828-29 (citations omitted).
- 2. In Sturgis Motorcycle Rally, Inc. v. Rushmore Photo & Gifts, Inc., 908 F.3d 313, 343 (8th Cir. 2018), the jury found for the plaintiff on legal intellectual property claims, but the bench subsequently applied the equitable defenses of laches and acquiescence. The appellate court reversed, holding "[t]o bind the district court's equitable powers, a jury's findings must be on an issue 'common' to the action's legal and equitable claims; otherwise, the court is free to treat the jury's findings as 'merely advisory' " Id. Further, "[i]f the jury's findings were on a common issue, the court, in fashioning equitable relief, may take into account facts that were not determined by the jury, but it may not

- 3. Among prescribed form and content, an accounting must provide a beneficiary with the ability to evaluate his or her interests. NRS 165.135(3). See also NRS 153.041. The cost of preparing an accounting is presumptively borne by the trust. NRS 165.1214(5). Unless acting in good faith, a trustee can be personally liable for failing to provide an accounting. NRS 165.148. A beneficiary may petition the court to order a trustee to perform his or her accounting duties. NRS 165.190. This Court may order a trustee's compensation be reduced or forfeited, or enter other civil penalty, when a trustee fails to perform his duties. NRS 165.200.
- 4. The trustees' just and reasonable expenses are presumptively governed by the trust instruments and borne by the trust. However, this Court has authority to review and settle the trustees' expenses and compensation. NRS 153.070. This Court may also reduce a trustee's compensation or order a trustee to pay a beneficiary's reasonable attorneys' fees and costs when the beneficiary compels redress for a breach of trust or compliance with trust terms. NRS 153.031(3). See also In re Estate of Anderson, No. 58227, 2012 WL4846488 (Oct. 9, 2012). This Court may order the trust expenses defending against a beneficiary's successful claims be borne by a trustee individually. NRS 18.090. See also Estate of Bowlds, 120 Nev. 990, 1,000, 102 P.3d 593, 600 (2004) (concluding payment of attorney's fees from trust assets only when litigation generally benefits the trust); NRS 153.031(3)(b) (stating if court grants relief to petitioner, it may order trustee to pay fees and costs); RESTATEMENT (THIRD) OF TRUSTS § 100 (2012) (examining denial of compensation to breaching trustee).

- 5. NRS 163.00195 governs no-contest provisions. It begins by emphasizing this Court's duty to enforce no-contest clauses to effectuate a settlor's intent. NRS 163.00195(1). However, the statute then creates a wide exception when it provides a no-contest clause must not be enforced when a beneficiary acts to enforce her legal rights, obtain court instruction regarding proper administration, seeks to enforce the trustee's fiduciary duties, or institutes and maintains a legal action in good faith and based on probable cause. NRS 163.00195(4). See also Matter of ATS 1998 Tr., No. 68748, 2017 WL3222533, at *4 ("[T]he purpose of a no-contest clause is to enforce the settlor(s)' wishes, not to discourage a beneficiary from seeking his or her rights."). A legal action is based on probable cause when the facts and circumstances available to the beneficiary, or a properly informed and advised reasonable person, "would conclude that the trust, the transfer of property into the trust, any document referenced in or affected by the trust or any other trust-related instrument is invalid." NRS 163.00195(4)(e) (emphasis added).
- 6. A trustee has a duty to act impartially, based on what is fair and reasonable to all beneficiaries. Specifically, "the trustee shall act impartially in investing and managing the trust property, taking into account any differing interests of the beneficiaries." NRS 164.720(1). "[I]t is the trustee's duty, reasonably and without personal bias, to seek to ascertain and to give effect to the rights and priorities of the various beneficiaries or purposes as expressed or implied by the terms of the trust." RESTATEMENT (THIRD) OF TRUSTS § 79 (2007).
- 7. "In all matters connected with [the] trust, a trustee is bound to act in the highest good faith toward all beneficiaries and may not obtain any advantage over the latter by the slightest misrepresentation, concealment, threat, or adverse pressure of any kind." Charleson v. Hardesty, 108 Nev, 878, 882, 839 P.2d 1303, 1306 (1992) (quoting Morales v. Field, 160 Cal.Rptr. 239, 244 (1980)).
- 8. This Court may remove a trustee for good cause, including breach of fiduciary duties. NRS 156.070; NRS 163.115; NRS 163.190; NRS 163.180; NRS 164.040(2); see also Diotallevi v. Sierra Dev. Co., 95 Nev. 164, 591 P.2d 270 (1979) (explaining court has

1 "full equitable powers" to redress breach of trust). Removal may be appropriate when 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 17 18

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there is significant animosity between the trustee and a beneficiary, such that it has the potential to materially interfere with the proper administration of the trust. Acorn v. Monecchi, 386 P.3d 739, 760 (Wyo. 2016) (explaining the relevant question is whether "hostility, in combination with existing circumstances, materially interferes with the administration of the trust or is likely to cause that result"); In re Estate of Stuchlik, 857 N.W.2d 57, 70 (Neb. 2014) (stating a trustee cannot act impartially when "influenced by . . . animosity toward individual beneficiaries"); BOGERT, LAW OF TRUSTS AND TRUSTEES § 129 (3d rev. ed. 2019) (explaining where there is potential for a conflict of interest to arise from the dual status of a trustee who is also a beneficiary, removal of the trustee may be appropriate); see also Dennis v. R.I. Hosp. Trust Nat. Bank, 571 F. Supp. 623, 639 (D.R.I. 1983) (discussing removal may be appropriate when the court could expect "that future Trust transactions will be scrutinized by the beneficiaries" as a result of lengthy and antagonistic litigation). Additionally, conflict between the trustee and beneficiary may form a basis for removal when personal contact or collaboration is required for the administration of the trust. Blumenstiel v. Morris, 180 S.W.2d 107, 109 (Ark. 1944). "The purpose of removing a trustee is not to inflict a penalty for past action, but to preserve trust assets." Getty v. Getty, 205 Cal. App.3d 134, 140 (1988).

9. Attorney's fees are not allowed to a prevailing party absent a contract, statute, or rule to the contrary. See Smith v. Crown Fin. Servs., 111 Nev. 277, 890 P.2d 769 (1995) (analyzing the American and English rules regarding attorney's fees and their intersection with Nevada Law). NRS 18.010(2)(b) provides that this Court may award attorney's fees when it finds a claim was brought or maintained without reasonable ground, or to harass the prevailing party. Pursuant to NRCP 68(a), "[a]t any time more than 21 days before trial, any party may serve an offer in writing to allow judgment to be taken in accordance with its terms and conditions." If an offer is not accepted within the prescribed time period, it will be considered rejected by the offeree. NRCP 68(e). If an offeree rejects an offer and fails to obtain a more favorable judgment, "the offeree must

pay the offeror's post-offer costs and expenses, including . . . reasonable attorney fees, *if* any be allowed, actually incurred by the offeror from the time of the offer." NRCP 68(f)(1)(B) (emphasis added).

- 10. "[T]he purpose of NRCP 68 is to encourage settlement . . . not to force plaintiffs unfairly to forego legitimate claims." <u>Beattie v. Thomas</u>, 99 Nev. 579, 588, 668 P.2d 268, 274 (1983). To determine whether an award of fees is appropriate, a court must consider and weigh the following factors: (1) whether the claim was brought in good faith; (2) whether the offer of judgment was reasonable and in good faith in both its timing and amount; (3) whether the decision to reject the offer and proceed to trial was grossly unreasonable or in bad faith; and (4) whether the fees sought by the offeror are reasonable and justified in amount. Beattie, 99 Nev. at 588–89, 668 P.2d at 274. No one Beattie factor is outcome determinative, and each should be given appropriate consideration. Yamaha Motor Co., USA v. Arnoult, 114 Nev. 233, 252 n.16, 955 P.2d 661, 673 n.16 (1998).
- 11. A proceeding concerning a trust "does not result in continuing supervisory proceedings, and the administration of the trust must proceed expeditiously in a manner consistent with the terms of the trust, without judicial intervention or the order, approval or other action of any court, unless the jurisdiction of the court is [properly] invoked . . . as provided by other law." NRS 164.015(7).

Equitable Issues

The following equitable issues and arguments are before this Court:

1. Approval of accountings

The trustees ask this Court to settle, allow, and approve the Issue and Family Trust accountings without further examination, to include approval of trustees' fees, attorneys'

⁶ When considering the fourth <u>Beattie</u> factor, the court must consider the <u>Brunzell</u> factors. <u>See Shuette v. Beazer Homes Holdings Corp.</u>, 121 Nev. 837, 864-65, 124 P.3d 530, 548-49 (2005). These factors include the following: "(1) the qualities of the advocate: his or her ability, training, education, experience, professional standing, and skill; (2) the character of the work to be done: its difficulty, intricacy, importance, time and skill required, the responsibility imposed and the prominence and character of the parties where they affect the importance of litigation; (3) the work actually performed by the lawyer: the skill, time, and attention given to the work; and (4) the result: whether the attorney was successful and what benefits were derived." Brunzell v. Golden Gate Nat'l Bank, 85 Nev. 345, 349, 455 P.2d 31, 33 (1969).

fees, and payment of other professional fees and administrative expenses.⁷ Wendy opposes and asks this Court to order the trustees to prepare statutory compliant accountings that disclose assets, values, transactions, and other acts of trust administration. Wendy further argues that if the amended accountings are untimely or noncompliant, this Court should find and remedy the trustees' breach of fiduciary duties.

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The timing and form of accountings are prescribed by statute. But an accounting is more than a formulaic compilation of data. An accounting is given to provide notice. Just as facts in controversy vary from case to case, an accounting must be adjusted as the trust estate requires. The trusts before this Court are complex because of the multiple layers of entity and fractional ownership. They are further complicated by fluid and often unknown values. This Court generally agrees with Wendy that the accountings fail to provide adequate notice because they reveal only a portion of Sam's complex affairs — they are mere pieces in a much larger puzzle and are ineffective when only reviewed in isolation.⁸ Instead, the accountings created confusion and engendered suspicion. The trustees attempted to answer Wendy's questions informally and made their professionals available to answer Wendy's questions. But the accountings should have included more explanatory details. The best example of how the accountings failed to provide actual and adequate notice occurred when Todd testified Wendy could expect to receive \$4 million from a variety of sources. While the trustees may have provided explanations through accountants and settlement offers, Wendy's beneficial expectancy is not apparent from the accountings or evidence of the trustees' pre-trial explanations.

However, this Court also notes that Wendy's complaints about the content and general timing of the accountings were presented to the jury in the legal phase of trial and are therefore facts common to the equitable claims. The jury presumably considered all evidence when deliberating its verdict. The verdict is an express or implicit rejection of

⁷ The relevant accountings are for the Issue and Family Trusts (April, 2013 through December, 2017) and Wendy's subtrust (2013 – 2016).

⁸ Wendy argues: "While in some circumstances, preparing and delivering accountings in the format provided by NRS 165.135 may fully satisfy a fiduciary's requirement to account and fully disclose, that is not and cannot be the case for these very complex trusts."

 Wendy's complaints about the accountings. Accordingly, this Court will not provide equitable relief regarding the accountings, which were constructively approved and confirmed by the jury's verdict. In so doing, this Court does not countenance the trustees' arguments that all accountings and disclosures complied with Nevada law, to include NRS 165.135(4)(a), which allows for a statement prepared by a CPA containing summaries of the information required by NRS 165.135(1). This Court simply orders that all litigation regarding the accountings in existence at the time of the jury trial must end.⁹ The nature of the accountings influence this Court's decision regarding attorneys' fees and the nocontest provisions of the trust.

2. Validity of the Agreements and Consents to Proposed Actions (ACPAs) and Indemnification Agreements

Todd as trustee of the Issue Trust, and Todd and Michael Kimmel as co-trustees of the Family Trust, ask this Court to ratify and approve the ACPAs, thus relieving them of liability for actions reasonably taken in reliance upon them. They (and Todd individually) also ask this Court to affirm the indemnification agreements. Wendy opposes and asks this Court to invalidate the ACPAs and rescind any transactions accomplished through them. She also contests Stan and Todd's indemnification agreements and asks that any transactions accomplished through them be invalidated and set aside. Each party presents substantial arguments supporting their respective positions. This Court again returns to the scope and content of the jury trial and the facts common to legal and equitable claims. While the attorneys argued to the jury that this Court would decide the validity of the ACPAs and indemnification agreements, each of the challenged documents and related transactions were thoroughly presented and argued to the jury – including document preparation, execution, and other formation irregularities. Thus, at least, the jury verdict is an implicit rejection of Wendy's arguments.

Having considered all arguments, this Court concludes it will neither affirm nor

⁹ The trustees may wish to modify the form of future accountings to provide better notice and explanations to the beneficiaries. Otherwise, they risk objections this Court may be inclined to grant, including an award of attorney's fees.

reject the ACPAs and indemnification agreements. They cannot be segregated from the legal claims presented to the jury and now subsequently argued in support of equitable relief. The jury constructively approved and affirmed the ACPAs and indemnification agreements when it reached its verdict. The verdict prevents additional litigation and precludes liability exposure for actions taken in reliance upon these documents. All claims involving the disputed ACPAs and indemnification agreements shall end with the jury's verdict. Nonetheless, the ACPAs and indemnification agreements also influence this Court's decision regarding attorneys' fees and the no-contest provisions.

3. Violation of the no-contest provisions of the trusts

All trustees except Stan ask this Court to declare that Wendy violated the no-contest provisions of the trusts when she initiated and maintained this litigation. Wendy opposes and asks this Court to declare that Todd violated the no-contest provisions when he filed the initial petition and later moved to dismiss her litigation. The trustees' request deserves analysis, whereas Wendy's request is retaliatory and made with little legal basis or support from the trust instruments.

Wendy sought to enforce her rights, obtain instructions, and remedy a breach of fiduciary duties. The jury agreed that Todd breached his fiduciary duties. Further, based upon the information she possessed, she had probable cause to seek invalidation of transfers and other acts of trust administration. This Court must distinguish between the *existence* of probable cause for initiating and maintaining this action with the manner in which the probable cause was *litigated*. As noted elsewhere, Wendy and Stan had probable cause to seek answers to questions raised by the accountings and other events of trust administration. Thus, while Wendy's litigation zeal and overreaching jury demand may implicate Sam's intention to disincentivize litigation, Wendy's legal actions were authorized and do not create a bar to her beneficial rights.

4. *Unjust enrichment and constructive trust*

Wendy asks this Court to impress a constructive trust to cure unjust enrichment caused by fraud, breach of fiduciary duty, and self-dealing. Todd, Stan, and the trustees

Wendy's position. Wendy's allegations of misconduct, document impropriety, and self-dealing underlying her request for equitable relief are inseparable from the legal claims she presented to the jury. Wendy has been awarded damages for Todd's breach of fiduciary duties. Any other equitable relief would constitute double recovery and alter the jury's verdict in violation of the Seventh Amendment and its interpretative decisions.

5. Removal of trustees
Disgorgement of trustee fees

Use of trust funds to initiate petition and defend against Wendy's counterpetition Award of attorneys' fees

Wendy relies upon her same arguments when asking this Court to remove the trustees, order the trustees to disgorge trustee fees, and deny the use of trust funds to present their petitions and defend against her counterpetition. The parties present substantial authorities and arguments (and other moving papers) relating to attorneys' fees.

make several arguments in opposition to Wendy's request. This Court disagrees with

There is no basis to consider the removal of any trustee except Todd. The two bases to remove Todd are 1) the jury's verdict that Todd breached his fiduciary duties, and 2) this Court's observation that Todd's neutrality is conflicted by his own interests and animus towards Wendy. This Court concludes removal would be unjust and incommensurate for several reasons: 1) Todd is Sam's designated and preferred trustee, 2) other trustees will diffuse Todd's conflicts and reduce the personal contact between Todd and Wendy, 3) the remedy against Todd's breaches and conflicts are made through other orders regarding attorneys' fees, disgorgement of trustee's fees, and inapplicability of the no-contest provisions, 4) Todd's own affairs are inseparable from trust administration and his removal as trustee will not sever him from trust business; he will remain involved in Jaksick family affairs through his ongoing management and ownership of several other related entities, 5) the expenses of removing Todd and educating a successor trustee would be expensive and inefficient, and 6) Wendy's suggestion that a commercial trustee serve as successor trustee for all trustees is neither warranted nor workable.

However, based upon the jury's verdict that Todd breached his fiduciary duties

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(and secondarily, this Court's findings about the timing and content of the accountings), this Court grants Wendy's request that Todd disgorge or disclaim all trustee's fees from the inception of his trusteeship through the date when final judgment is entered. The amount disgorged or otherwise forfeited may serve as an offset against the 25% of trustees' attorneys' fees Todd is ordered to pay, as set forth below. This Court confirms trustee fees to all other trustees.

There are several requests regarding attorney's fees as a trust expense. This Court's discretionary resolution of the fees requests is bound by all facts of record and influenced by the entirety of the pre-trial, legal, and equitable proceedings (including the settlement agreement between Todd and Stan) and uncertainties created by notarial malfeasance.

This Court first orders that Stan Jaksick and Michael Kimmel's attorneys' fees be chargeable to the trust and paid from trust corpus. This Court's decision regarding Wendy and Todd's fees (both as trustee and individually) are more complicated. There are competing facts and legal principles, which this Court analyzes in the aggregate and not in isolation. In particular, the NRCP 68 request cannot be considered narrowly, but instead, must be viewed by a totality of the case proceedings and statutory authorities governing trustees. There are several options before this Court:

- Order the trust to pay all, some, or none of Wendy's fees because she successfully obtained a verdict that Todd breached his fiduciary duties as trustee.
- Order the trust to pay all, some, or none of the fees Todd incurred as trustee because, even though he breached his fiduciary duties, he qualitatively and quantitively prevailed against other claims asserted by Wendy.
- Order Wendy to pay fees Todd incurred because she brought or maintained her action without reasonable grounds or to harass.
- Order Wendy to pay fees Todd incurred as trustee of the Issue Trust because she rejected his \$25,000 offer of judgment.
- Order Wendy to pay fees Todd incurred individually because

 she rejected his \$25,000 offer of judgment.

Discretionarily decline to order Wendy to pay fees pursuant to the offers of judgment.

On August 29, 2018, Todd offered Wendy to have judgment entered against him individually in the amount of \$25,000. He also offered Wendy to have judgment entered against him as trustee of the Issue Trust in the amount of \$25,000. The jury did not make any adverse findings against Todd individually, but it concluded Todd breached his fiduciary duties as trustee and awarded \$15,000 to Wendy. With adjustments for interest, the amount Wendy will receive is almost indistinguishable from the \$25,000 Todd offered as trustee. To the extent there is a *de minimis* distinction, the difference is not enough in a dispute that incurred several million dollars of fees and involved tens of millions in controversy.

An offer of judgment must be an authentic attempt to settle a dispute. The offer of judgment benefit is not automatically conferred. Instead, this Court must carefully analyze the offer and discretionarily apply it to the unique facts of each case. This Court and counsel are familiar with the American Rule of attorneys' fees and discretionary application of NRCP 68. This Court's discretion exists to encourage parties to convey legitimate offers to resolve their disputes. Of course, judicial discretion is controversial to those who are aggrieved, and it is unpredictable to all.

On one side, offers that are appropriate in time and amount will cause the nonoffering party to become realistic and engage in genuine risk/benefit analyses. These
offers shift a calculated risk as trial approaches. To be an effective mechanism to resolve
disputes before trial, they should be in an amount the non-offering party cannot decline in
good faith. Defendants who perceive no liability exposure chafe against making time- and
amount-appropriate offers because they resent the payment of any money to a party they
perceive will not prevail at trial. On the other side, offering parties sometimes make timeand amount-inappropriate offers they expect to be rejected. These offers do not facilitate
settlement--they are strategic devices to shift the risk of fees by offering illusory

consideration to end litigation.

This Court's discretion is guided by the unique facts and procedural history of this case. This Court analyzes the <u>Beattie</u> factors as follows:

Whether Wendy's claims were brought in good faith? Wendy believed in good faith that she suffered damages from Todd's individual and fiduciary misconduct. She trusted the court system and exercised her constitutional right to jury trial. This Court concludes that Wendy's claims against Todd as trustee of the Issue Trust were brought in good faith. Wendy's concerns are countenanced, in large part, by the questions raised by the accountings, Stan's separate allegations against Todd, document anomalies, and the optics of Todd's disproportionate benefit from Sam's business and trust affairs. The good-faith nature of Wendy's claims against Todd individually are more difficult to discern. In the final analysis, Wendy had some cause to initiate the claims against Todd individually, but as discovery progressed, Wendy's cause to pursue Todd individually diminished. This factor weighs slightly in Wendy's favor regarding the Issue Trust offer of judgment and is neutral regarding Todd's individual offer of judgment.¹⁰

Whether Todd's offers were reasonable and in good faith in both timing and amount? This Court has wrestled with the question of whether the offers of judgment were brought in good faith in both timing and amount. These offers of judgment were made six months after Wendy filed her amended counter-petition, when discovery was still in its infancy. This Court concludes the amounts offered were neither good faith/reasonable nor strategic bad faith/unreasonable. They fall within the continuum between those two categories. Todd knew, or should have known, the fees incurred through continuing litigation alone would substantially overshadow the offered amounts. Todd knew, or should have known, that Wendy would never accept \$25,000 to resolve her claims against him as trustee of the Issue Trust.

However, Todd also had cause to believe he would prevail at trial, a fact now

¹⁰ Because this Court finds Wendy brought her claims in good faith, this Court concludes fees under NRS 18.010(2)(b) are not warranted.

1 proven with respect to the claims against him individually. Todd's subjective belief about 2 the strength of his position is legally relevant. "[W]here the offeror has a reasonable basis 3 to believe that exposure to liability is minimal, a nominal offer is appropriate." Arrowood 4 Indem. Co. v. Acosta, Inc., 58 So. 3d 286, 289 (Fla. Dist. Ct. App. 2011) (discussing the good 5 faith prong of an offer of judgment from a Florida statute analogous to NRCP 68). At the 6 time Todd made his individual offer, Wendy had been unable to present coherent facts 7 underlying her claims against him personally. He therefore had reason to believe 8 Wendy's claims against him individually were weak or lacked merit. See Beach, 958 F. Supp. at 1171 (holding defendant's offer was reasonable even though plaintiff's alleged 9 10 damages exceeded the offer's amount "given the weaknesses defendant perceived in 11 plaintiff's case."); see also Scott-Hop v. Bassek, Nos. 60501, 61943, 2014 WL 859181 at *6 12 (Feb. 28, 2014) (holding reasonable an offer of \$25,000 even though plaintiff's alleged 13 medical expenses were over \$150,000 because of the uncertainty of plaintiff's case and defendant's summary judgment motion); Max Bear Productions, Ltd. v. Riverwood 14 Partners, LLC, No. 3:09-CV-00512-RCJ-RAM, 2012 WL 5944767 (D. Nev. Nov. 26, 2012) 15 16 ("The token \$1,000 offer may appear to have been made simply for the procedural purpose 17 of preserving rights to fees . . . should Defendant win a judgment. However, the weaknesses of Plaintiff's case made this token offer reasonable."); Arrowood, 58 So. 3d at 18 289-90 (holding a court is required to consider an offeror's subjective belief that an offer is 19 20 reasonable and not just objective factors).

This Court concludes the second factor to consider is neutral regarding the Issue Trust and does not inure to any party's favor or disfavor. Todd hoped he would prevail at trial, but given the financial and documentary complexity, discovery delays and disputes (including Todd's continued depositions long after the offers of judgment were made), the untimely accountings, incomplete discovery, and the amounts in controversy, the offer does not appear to be made with the good-faith intention of settling Wendy's claims. In contrast, Todd's offer to settle Wendy's claims against him individually for the payment of \$25,000 appears more reflective of the circumstances and was made with a good-faith

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intention to settle the claims. Thus, this factor favors Todd individually.

Whether Wendy's decision to reject the offer and proceed to trial was grossly unreasonable or in bad faith? Wendy's decision to reject Todd's offer as trustee of the Issue Trust was not grossly unreasonable or in bad faith. The offer arrived early in discovery. Wendy had incurred substantially more in fees than the offered amount and she was entitled to examine her legal position after discovery was received. In contrast, her decision to reject Todd's individual offer is less reasonable, yet this Court cannot conclude her rejection was grossly unreasonable or made in bad faith. Her decision was simply unwise in retrospect and she cannot now be relieved of its consequences. This third factor weighs in favor of Wendy regarding the Issue Trust and is neutral regarding Todd's personal liability.

Whether the fees sought are reasonable and justified in amount? Todd's individual and trustee attorneys are experienced in law and trial. They have exemplary records of service in our legal community and they obtained a positive outcome for their clients. After considering each of the Brunzell factors, this Court finds the fees sought by Todd individually from the date of the offer are reasonable in light of his experienced and effective attorneys, duration and scope of litigation, and the result obtained. However, the aggregate fees this Court expects Todd to seek as trustee of the Issue Trust are not justified when the offered \$25,000 is compared to the jury verdict. Shifting substantial attorneys' fees to Wendy is unjustified in this instance. Regarding Todd's individual fees, the amounts are reasonable and justified when charged against Wendy. This factor is neutral with respect to the Issue Trustee offer and favors Todd with respect to his individual offer of judgment.

For these reasons, this Court orders as follows:

a. The trusts shall pay 100% of the fees incurred by their attorneys in representation of the trustees. However, Todd shall reimburse the trusts from his personal resources for 25% of the amount paid because the jury determined he breached his fiduciary duties. Provided, however, Todd is entitled to reduce this 25% personal obligation by

- the amount of trustee's fees he is ordered to disgorge.
- b. Wendy is *not* required to pay fees Todd incurred as trustee because she rejected the \$25,000 offer of judgment.
- c. Wendy *shall* pay 100% of fees Todd incurred individually from the date the offer of judgment was made. Provided, however, Todd shall be Wendy's judgment creditor and have no greater access to payment than any other judgment creditor. Todd may attach or anticipate Wendy's distributive share only if there are no spendthrift provisions within the trust instruments that prohibit such creditor collection efforts. If such spendthrift provisions exist, distributions shall be made to Wendy and Todd may seek collection efforts against Wendy personally, subsequent to the distribution. The trustees (including Todd) shall carefully measure Todd's rights as an individual judgment creditor with their fiduciary duties owed to Wendy as a beneficiary.
- d. The Trusts shall pay a combined attorneys' fee of \$300,000 to Wendy's attorneys for prevailing in the claim against Todd for breach of fiduciary duties. This payment shall be made directly to Wendy's attorneys without Wendy's signatory participation as a client or trust beneficiary.
- e. All fees ordered shall be treated as general trust administration expenses and not allocated to any beneficiary's distributive share.
- f. Todd is not required to indemnify the trust for the \$300,000 payable to Wendy's attorneys because he is already ordered to pay 25% of the aggregate fees incurred in representation of the trustees.
- g. The request for oral arguments is denied.

Other Issues

1. Second supplement to first amended counterpetition

On May 9, 2019 (after the legal phase of trial but before the equitable trial), Wendy filed a Second Supplement to her First Amended Counterpetition in which she continued her theme about untimely accountings. Wendy asks this Court to consider the new fact allegation the Family Trust co-trustees failed to prepare and deliver accountings for the Family Trust and Wendy Subtrust for the period from January 1, 2018, to December 31, 2018. She requests the production and delivery of these accountings and asks that the trustees be sanctioned. The trustees (including Todd and Stan individually) moved to strike Wendy's supplement because it was filed after the August 2, 2018, deadline to file motions to amend pleadings and violated NRCP 15(d).¹¹ The 2018 accountings were provided to Wendy in early July, 2019, thus rendering Wendy's request to compel moot.

It appears the accountings were untimely and this Court agrees Wendy could not have filed the supplement until after the deadline for providing the 2018 accountings had passed. However, the 2018 accountings are not part of the underlying litigation. This Court declines Wendy's invitation to enlarge this litigation to satisfy judicial economy. This litigation is bounded by the pleadings and cannot remain an open receptacle to receive real-time allegations of inappropriate trust administration. The supplement is stricken as beyond the scope of claims before this Court. Wendy may file a separate action challenging the timing and content of the 2018 accountings if she is so inclined. This Court neither encourages nor discourages such litigation.

2. The Lake Tahoe property

Though not placed within a certain claim for relief within her pleadings, Wendy asks this Court to rescind all transactions involving the Lake Tahoe home and restore title to the SSJ LLC, which was 100% owned by the Family Trust. Wendy continues to overwhelm this Court with repetitive and lengthy arguments about the option agreements, forgery, fraud, fiduciary duties, unjust enrichment, trustor intentions, consideration, etc. All of Wendy's arguments were presented to the jury and rejected in

¹¹ Stan filed an additional Motion to Dismiss or Motion to Strike, arguing Wendy's supplement alleged a new claim for breach of fiduciary duty that has not been discovered. Todd joined in Stan's motion.

the jury's verdict. This Court will not enter any order granting relief to Wendy regarding the Lake Tahoe home.

3. Future distributions

On July 23, 2019, Wendy filed an Emergency Motion to Compel Distribution from the Family Trust. She alleged she was being evicted from her home in Texas and needed money to relocate to either Arizona or Reno. Wendy asked this Court to order the trustees of the Family Trust to distribute \$6,000 for a deposit on a new apartment and \$5,000 per month for living expenses. Wendy further asks this Court to advise the trustees regarding the schedule of other distributions for living expenses. Wendy's motion is denied. This Court will not supervise trust administration on an ongoing basis. It will not provide advisory guidance or otherwise order the trustees regarding administration and distributions. Instead, it will adjudicate disputes through normal judicial processes. Wendy may initiate separate litigation if she is so inclined.

4. Costs.

Todd Jaksick as an individual, Duck Lake Ranch, LLC, and Incline TSS, are the prevailing parties entitled to statutory and reasonable costs. All other parties may file cost memoranda as authorized by law.

Conclusions

- 1. This Court does not confirm the accountings. However, the substance of the accountings were presented to the jury and fall within the jury's verdict. Thus, this Court will not allow additional litigation as to any accounting that formed the basis for Wendy's legal claims. All future accountings shall be timely and formulated to provide the beneficiaries with adequate notice of values, transactions, and other acts of trust administration. The trustees are authorized to pay, at Wendy's request, a portion of Wendy's distributive shares to Wendy's designated financial professional who will assist her to understand the accountings and interact with the trustees.
- 2. This Court does not confirm the ACPAs or indemnification agreements.

 However, the substance of the ACPAs and indemnification agreements were presented to

the jury and fall within the jury's verdict. This Court will not allow additional litigation as to any of the ACPAs and indemnification agreements that formed the basis for Wendy's legal claims.

- 3. The trustees' request to impose no-contest penalties against Wendy is denied.
 - 4. Wendy's claims for unjust enrichment and constructive trust are denied.
- 5. Todd is confirmed as trustee of Issue Trust and co-trustee of Family Trust. All other trustees are also confirmed.
- 6. Todd shall disgorge all trustee fees he received or otherwise earned, subject to the fees award provisions.
- 7. This Court anticipates the parties will seek clarification and other relief through additional motion work. The attorneys' fees provisions in this order reflect the entirety of this Court's intentions regarding fees. This order also reflects the entirety of this Court's intentions regarding all other pending matters.
- 8. Todd and the trustees may submit a proposed judgment consistent with the jury's verdict and this order on equitable claims.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: March 12, 2020.

David A. Hardy District Court Judge

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         We, the jury, duly impaneled in the above-entitled action,
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    find that Petitioner, Wendy Jaksick, has proven her aiding and
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    abetting breach of fiduciary duty claim, by a preponderance of
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    evidence, against:
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          (Please circle only one for each line item)
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    KEVIN RILEY (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust)
                                                        YES
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    KEVIN RILEY (individually)
                                                        YES
8
    KEVIN RILEY (as Trustee of BHC Trust)
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    STAN JAKSICK (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust)
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    TODD JAKSICK (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust)
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    TODD JAKSICK (individually)
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    TODD JAKSICK (as Trustee of Issue Trust)
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    MICHAEL KIMMEL (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust)
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    MICHAEL KIMMEL (individually)
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         We, the jury, duly impaneled in the above-entitled action,
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    find that Petitioner, Wendy Jaksick, has proven her fraud claim
    by clear and convincing evidence, against:
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          (Please circle only one for each line item)
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    TODD JAKSICK (as Co-Trustee of Family Trust)
                                                        YES
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    TODD JAKSICK (individually)
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    TODD JAKSICK (as Trustee of Issue Trust)
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     (If you circled "yes" to ANY of the above claim(s) correlating
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    to ANY respondent then proceed to and answer Questions 1 AND 2.
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    If you answered "no" to ALL of the above then skip Questions 1
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    AND 2 and sign and date verdict form.)
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1. We, the jury, duly impaneled in the above-entitled				
action, having found in favor of Petitioner, Wendy Jaksick, on				
one or more of her claims against one or more of the				
Respondents, find that she has proven by a preponderance of				
evidence the amount of her damages, assess her damages to be				
\$ 15,000.00				

2. Has Wendy Jaksick established by clear and convincing evidence that any of the Respondents acted with fraud, oppression, or malice?

(Please circle only one for each line item)

KEVIN RILEY	YES	NO
STAN JAKSICK	YES	NO
TODD JAKSICK	YES	NO
MICHAEL KIMMEL	YES	NO

DATED this _____ day of March, 2019.

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