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

CASE NO.: PR20-00415
DEPT. NO.: PR

In the matter of the estate of,

CLIFFORD LAUGHTON,

Deceased.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is given that Ann Rafael-Straka ("Ann"), creditor and interested person in the above-captioned matter, appeals to the Supreme Court of Nevada from the *Order Upholding Commissioner's Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion*, entered by the District Court on August 26, 2021, and the subsequent *Order Denying Motion to Amend*, entered by the District Court on December 14, 2021, and from any other order of the District Court rendered final and appealable pursuant to NRS 155.190 by the District Court's Order dated August 26, 2021.

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AFFIRMATION

(Pursuant to NRS 239B.030)

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

DATED January 10, 2022.

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1 **7. Whether appellants were represented by appointed or retained counsel in the**
2 **district court.**

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4 Appellants were represented by retained counsel in the district court.

5 **8. Whether appellants were granted leave to proceed in forma pauperis in the**
6 **district court.**

7 Appellants were not granted leave to proceed in district court in forma pauperis.

8 **9. The date the proceedings commenced in district court.**

9 This action commenced with the filing of Petitioner's *Ex Parte Motion for Appointment of*
10 *Special Administrator* on August 4, 2020.

11 **10. Brief description of the nature of the action and result in district court.**

12 The order subject to this appeal arose from Ann's *Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary*
13 *and to Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction under NRS 136.010 et seq.* which was heard by
14 the probate commissioner who articulated that, due to the doctrines of "law of the case" and
15 "judicial estoppel" against Ann as the proponent of revocation of letters testamentary for lack of
16 jurisdiction, the district court will not revisit whether it has jurisdiction over the Estate. In fact, the
17 district court concurrently issued an *Amended Order Terminating Special Administration and*
18 *Revoking Letters of Special Administration; Admitting Will to Probate; Issuance of Letters*
19 *Testamentary and for General Administration* amending is previous order entered on October 15,
20 2020 changing the jurisdictional statement recited from "CLIFFORD LAUGHTON died on the
21 12th day of July 2020, leaving an estate in the County of Washoe, State of Nevada, subject to the
22 jurisdiction of this Court," to "CLIFFORD LAUGHTON died on the 12th day of July 2020, a
23 resident of Washoe County, State of Nevada."

24 However, the probate commissioner explicitly found, "There is no genuine dispute that
25 Clifford Laughton did not reside in this state. The only other proper basis for jurisdiction, of
26 course, would be if he left property in this state at his death."
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1 This is where the issue is ripe for appeal, since the probate commissioner's
2 recommendation explicitly finds that there has not been presented any credible evidence that the
3 Decedent owned any property subject to the district court's jurisdiction in Washoe County or
4 elsewhere. In spite of the explicit finding that the Decedent was not a resident in Nevada and
5 owned no property in Nevada subject to the district court's jurisdiction, the probate commissioner
6 specifically found, "Although the Opposition fails to identify any property of the Decedent
7 located within this County, this Court cannot foreclose the possibility that there might be yet
8 unidentified property of the Decedent left in this county at death. The Court is therefore inclined
9 grant the Personal Representative's request for leave to amend the Petition for Probate, if Ms.
10 Rafael-Straka shows that revisiting this Court's prior finding of jurisdiction is warranted." In
11 other words, the district court, although recognizing there are no facts supporting jurisdiction, will
12 only reconsider jurisdiction if Ann proves that revisiting such finding "is warranted."

13 **11. Whether the case has been the subject of a previous appeal.**

14 This matter is not the subject of an existing appeal as Ann is appealing from the
15 underlying judgment.

16 **12. Whether the appeal involves child custody or visitation.**

17 There are no child custody or visitation issues in this case.

18 **13. Whether the appeal involves the possibility of settlement.**

19 It is counsel's belief there is a possibility of settlement.
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SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT**STATE OF NEVADA****COUNTY OF WASHOE****Case History - PR20-00415****Case Description: ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON****Case Number: PR20-00415 Case Type: GENERAL ADMINISTRATION - Initially Filed On: 8/4/2020****Parties**

<u>Party Type & Name</u>	<u>Party Status</u>
JUDG - PROB. COMM. EDMUND J. GORMAN - PC	Active
ATTY - Kenneth Gross, Esq. - A1808	Active
ATTY - Scot Shirley, Esq. - 15326	Active
ATTY - Joseph R. Ganley, Esq. - 5643	Active
ATTY - Russel J. Geist, Esq. - 9030	Active
ATTY - Justin C. Vance, Esq. - 11306	Active
ATTY - Todd L. Moody, Esq. - 5430	Active
ATTY - Joseph J. Powell, Esq. - 8875	Party ended on: 4/7/2021 12:00:00AM
ATTY - Richard P. Schulze, III, Esq. - 5767	Active
ATTY - Robert A. Dotson, Esq. - 5285	Active
ATTY - Richard G. Hill, Esq. - 596	Party ended on: 11/23/2021 12:00:00AM
DECD - CLIFFORD LAUGHTON - @175438	Active
INST - ANN RAFAEL-STRAKA - @1364753	Active
INST - LAUGHTON FOUNDATION - @1369627	Active
PETR - RICHARD P. SCHULZE - @15262	Party ended on: 8/7/2020 12:00:00AM
PREP - RICHARD P. SCHULZE - @15262	Active
SPAD - RICHARD P. SCHULZE - @15262	Party ended on: 10/14/2020 12:00:00AM

Disposed Hearings

- Department: PC -- Event: Request for Submission -- Scheduled Date & Time: 8/4/2020 at 15:20:00
Extra Event Text: REQUEST FOR SUBMISSION OF EX PARTE MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR
Event Disposition: S200 - 8/7/2020
- Department: PC -- Event: Tickle Start Code -- Scheduled Date & Time: 10/7/2020 at 08:30:00
Extra Event Text: REPORT OF SPAD DUE (R. SCHULZE, ESQ.)
Event Disposition: P200 - 10/13/2020
- Department: B -- Event: PET/PRO/WILL/LET/TEST -- Scheduled Date & Time: 10/14/2020 at 10:00:00
Extra Event Text: REPORT OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION; REQUEST TO TERMINATE SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION AND REVOCATION OF LETTERS OF SPEC
Event Disposition: D425 - 10/14/2020
- Department: B -- Event: APP ATTORNEY'S FEES -- Scheduled Date & Time: 12/2/2020 at 13:00:00
Extra Event Text: REQUEST FOR FEES AND COSTS OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION
Event Disposition: D355 - 12/2/2020
- Department: PC -- Event: Tickle Start Code -- Scheduled Date & Time: 12/7/2020 at 08:30:00
Extra Event Text: INVENTORY DUE FROM SPAD (R. SCHULZE, ESQ.)
Event Disposition: P200 - 10/13/2020
- Department: B -- Event: PETITION FOR INSTRUCTIONS -- Scheduled Date & Time: 1/6/2021 at 10:00:00
Extra Event Text: PETITION FOR INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING ALLOCATION AND PAYMENT OF FEDERAL TAXES PURSUANT TO NRS 150.290-150.390 INCL
Event Disposition: D445 - 1/6/2021

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- 7 Department: PC -- Event: Tickle Start Code -- Scheduled Date & Time: 2/22/2021 at 08:00:00
Extra Event Text: INVENTORY (R. SCHULZE, ESQ.)
Event Disposition: P200 - 9/30/2021
- 8 Department: PC -- Event: Request for Submission -- Scheduled Date & Time: 3/1/2021 at 15:28:00
Extra Event Text: MOTION FOR ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE RESPONSES TO ALL PENDING PETITIONS FOR
Event Disposition: S200 - 3/2/2021
- 9 Department: B -- Event: PET/COMP/DISPUTED CLAIM -- Scheduled Date & Time: 3/3/2021 at 10:00:00
Extra Event Text: PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIM AND PETITION FOR INSTRUCTION TO PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
Event Disposition: D445 - 3/3/2021
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- 11 Department: B -- Event: PET/COMP/DISPUTED CLAIM -- Scheduled Date & Time: 3/3/2021 at 10:00:00
Extra Event Text: PR20-00415 - ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON - PET/COMP/DISPUTED CLAIM. PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIM
Event Disposition: D844 - 2/18/2021
- 12 Department: B -- Event: PET/COMP/DISPUTED CLAIM -- Scheduled Date & Time: 3/3/2021 at 10:00:00
Extra Event Text: PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIM AND PETITION FOR INSTRUCTION TO PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
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- 14 Department: B -- Event: PET/COMP/DISPUTED CLAIM -- Scheduled Date & Time: 3/3/2021 at 10:00:00
Extra Event Text: PR20-00415 - ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON - PET/COMP/DISPUTED CLAIM. PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIM
Event Disposition: D844 - 2/18/2021
- 15 Department: B -- Event: PET/COMP/DISPUTED CLAIM -- Scheduled Date & Time: 3/24/2021 at 13:00:00
Extra Event Text: PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIM FOR UNPAID PROFESSIONAL SERVICES (COMPENSATION CLAIM); PETITION FOR INSTRUCTION TO PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE
Event Disposition: D445 - 3/24/2021
- 16 Department: PC -- Event: Tickle Start Code -- Scheduled Date & Time: 4/12/2021 at 08:00:00
Extra Event Text: 6 MONTH ACCT (R. SCHULZE, ESQ.)
Event Disposition: P200 - 9/30/2021
- 17 Department: B -- Event: PETITION FOR INSTRUCTIONS -- Scheduled Date & Time: 4/13/2021 at 13:00:00
Extra Event Text: (CONT'D from 1/6/21 at 10am) PETITION FOR INSTRUCTION
Event Disposition: D445 - 4/13/2021
- 18 Department: B -- Event: APP ATTORNEY'S FEES -- Scheduled Date & Time: 4/21/2021 at 13:00:00
Extra Event Text: REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS
Event Disposition: D430 - 4/21/2021
- 19 Department: B -- Event: PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE -- Scheduled Date & Time: 5/13/2021 at 11:00:00
Extra Event Text: (Set from 3/3/21 at 10am hrg) PRETRIAL CONFERENCE - (ZOOM VIDEO) Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 ~ Passcode: 790431
Event Disposition: D260 - 5/13/2021
- 20 Department: PC -- Event: Request for Submission -- Scheduled Date & Time: 6/2/2021 at 11:44:00
Extra Event Text: MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 ET SEQ
Event Disposition: S200 - 6/24/2021

- 21 Department: B -- Event: PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE -- Scheduled Date & Time: 6/10/2021 at 13:00:00
Extra Event Text: (SET from 3/24/21 at 1pm) PRETRIAL CONFERENCE - (ZOOM VIDEO) Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 ~ Passcode: 790431
Event Disposition: D845 - 5/13/2021
- 22 Department: B -- Event: STATUS HEARING -- Scheduled Date & Time: 7/29/2021 at 11:00:00
Extra Event Text: Status Hrg RE: Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes pursuant to NRS 150.290-150.390 - (Zoom Video) Meet
Event Disposition: D845 - 5/13/2021
- 23 Department: PC -- Event: Request for Submission -- Scheduled Date & Time: 8/13/2021 at 09:49:00
Extra Event Text: STIPULATION FOR TELEPHONIC APPEARANCE BY OUT-OF-COUNTY COUNSEL AT HEARING
Event Disposition: S200 - 8/16/2021
- 24 Department: D15 -- Event: ORAL ARGUMENTS -- Scheduled Date & Time: 8/16/2021 at 13:30:00
Extra Event Text: ORAL ARGUMENTS ON JUDICIAL REVIEW
Event Disposition: D435 - 8/16/2021
- 25 Department: B -- Event: STATUS HEARING -- Scheduled Date & Time: 9/30/2021 at 13:00:00
Extra Event Text: ZOOM STATUS HEARING VIA VIDEO - Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 - Passcode: 790431
Event Disposition: D445 - 9/30/2021
- 26 Department: D15 -- Event: Request for Submission -- Scheduled Date & Time: 10/26/2021 at 10:32:00
Extra Event Text: MOTION TO AMEND ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTI
Event Disposition: S200 - 12/14/2021
- 27 Department: PC -- Event: Request for Submission -- Scheduled Date & Time: 11/2/2021 at 14:45:00
Extra Event Text: STIPULATION TO VACATE STATUS HEARING
Event Disposition: S200 - 11/2/2021
- 28 Department: B -- Event: STATUS HEARING -- Scheduled Date & Time: 11/4/2021 at 13:00:00
Extra Event Text: ZOOM STATUS HEARING VIA VIDEO - Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 - Passcode: 790431
Event Disposition: D845 - 11/2/2021
- 29 Department: PC -- Event: Request for Submission -- Scheduled Date & Time: 11/18/2021 at 13:51:00
Extra Event Text: MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW
Event Disposition: S200 - 11/23/2021
- 30 Department: PC -- Event: Tickle Start Code -- Scheduled Date & Time: 12/23/2021 at 08:00:00
Extra Event Text: ANNUAL ACCT/FINAL DIST DUE (R. SCHULZE, ESQ.)
Event Disposition: P200 - 9/30/2021
- 31 Department: B -- Event: PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE -- Scheduled Date & Time: 1/10/2022 at 11:00:00
Extra Event Text: ZOOM PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE VIA VIDEO - Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 - Passcode: 790431
Event Disposition: D260 - 1/10/2022
- 32 Department: B -- Event: EVIDENTIARY HEARING -- Scheduled Date & Time: 1/31/2022 at 09:30:00
Extra Event Text: ZOOM EVIDENTIARY HEARING VIA VIDEO - Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 - Passcode: 790431
Event Disposition: D875 - 1/10/2022
- 33 Department: B -- Event: EVIDENTIARY HEARING -- Scheduled Date & Time: 2/1/2022 at 09:00:00
Extra Event Text: ZOOM EVIDENTIARY HEARING VIA VIDEO - Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 - Passcode: 790431
Event Disposition: D875 - 1/10/2022

Actions

Filing Date - Docket Code & Description

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- 1 8/4/2020 - 3595 - Pet Special Admin (no fee)
Additional Text: EX PARTE MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR - Transaction 8003121 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 08-04-2020:15:16:19
- 2 8/4/2020 - 3860 - Request for Submission
Additional Text: REQUEST FOR SUBMISSION OF EX PARTE MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR Transaction 8003149 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-04-2020:15:22:36
DOCUMENT TITLE: REQUEST FOR SUBMISSION OF EX PARTE MOTION FOR APPOINTMENT OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATOR
PARTY SUBMITTING: RICAHRD SCHULZE ESQ
DATE SUBMITTED: 8-4-2020
SUBMITTED BY: YV
DATE RECEIVED JUDGE OFFICE:
- 3 8/4/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8003152 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-04-2020:15:23:32
- 4 8/7/2020 - F140 - Adj Summary Judgment
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- 5 8/7/2020 - 2735 - Ord Appoint Special Admin
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- 6 8/7/2020 - S200 - Request for Submission Complet
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- 7 8/7/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8008999 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-07-2020:12:35:57
- 8 8/18/2020 - 1915 - Letters Special Administration
Additional Text: RICHARD P. SCHULZE - Transaction 8024283 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-18-2020:11:42:24
- 9 8/18/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8024291 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-18-2020:11:43:15
- 10 9/2/2020 - \$3573 - \$Pet Prob Letters (General Adm
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- 11 9/2/2020 - PAYRC - **Payment Receipted
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- 12 9/2/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
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- 13 9/9/2020 - 2550 - Notice of Hearing
Additional Text: Transaction 8058695 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-09-2020:11:57:11

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- 14 9/9/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8058706 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-09-2020:11:58:30
- 15 9/15/2020 - 1040P - Affidavit of Mailing - PR
Additional Text: Transaction 8067489 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-15-2020:10:04:22
- 16 9/15/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
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- 17 9/24/2020 - 1505 - Death Certificate
Additional Text: Transaction 8084027 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-24-2020:11:29:45
- 18 9/24/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8084032 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-24-2020:11:30:43
- 19 10/8/2020 - 3715 - Proof of Publication
Additional Text: PROOF OF PUBLICATION - SEPT 23, 30, OCT 7, 2020 Transaction 8107332 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-08-2020:15:39:05
- 20 10/8/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8107335 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-08-2020:15:40:04
- 21 10/13/2020 - P200 - Tickle Stop Code
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- 22 10/13/2020 - P200 - Tickle Stop Code
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- 23 10/14/2020 - FIE - **Document Filed in Error
Additional Text: FILED IN ERROR - LSCURLOCK - 11/6/2020
- 24 10/14/2020 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 10/14/2020: Report of Special Administration; request to terminate Special Administration and revocation of Letters of Special Administration; Petition for admission of Will to Probate; issuance of Le - Transaction 8115282 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-14-2020:12:07:52
- 25 10/14/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8115281 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-14-2020:12:07:52
- 26 10/14/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8115285 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-14-2020:12:09:01
- 27 10/15/2020 - F140 - Adj Summary Judgment
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- 28 10/15/2020 - 2680 - Ord Admit Will & Issue Ltrs
Additional Text: ORDER TERMINATING SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION AND REVOKING LETTERS OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION; ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE; ISSUANCE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND FOR GENERAL ADMINISTRATION - Transaction 8117757 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-15-2020:12:52:52
- 29 10/15/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8117761 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-15-2020:12:53:42
- 30 10/19/2020 - 1639 - **Document Issued by the Court
Additional Text: Transaction 8121818 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 10-19-2020:11:57:17
- 31 10/19/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8121837 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-19-2020:11:58:13
- 32 10/19/2020 - 1925 - Letters Testamentary
Additional Text: Transaction 8121861 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-19-2020:12:07:05
- 33 10/19/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8121866 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-19-2020:12:08:13

- 34 10/23/2020 - 2595 - Notice to Creditors
Additional Text: Transaction 8131416 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-23-2020:15:08:43
- 35 10/23/2020 - 1821 - Instructions for Personal Rep
Additional Text: Transaction 8131416 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-23-2020:15:08:43
- 36 10/23/2020 - 3965 - Statement Name/Address Exc/Adm
Additional Text: Transaction 8131416 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-23-2020:15:08:43
- 37 10/23/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8131423 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-23-2020:15:09:43
- 38 10/29/2020 - 2540 - Notice of Entry of Ord
Additional Text: Transaction 8140494 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-29-2020:16:23:31
- 39 10/29/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8140498 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-29-2020:16:24:21
- 40 11/6/2020 - 4295 - Will
Additional Text: 10/14/2020: Report of Special Administration; request to terminate Special Administration and revocation of Letters of Special Administration; Petition for admission of Will to Probate; issuance of Le - Transaction 8150494 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-06-2020:09:56:25
- 41 11/6/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8150500 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-06-2020:09:57:21
- 42 11/9/2020 - 1230 - Application for Fees
Additional Text: REQUEST FOR FEES AND COSTS OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION - Transaction 8154559 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 11-09-2020:16:44:40
- 43 11/9/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8154680 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-09-2020:16:45:59
- 44 11/12/2020 - 2550 - Notice of Hearing
Additional Text: Transaction 8159407 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-12-2020:16:10:01
- 45 11/12/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8159410 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-12-2020:16:10:51
- 46 11/16/2020 - 1400 - Claim...
Additional Text: The Clerk of the Court hereby strikes the GENERAL CLAIM / CREDITOR'S CLAIM filed by KENNETH GROSS, ESQ. on NOVEMBER 16, 2020 from the case for the following reason(s): Document is an unsigned Order that is not identified as a proposed Order.

Transaction 8164028 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-16-2020:15:21:20
- 47 11/16/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8164030 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-16-2020:15:22:22
- 48 11/17/2020 - 2610 - Notice ...
Additional Text: The Clerk of the Court hereby strikes the GENERAL CLAIM / CREDITOR'S CLAIM filed by KENNETH GROSS, ESQ. on NOVEMBER 16, 2020 from the case for the following reason(s): Document is an unsigned Order - Transaction 8164630 - Approved By: SWOLFE : 11-17-2020:08:00:21
- 49 11/17/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8164632 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-17-2020:08:01:10

- 50 11/17/2020 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8165167 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-17-2020:10:46:14
- 51 11/17/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8165172 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-17-2020:10:47:02
- 52 11/19/2020 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8170971 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-19-2020:20:27:52
- 53 11/19/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8170972 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-19-2020:20:28:51
- 54 11/20/2020 - 1040P - Affidavit of Mailing - PR
Additional Text: Transaction 8171644 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-20-2020:10:58:09
- 55 11/20/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8171649 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-20-2020:10:59:15
- 56 11/24/2020 - 3540 - Pet for Instructions
Additional Text: PETITION FOR INSTRUCTIONS REGARDING ALLOCATION AND PAYMENT OF FEDERAL ESTATE TAXES PURSUANT TO NRS 150.290-150.390, INCLUSIVE (THE FEDERAL ESTATE TAX APPORTIONMENT LAW} - Transaction 8176352 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 11-24-2020:11:09:31
- 57 11/24/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8176460 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-24-2020:11:10:29
- 58 12/1/2020 - 3715 - Proof of Publication
Additional Text: Transaction 8183197 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-01-2020:09:55:38
- 59 12/1/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8183201 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-01-2020:09:56:46
- 60 12/1/2020 - 2630 - Objection to ...
Additional Text: Request for Fees and Costs of Special Administrator - Transaction 8183276 - Approved By: NMASON : 12-01-2020:10:33:43
- 61 12/1/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8183286 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-01-2020:10:36:18
- 62 12/1/2020 - 2550 - Notice of Hearing
Additional Text: Transaction 8183402 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-01-2020:11:12:17
- 63 12/1/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8183413 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-01-2020:11:13:46
- 64 12/1/2020 - 1040P - Affidavit of Mailing - PR
Additional Text: Transaction 8184186 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-01-2020:14:49:32
- 65 12/1/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8184189 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-01-2020:14:50:34
- 66 12/4/2020 - 2840 - Ord Denying ...
Additional Text: ORDER DENYING REQUEST FOR FEES - Transaction 8191020 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-04-2020:17:30:56
- 67 12/4/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8191021 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-04-2020:17:31:56

- 68 12/5/2020 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 12/2/2020: Request for Fees and Costs of Special Administration. - Transaction 8191177 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-05-2020:13:46:14
- 69 12/5/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8191178 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-05-2020:13:47:24
- 70 12/10/2020 - 3965 - Statement Name/Address Exc/Adm
Additional Text: Transaction 8199351 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-10-2020:14:22:37
- 71 12/10/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8199356 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-10-2020:14:23:30
- 72 12/31/2020 - 2520 - Notice of Appearance
Additional Text: CHECK FOR \$208.00 RECEIVED ON 12/31/2020 TO BE RECEIPTED AT A LATER DATE. - Transaction 8226830 - Approved By: SWOLFE : 12-31-2020:14:42:56
- 73 12/31/2020 - 2630 - Objection to ...
Additional Text: Opposition to Petition for Instructions REGARDING ALLOCATION AND PAYMENT OF FEDERAL ESTATE TAXES PURSUANT TO NRS 150.290 - 150.390, INCLUSIVE (THE FEDERAL ESTATE TAX APPORTIONMENT LAW) - Transaction 8226830 - Approved By: SWOLFE : 12-31-2020:14:42:56
- 74 12/31/2020 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8226840 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 12-31-2020:14:43:57
- 75 1/4/2021 - 4105 - Supplemental ...
Additional Text: Transaction 8229520 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-04-2021:17:43:42
- 76 1/4/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8229523 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-04-2021:17:44:41
- 77 1/5/2021 - 2520 - Notice of Appearance
Additional Text: ROBERT DOTSON ESQ AND JUSTI VANCE ESQ / RICHARD SCHULZE - Transaction 8231428 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 01-05-2021:15:42:27
- 78 1/5/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8231574 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-05-2021:15:45:11
- 79 1/5/2021 - 4105 - Supplemental ...
Additional Text: Opposition to Petition for Instructions Regarding Allocation and Payment of Federal Estate Taxes Pursuant to NRS 150.290 - 150.390, Inclusive (The Federal Estate Tax Apportionment Law) - Transaction 8231875 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-05-2021:16:38:57
- 80 1/5/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8231881 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-05-2021:16:39:57
- 81 1/7/2021 - \$1560 - \$Def 1st Appearance - CV
Additional Text: ANN RAFAEL-STRAKA
- 82 1/7/2021 - PAYRC - **Payment Receipted
Additional Text: A Payment of -\$208.00 was made on receipt DCDC667969.
- 83 1/7/2021 - FIE - **Document Filed in Error
Additional Text: FILED IN ERROR - LSCURLOCK - 1/7/2021
- 84 1/7/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8236566 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-07-2021:16:46:09

- 85 1/7/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 1/6/2021: Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes pursuant to NRS 150.290-150.390 inclusive. - Transaction 8236729 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-07-2021:20:02:20
- 86 1/7/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8236730 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-07-2021:20:03:20
- 87 1/8/2021 - 2700 - Ord After Hearing...
Additional Text: ORDER AFTER HEARING - Transaction 8237706 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-08-2021:12:41:36
- 88 1/8/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8237709 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-08-2021:12:42:37
- 89 1/20/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8253688 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-20-2021:07:29:44
- 90 1/20/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8253689 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-20-2021:07:30:43
- 91 1/20/2021 - 1815 - Inventory
Additional Text: Transaction 8254883 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-20-2021:12:18:04
- 92 1/20/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8254894 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-20-2021:12:19:08
- 93 1/22/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8260191 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-22-2021:15:29:29
- 94 1/22/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
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- 95 1/22/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8260191 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-22-2021:15:29:29
- 96 1/22/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8260197 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-22-2021:15:30:35
- 97 1/26/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8264138 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-26-2021:16:15:08
- 98 1/26/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8264144 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-26-2021:16:16:09
- 99 1/26/2021 - 2610 - Notice ...
Additional Text: NOTICE OF REJECTION OF CLAIM - Transaction 8264548 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 01-27-2021:08:23:12
- 100 1/27/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8264792 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-27-2021:08:24:13
- 101 1/31/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: FOR ANN RAFAEL-STRAKA - Transaction 8271469 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-31-2021:22:04:10
- 102 1/31/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8271470 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 01-31-2021:22:05:00

- 103 2/1/2021 - 3715 - Proof of Publication
Additional Text: Transaction 8271856 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-01-2021:09:53:27
- 104 2/1/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8271860 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-01-2021:09:54:14
- 105 2/1/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8271888 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-01-2021:10:04:55
- 106 2/1/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8271894 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-01-2021:10:05:46
- 107 2/1/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
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- 108 2/1/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
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- 109 2/1/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
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- 110 2/1/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
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- 111 2/1/2021 - 2577 - Notice of Rejection Cred/Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8272473 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-01-2021:12:09:19
- 112 2/1/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8272478 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-01-2021:12:10:19
- 113 2/3/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: STRIKING THE KEN GROSS EMAIL FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON: DOCUMENT DOES NOT HAVE A DISTRICT COURT CASE NUMBER – WDCR 10(10)(c)(1); DOCUMENT DOES NOT HAVE AN AFFIRMATION – WDCR10(c)(1)
- Transaction 8277334 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-03-2021:13:08:34
- 114 2/3/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: DOCUMENT 1 OF 2. Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for Unpaid Professional Services - Transaction 8277334 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-03-2021:13:08:34
- 115 2/3/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8277339 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-03-2021:13:09:34
- 116 2/3/2021 - 2610 - Notice ...
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- Transaction 8277460 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 02-03-2021:13:42:25
- 117 2/3/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8277465 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-03-2021:13:43:24
- 118 2/3/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: DOCUMENT 2 OF 2. Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for Unpaid Professional Services - Transaction 8277982 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-03-2021:15:35:41
- 119 2/3/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
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- 120 2/4/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for Repayment of Missing Funds - Transaction 8278860 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-04-2021:09:19:15
- 121 2/4/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8278863 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-04-2021:09:20:04
- 122 2/5/2021 - 3645 - Petition ...
Additional Text: PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIM AND PETITION FOR INSTRUCTION TO PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE TO PAY VALID CLAIM - Transaction 8283174 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 02-05-2021:16:56:37
- 123 2/5/2021 - 3645 - Petition ...
Additional Text: FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIM AND PETITION FOR INSTRUCTION TO PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE TO PAY VALID CLAIM - Transaction 8283188 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 02-05-2021:16:59:37
- 124 2/5/2021 - 3505 - Pet Compromise Creditor Claim
Additional Text: PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIM AND PETITION FOR INSTRUCTION TO PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE TO PAY VALID CLAIM - Transaction 8283196 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 02-08-2021:08:21:57
- 125 2/5/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8283189 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-05-2021:16:57:36
- 126 2/5/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8283200 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-05-2021:17:00:36
- 127 2/8/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8283553 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-08-2021:08:22:58
- 128 2/9/2021 - 1768 - General Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8286344 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-09-2021:10:50:55
- 129 2/9/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8286349 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-09-2021:10:51:54
- 130 2/9/2021 - 2550 - Notice of Hearing
Additional Text: Transaction 8287313 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-09-2021:15:09:49
- 131 2/9/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8287319 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-09-2021:15:10:47
- 132 2/20/2021 - 2550 - Notice of Hearing
Additional Text: Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for Unpaid Professional Services (Compensation Claim); Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for Repayment of Missing Funds (Foundation Claim) - Transaction 8304766 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-20-2021:12:47:55
- 133 2/20/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8304767 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-20-2021:12:48:54
- 134 2/23/2021 - 1030 - Affidavit in Support...
Additional Text: AFFIDAVIT OF ROBERT A. DOTSON IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - Transaction 8309377 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 02-24-2021:08:25:02
- 135 2/23/2021 - 1520 - Declaration
Additional Text: DECLARATION OF RICHARD P. SCHULZE IN SUPPORT OF APPLICATION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME - Transaction 8309377 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 02-24-2021:08:25:02
- 136 2/23/2021 - 2075 - Mtn for Extension of Time
Additional Text: MOTION FOR ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE RESPONSES TO ALL PENDING PETITIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIMS - Transaction 8309377 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 02-24-2021:08:25:02

- 137 2/24/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8309698 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-24-2021:08:27:51
- 138 2/24/2021 - 2140 - Mtn Ord Shortening Time
Additional Text: PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE'S EX-PARTE MOTION FOR ORDER SHORTENING TIME WITH RESPECT TO MOTION FOR ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE RESPONSES TO ALL PENDING PETITIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIMS
Transaction 8310586 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-24-2021:11:25:35
- 139 2/24/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8310590 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 02-24-2021:11:26:32
- 140 2/26/2021 - 2645 - Opposition to Mtn ...
Additional Text: JOINT OPPOSITION TO MOTION FOR ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE RESPONSES TO ALL PENDING PETITIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIMS - Transaction 8317107 - Approved By: AZAMORA : 03-01-2021:08:28:58
- 141 3/1/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8317561 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-01-2021:08:30:00
- 142 3/1/2021 - 3860 - Request for Submission
Additional Text: Transaction 8318974 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-01-2021:15:32:08
DOCUMENT TITLE: MOTION FOR ORDER EXTENDING TIME TO FILE RESPONSES TO ALL PENDING PETITIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CREDITOR CLAIMS
PARTY SUBMITTING: JUSTIN VANCE, ESQ.
DATE SUBMITTED: 3/1/21
SUBMITTED BY: NM
DATE RECEIVED JUDGE OFFICE:
- 143 3/1/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8318979 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-01-2021:15:33:09
- 144 3/2/2021 - 1947 - Master Recommend/Ord PC
Additional Text: COMMISSIONERS ORDER SETTING HEARING - Transaction 8320608 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-02-2021:11:47:33
- 145 3/2/2021 - S200 - Request for Submission Complet
Additional Text: COMMISSIONERS ORDER SETTING HEARING FILED 3/2/2021
- 146 3/2/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8320614 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-02-2021:11:48:35
- 147 3/5/2021 - 1947 - Master Recommend/Ord PC
Additional Text: RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER AFTER HEARING - Transaction 8328266 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-05-2021:14:40:53
- 148 3/5/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8328271 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-05-2021:14:41:54
- 149 3/8/2021 - 1639 - **Document Issued by the Court
Additional Text: Transaction 8329462 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-08-2021:10:41:27
- 150 3/8/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8329641 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-08-2021:10:42:26
- 151 3/8/2021 - 4065 - Subpoena Duces Tecum
Additional Text: Transaction 8329651 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-08-2021:10:43:25
- 152 3/8/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8329657 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-08-2021:10:44:25

- 153 3/9/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 3/3/2021: Petition for Determination of Validity of Creditor Claims and Petition for Instruction to Personal Representative to pay Valid Claims (Hawaii Holdings Claim, Severance Claim and Salary Claim - Transaction 8332493 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-09-2021:10:48:46
- 154 3/9/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8332497 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-09-2021:10:49:45
- 155 3/9/2021 - 2610 - Notice ...
Additional Text: NOTICE OF SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM - Transaction 8333351 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-09-2021:15:31:29
- 156 3/9/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8333676 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-09-2021:15:32:48
- 157 3/15/2021 - 2630 - Objection to ...
Additional Text: OBJECTIONS TO SUBPOENA REQUESTS AND MOTION FOR PROTECTIVE ORDER - Transaction 8343722 - Approved By: SACORDAG : 03-16-2021:07:57:28
- 158 3/16/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8343914 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-16-2021:07:58:21
- 159 3/16/2021 - 3870 - Request
Additional Text: DFX: FILER SET EX'S TO LEVEL 5 - REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS - Transaction 8345715 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-16-2021:15:49:00
- 160 3/16/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8345825 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-16-2021:15:50:00
- 161 3/18/2021 - 2610 - Notice ...
Additional Text: NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM - Transaction 8349897 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-18-2021:14:22:53
- 162 3/18/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8349934 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-18-2021:14:23:49
- 163 3/19/2021 - 1639 - **Document Issued by the Court
Additional Text: Transaction 8351020 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-19-2021:09:43:17
- 164 3/19/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8351049 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-19-2021:09:44:15
- 165 3/19/2021 - 4065 - Subpoena Duces Tecum
Additional Text: Transaction 8351055 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-19-2021:09:45:27
- 166 3/19/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8351060 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-19-2021:09:46:26
- 167 3/19/2021 - 2610 - Notice ...
Additional Text: NOTICE OF SUBPOENA DUCES TECUM - Transaction 8351119 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-19-2021:10:00:14
- 168 3/19/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8351149 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-19-2021:10:01:27
- 169 3/25/2021 - 2550 - Notice of Hearing
Additional Text: Transaction 8361685 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-25-2021:15:49:12

- 170 3/25/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8361687 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-25-2021:15:50:03
- 171 3/30/2021 - 1947 - Master Recommend/Ord PC
Additional Text: RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER AFTER HEARING - Transaction 8367902 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-30-2021:11:43:19
- 172 3/30/2021 - 1947 - Master Recommend/Ord PC
Additional Text: RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER AFTER HEARING - Transaction 8367924 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-30-2021:11:45:40
- 173 3/30/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8367910 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-30-2021:11:44:20
- 174 3/30/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8367933 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-30-2021:11:46:40
- 175 3/30/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 3/24/2021: Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for unpaid Professional services (Compensation Claim); Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for repayment of missing funds (Founda - Transaction 8368033 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-30-2021:12:03:19
- 176 3/30/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8368040 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-30-2021:12:04:20
- 177 3/30/2021 - 2520 - Notice of Appearance
Additional Text: Kenneth Gross, Pro se Creditor - Transaction 8368721 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 03-30-2021:15:40:13
- 178 3/30/2021 - \$1560 - \$Def 1st Appearance - CV
Additional Text: KENNETH GROSS - Transaction 8368721 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 03-30-2021:15:40:13
- 179 3/30/2021 - PAYRC - **Payment Receipted
Additional Text: A Payment of \$208.00 was made on receipt DCDC671802.
- 180 3/30/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8368856 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-30-2021:15:41:26
- 181 3/30/2021 - 2650 - Opposition to ...
Additional Text: OPPOSITION TO REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS - Transaction 8369209 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-31-2021:08:10:39
- 182 3/30/2021 - 2650 - Opposition to ...
Additional Text: OPPOSITION TO REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEY'S FEES AND COSTS AND JOINDER TO KENNETH GROSS'S OPPOSITION - Transaction 8369211 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-31-2021:08:12:17
- 183 3/31/2021 - 2520 - Notice of Appearance
Additional Text: LAUGHTON FOUNDATION - Transaction 8369419 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-31-2021:08:28:45
- 184 3/31/2021 - \$1560 - \$Def 1st Appearance - CV
Additional Text: LAUGHTON FOUNDATION - Transaction 8369419 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 03-31-2021:08:28:45
- 185 3/31/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8369457 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-31-2021:08:11:39
- 186 3/31/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8369459 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-31-2021:08:13:18

- 187 3/31/2021 - PAYRC - **Payment Receipted
Additional Text: A Payment of \$208.00 was made on receipt DCDC671811.
- 188 3/31/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8369493 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-31-2021:08:29:39
- 189 3/31/2021 - 1040P - Affidavit of Mailing - PR
Additional Text: Transaction 8371288 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-31-2021:15:59:59
- 190 3/31/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8371305 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 03-31-2021:16:01:19
- 191 4/2/2021 - 2520 - Notice of Appearance
Additional Text: SCOT L. SHIRLEY ESQ / ANN RAFAEL STRAKA - Transaction 8374905 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-02-2021:11:43:25
- 192 4/2/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8374929 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-02-2021:11:44:15
- 193 4/2/2021 - 3880 - Response...
Additional Text: PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIMS FILED BY ANN RAFAEL-STRAKA - Transaction 8375872 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-02-2021:15:56:55
- 194 4/2/2021 - 3880 - Response...
Additional Text: PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIM FILED BY CL MGT CORP AND HAWAII HOLDINGS - Transaction 8375872 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-02-2021:15:56:55
- 195 4/2/2021 - 1030 - Affidavit in Support...
Additional Text: AFFIDAVIT OF RICHARD P. SCHULZE IN SUPPORT OF PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITIONS FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIMS FILED BY ANN RAFAEL-STRAKA - Transaction 8375872 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-02-2021:15:56:55
- 196 4/2/2021 - 1030 - Affidavit in Support...
Additional Text: AFFIDAVIT OF RICHARD P. SCHULZE IN SUPPORT OF PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIM FILED BY CL MGT CORP AND HAWAII HOLDINGS - Transaction 8375872 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-02-2021:15:56:55
- 197 4/2/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8375984 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-02-2021:15:58:00
- 198 4/5/2021 - 2690 - Ord Affirming Master Recommend
Additional Text: CONFIRMING ORDER - Transaction 8377628 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-05-2021:12:57:44
- 199 4/5/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8377633 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-05-2021:12:58:43
- 200 4/6/2021 - 1520 - Declaration
Additional Text: Transaction 8380832 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-06-2021:14:40:51
- 201 4/6/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8380840 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-06-2021:14:41:53
- 202 4/7/2021 - 2610 - Notice ...
Additional Text: NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL OF ATTORNEY - JOSEPH POWELL ESQ - Transaction 8382271 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 04-07-2021:10:35:58
- 203 4/7/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8382279 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-07-2021:10:36:56

- 204 4/13/2021 - 4105 - Supplemental ...
Additional Text: SUPPLEMENT TO REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEYS FEES AND COSTS Transaction 8391908 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-13-2021:11:02:47
- 205 4/13/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8391918 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-13-2021:11:03:54
- 206 4/13/2021 - 3880 - Response...
Additional Text: RESPONSE TO OPPOSITION TO REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS - Transaction 8392102 - Approved By: SACORDAG : 04-13-2021:11:49:52
- 207 4/13/2021 - 1030 - Affidavit in Support...
Additional Text: AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF RESPONSE TO OPPOSITION TO REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS - Transaction 8392102 - Approved By: SACORDAG : 04-13-2021:11:49:52
- 208 4/13/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8392122 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-13-2021:11:51:02
- 209 4/14/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 4/13/2021: Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes pursuant to NRS 150.290-150.390 inclusive. - Transaction 8393874 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-14-2021:09:42:05
- 210 4/14/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8393882 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-14-2021:09:43:04
- 211 4/16/2021 - 3870 - Request
Additional Text: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RETAIN COUNSEL - Transaction 8398224 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-16-2021:08:22:28
- 212 4/16/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8398303 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-16-2021:08:23:30
- 213 4/16/2021 - 3880 - Response...
Additional Text: PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIM FILED BY KENNETH GROSS - Transaction 8399993 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 04-19-2021:09:19:54
- 214 4/16/2021 - 1030 - Affidavit in Support...
Additional Text: AFFIDAVIT OF RICHARD P. SCHULZE IN SIWPORT OF PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIM FILED BV KENNETH GROSS - Transaction 8399993 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 04-19-2021:09:19:54
- 215 4/19/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8400453 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-19-2021:09:20:55
- 216 4/19/2021 - 1495 - Creditor's Claim
Additional Text: Transaction 8401811 - Approved By: NMASON : 04-19-2021:14:23:52
- 217 4/19/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8401848 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-19-2021:14:24:51
- 218 4/20/2021 - 2690 - Ord Affirming Master Recommend
Additional Text: CONFIRMING ORDER - Transaction 8403488 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-20-2021:11:36:59
- 219 4/20/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8403493 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-20-2021:11:38:01
- 220 4/22/2021 - 3030 - Ord Granting Extension Time
Additional Text: Transaction 8408512 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-22-2021:15:02:28

- 221 4/22/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8408514 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-22-2021:15:03:18
- 222 4/26/2021 - 2520 - Notice of Appearance
Additional Text: RICHARD HILL ESQ / THE LAUGHTON FOUNDATION - Transaction 8411713 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-26-2021:10:40:45
- 223 4/26/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8411786 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-26-2021:10:41:45
- 224 4/26/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 4/21/2021: Request for Interim Attorney's fees and costs . - Transaction 8413665 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-26-2021:18:57:33
- 225 4/26/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8413666 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-26-2021:18:58:32
- 226 4/30/2021 - 3880 - Response...
Additional Text: PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIM FOR PAYMENT OF MISSING FUDS BY LAUGHTON FOUNDATION - Transaction 8423112 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-30-2021:16:30:35
- 227 4/30/2021 - 1030 - Affidavit in Support...
Additional Text: AFFIDAVIT OF RICHARD P. SCHULZE IN SUPPORT OF PRELIMINARY RESPONSE AND OPPOSITION TO PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF VALIDITY OF CLAIM FILED BY THE LAUGHTON FOUNDATION - Transaction 8423112 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 04-30-2021:16:30:35
- 228 4/30/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8423128 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 04-30-2021:16:32:44
- 229 5/10/2021 - 2490 - Motion ...
Additional Text: MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 ET SEQ. - Transaction 8437331 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 05-11-2021:08:27:07
- 230 5/11/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8437551 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-11-2021:08:28:17
- 231 5/11/2021 - 1835 - Joint Case Conference Report
Additional Text: Transaction 8439545 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-11-2021:16:23:25
- 232 5/11/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8439552 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-11-2021:16:24:25
- 233 5/17/2021 - 3370 - Order ...
Additional Text: ORDER GRANTING IN PART AND DENYING IN PART REQUEST FOR INTERIM ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS - Transaction 8449235 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-17-2021:17:00:13
- 234 5/17/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8449245 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-17-2021:17:01:15
- 235 5/19/2021 - 1830 - Joinder...
Additional Text: JOINDER - Transaction 8452508 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 05-19-2021:10:43:11
- 236 5/19/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8452606 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-19-2021:10:44:20
- 237 5/19/2021 - 1947 - Master Recommend/Ord PC
Additional Text: Transaction 8452931 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-19-2021:11:55:02

- 238 5/19/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8452934 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-19-2021:11:56:02
- 239 5/24/2021 - 2645 - Opposition to Mtn ...
Additional Text: OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 ET SEQ. AND ALTERNATIVELY MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND - Transaction 8461509 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 05-25-2021:08:09:10
- 240 5/24/2021 - 1520 - Declaration
Additional Text: DECLARATION OF RICHARD SCHULZE IN SUPPORT OF OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 ET SEQ. AND ALTERNATIVELY MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND - Transaction 8461509 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 05-25-2021:08:09:10
- 241 5/25/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8461699 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-25-2021:08:11:34
- 242 5/25/2021 - 1650 - Errata...
Additional Text: ERRATA TO DECLARATION OF RICHARD SCHULZE IN SUPPORT OF OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 ET SEQ. AND ALTERNATIVELY MOTION FOR LEAVE TO AMEND - Transaction 8462507 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 05-25-2021:12:00:24
- 243 5/25/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8462516 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-25-2021:12:01:26
- 244 5/28/2021 - 1520 - Declaration
Additional Text: OF RICHARD G. HILL, ESQ. - Transaction 8469146 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-28-2021:11:04:57
- 245 5/28/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8469151 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 05-28-2021:11:05:58
- 246 6/1/2021 - 3795 - Reply...
Additional Text: REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 et seq. - Transaction 8472972 - Approved By: CSULEZIC : 06-01-2021:16:49:18
- 247 6/1/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8473132 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-01-2021:16:51:09
- 248 6/2/2021 - 3860 - Request for Submission
Additional Text: of Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction under NRS 136.010 et Seq. - Transaction 8474528 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-02-2021:11:48:14
DOCUMENT TITLE: MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 ET SEQ
PARTY SUBMITTING: RUSSEL GEIST ESQ
DATE SUBMITTED: 6-2-21
SUBMITTED BY: YV
DATE RECEIVED JUDGE OFFICE:
- 249 6/2/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8474531 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-02-2021:11:49:00
- 250 6/22/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 5/13/2021: Pre-trial Conference. - Transaction 8508143 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-22-2021:17:04:00
- 251 6/22/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8508144 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-22-2021:17:04:50
- 252 6/24/2021 - 1947 - Master Recommend/Ord PC
Additional Text: RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION - Transaction 8510731 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-24-2021:09:01:21

- 253 6/24/2021 - S200 - Request for Submission Complet
Additional Text: RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION FILED 6/24/21
- 254 6/24/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8510736 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-24-2021:09:02:17
- 255 6/24/2021 - 2700 - Ord After Hearing...
Additional Text: CONFIRMING ORDER OF RECOMMENDATION OF PROBATE COMMISSIONER RECOMMEDATION OF MAY 19, 2021 - Transaction 8510778 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-24-2021:09:15:28
- 256 6/24/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8510780 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-24-2021:09:16:27
- 257 6/24/2021 - 1105 - Amended Ord and/or Judgment
Additional Text: AMENDED ORDER TERMINATING SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION AND REVOKING LETTERS OF SPECIAL ADMINISTRATION; ADMITTING WILL TO PROBATE; ISSUANCE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND FOR GENERAL ADMINISTRATION - Transaction 8512468 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-24-2021:15:51:55
- 258 6/24/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8512471 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 06-24-2021:15:52:54
- 259 7/7/2021 - 3870 - Request
Additional Text: REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW OF RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION PURSUANT TO NRCP 53(f)(1) AND WDCR 57.3(7) - Transaction 8531968 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 07-07-2021:16:35:04
- 260 7/7/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8532005 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 07-07-2021:16:35:54
- 261 7/13/2021 - 3550 - Petition for Judicial Review
Additional Text: REQUEST FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW OF RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION PURSUANT TO NRCP 53(F)(I) AND WDCR 57.3(7) OR, IN THE ALTERNATIVE, MOTION TO STRIKE - Transaction 8540480 - Approved By: SCOLABIA : 07-13-2021:12:36:22
- 262 7/13/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8540568 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 07-13-2021:12:37:21
- 263 7/27/2021 - 3795 - Reply...
Additional Text: Reply in Support of Request for Judicial Review of Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion Pursuant to NRCP 53(f)(1) and WDCR 57.3(7) - Transaction 8564475 - Approved By: SCOLABIA : 07-27-2021:15:27:35
- 264 7/27/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8564508 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 07-27-2021:15:28:48
- 265 7/29/2021 - 3347 - Ord to Set
Additional Text: ORDER TO SET ORAL ARGUMENT - Transaction 8568298 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 07-29-2021:11:00:59
- 266 7/29/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8568314 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 07-29-2021:11:03:31
- 267 8/2/2021 - 1250E - Application for Setting eFile
Additional Text: FOR ORAL ARGUMENT ON JUDICIAL REVIEW SET FOR AUGUST 16, 2021, AT 1:30 P.M. - Transaction 8572042 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-02-2021:08:35:56
- 268 8/2/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8572047 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-02-2021:08:37:32
- 269 8/6/2021 - 3870 - Request
Additional Text: DFX: INCORRECT DEPARTMENT ON DOCUMENT - REQUEST TO APPEAR TELEPHONICALLY - Transaction 8583076 - Approved By: SCOLABIA : 08-06-2021:14:19:01

- 270 8/6/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8583109 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-06-2021:14:20:17
- 271 8/9/2021 - 2840 - Ord Denying ...
Additional Text: ORDER DENYING REQUEST TO APPAR TELEPHONICALLY - Transaction 8585635 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-09-2021:14:27:12
- 272 8/9/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8585641 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-09-2021:14:28:10
- 273 8/13/2021 - 4050 - Stipulation ...
Additional Text: for Telephonic Appearance by Out of County Counsel at Hearing - Transaction 8594059 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:09:33:17
- 274 8/13/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8594063 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:09:34:15
- 275 8/13/2021 - 3860 - Request for Submission
Additional Text: of Stipulation for Telephonic Appearance by Out of County Counsel at Hearing - Transaction 8594162 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:09:54:28
DOCUMENT TITLE: STIPULATION FOR TELEPHONIC APPEARANCE BY OUT-OF-COUNTY COUNSEL AT HEARING
PARTY SUBMITTING: RUSSEL GEIST, ESQ.
DATE SUBMITTED: 8/13/21
SUBMITTED BY: NM
DATE RECEIVED JUDGE OFFICE:
- 276 8/13/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8594172 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:09:55:29
- 277 8/13/2021 - 4105 - Supplemental ...
Additional Text: RICHARD SCHULZE'S SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF REGARDING MOTION TO REVOKE LETTERS TESTAMENTARY AND TO REVOKE PROBATE FOR LACK OF JURISDICTION UNDER NRS 136.010 ET SEQ. - Transaction 8594458 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:11:05:47
- 278 8/13/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8594468 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:11:06:48
- 279 8/13/2021 - 4105 - Supplemental ...
Additional Text: Brief to Request for Judicial Review of Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion Pursuant to Nrcp 53(f)(1) and Wdcr 57.3(7) - Transaction 8594499 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:11:12:59
- 280 8/13/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8594502 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-13-2021:11:13:58
- 281 8/16/2021 - S200 - Request for Submission Complet
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- 282 8/16/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 8/16/2021 - ORAL ARGUMENTS - Transaction 8598279 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-16-2021:19:24:12
- 283 8/16/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8598280 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-16-2021:19:25:02
- 284 8/26/2021 - 2700 - Ord After Hearing...
Additional Text: ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION - Transaction 8616414 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-26-2021:13:44:34
- 285 8/26/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8616417 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 08-26-2021:13:45:32

- 286 9/1/2021 - 4185 - Transcript
Additional Text: 8/16/21 - Oral Arguments - Transaction 8624587 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-01-2021:08:25:16
- 287 9/1/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8624594 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-01-2021:08:26:16
- 288 9/21/2021 - 2490 - Motion ...
Additional Text: MOTION TO AMEND ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION (NRCP 59(e)) - Transaction 8657941 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 09-21-2021:15:18:02
- 289 9/21/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8658218 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-21-2021:15:19:01
- 290 9/30/2021 - MIN - ***Minutes
Additional Text: 9/30/2021: Status Hearing. - Transaction 8676081 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-30-2021:16:44:52
- 291 9/30/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8676090 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 09-30-2021:16:46:40
- 292 9/30/2021 - P200 - Tickle Stop Code
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- 293 9/30/2021 - P200 - Tickle Stop Code
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- 294 9/30/2021 - P200 - Tickle Stop Code
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- 295 10/5/2021 - 2645 - Opposition to Mtn ...
Additional Text: OPPOSITION TO MOTION TO AMEND ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION (NRCP 59(e)) - Transaction 8681763 - Approved By: YVILORIA : 10-05-2021:13:33:22
- 296 10/5/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8681909 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-05-2021:13:34:36
- 297 10/12/2021 - 3795 - Reply...
Additional Text: REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO AMEND ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION (NRCP 59(e)) - Transaction 8693047 - Approved By: SACORDAG : 10-12-2021:12:54:18
- 298 10/12/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8693055 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-12-2021:12:55:05
- 299 10/26/2021 - 3860 - Request for Submission
Additional Text: REQUEST FOR SUBMISSION OF MOTION TO AMEND ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION (NRCP 59(e)) Transaction 8716387 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-26-2021:10:38:32
DOCUMENT TITLE: MOTION TO AMEND ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION (NRCP 59(E))
PARTY SUBMITTING: RUSSEL GEIST ESQ
DATE SUBMITTED: 10-26-21
SUBMITTED BY: YV
DATE RECEIVED JUDGE OFFICE:
- 300 10/26/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8716395 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 10-26-2021:10:39:48
- 301 11/2/2021 - 4050 - Stipulation ...
Additional Text: STIPULATION TO VACATE STATUS HEARING Transaction 8727819 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-02-2021:14:52:04

- 302 11/2/2021 - 3860 - Request for Submission
Additional Text: Transaction 8727819 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-02-2021:14:52:04
DOCUMENT TITLE: STIPULATION TO VACATE STATUS HEARING
PARTY SUBMITTING: ROBERT DOTSON ESQ
DATE SUBMITTED: 11/02/2021
SUBMITTED BY: CS
DATE RECEIVED JUDGE OFFICE:
- 303 11/2/2021 - NEF - Proof of Electronic Service
Additional Text: Transaction 8727843 - Approved By: NOREVIEW : 11-02-2021:14:56:00
- 304 11/2/2021 - S200 - Request for Submission Complet
Additional Text: HEARING HAS BEEN VACATED PER STIPULATION AND PC APPROVAL WITHOUT AN ORDER BEING FILED. ATTORNEYS HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED VIA EMAIL.
- 305 11/3/2021 - 2490 - Motion ...
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13 **IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA**

14 **IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE**

15 IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE

Case No.: PR20-00415

16 OF

Dept. No.: PR

17 CLIFFORD LAUGHTON,

18 Deceased.

19 **ORDER UPHOLDING COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION**
20 **FOR ORDER TO SET EVIDENTIARY HEARING ON MOTION**

21 On May 10, 2021, Ann Rafael-Straka ("Straka"), filed a *Motion to Revoke Letters*
22 *Testamentary and to Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction Under NRS 136.010 et seq.* (the
23 "Motion"). On May 19, 2021, Richard Hill, purportedly on behalf of The Laughton Foundation,
24 filed a *Joinder* to the Motion. On May 24, 2021, Richard P. Schulze III, the Personal Representative
25 for the Estate, filed an *Opposition to Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to Revoke Probate*
26 *for Lack of Jurisdiction Under NRS 136.010 et seq. and Alternatively Motion for Leave to Amend,*
27 and on May 25, 2021, filed an *Errata to Declaration of Richard Schulze In Support of Opposition to*
28 *Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction Under NRS*
136.010 et seq. and Alternatively Motion for Leave to Amend, providing the Court with the *Affidavit*
of Richard Schulze In Support of Opposition to Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to
Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction Under NRS 136.010 et seq. and Alternatively Motion for
Leave to Amend. On May 28, 2021, Richard Hill filed a *Declaration of Richard G. Hill, Esq.* On

1 June 1, 2021, Straka filed a *Reply in Support of Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to*
2 *Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction Under NRS 136.010 et seq.*

3 On June 24, 2021, the Probate Commissioner entered a *Recommendation for Order to Set*
4 *Evidentiary Hearing on Motion* ("Recommendation").¹ On July 7, 2021, Straka filed a *Request for*
5 *Judicial Review of Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion Pursuant to*
6 *NRCP 53(f)(1) and WDCR 57.3(7)* (the "Request for Judicial Review"). On July 13, 2021, the
7 Personal Representative filed an *Objection/Opposition to Request for Judicial Review of*
8 *Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion Pursuant to NRCP 53(f)(1) and*
9 *WDCR 57.3(7), or in the Alternative, Motion to Strike*. On July 27, 2021, Straka filed a *Reply in*
10 *Support of Request for Judicial Review of Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on*
11 *Motion Pursuant to NRCP 53(f)(1) and WDCR 57.3(7)*. On July 29, 2021, this Court entered an
12 *Order to Set Oral Argument*, which was set for August 16, 2021 and allowed supplemental briefing.
13 On August 13, 2021, the Personal Representative filed *Richard Schulze's Supplemental Brief*
14 *Regarding Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction*
15 *Under NRS 136.010 et seq.* On August 13, 2021, Straka filed a *Supplemental Brief to Request for*
16 *Judicial Review of Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion Pursuant to*
17 *NRCP 53(f)(1) and WDCR 57.3(7)*.

18 The matter was set for a duly noticed hearing on August 16, 2021. At the hearing, Richard P
19 Schulze III appeared along with his counsel Robert A Dotson of Dotson Law. Ann Rafael-Straka
20 appeared, via telephone, through her counsel Russel J. Geist of the law firm of Hutchison and
21 Steffen, PLLC. Interested person Kenneth Gross, appearing in proper person, was present on the
22 phone with Attorney Geist. Counsel Richard Hill was present on behalf of interested party the
23 Laughton Foundation.² The Court heard argument in support of the Motion and in particular the
24 issues raised in the Request for Judicial Review.

25 After review of the pleadings on file and the arguments presented,
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27 ¹ Such a determination is as authorized by WCDR 57.3(3).

28 ² Counsel for the Personal Representative noted for the record the previously briefed question of the authority to retain Hill.

1 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Probate Commissioner's Recommendation is upheld.
2 Consequently, pursuant to WDCR 57.3, an evidentiary hearing on the Motion shall proceed before
3 Probate Commissioner Gorman.

4 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties are directed to set a hearing within 10 days of
5 the entry of this Order before the Probate Commissioner to determine pre-evidentiary hearing
6 disclosure and discovery guidelines and to determine when the evidentiary hearing shall occur.

7 Dated this 26th day of August, 2021.

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
CLIFFORD LAUGHTON,

CASE NO.: PR20-00415

DEPT. NO.: 15

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ORDER DENYING MOTION TO AMEND

Before this Court is Ann Rafael-Straka's opposed Motion to Amend Order Upholding Commissioner's Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion (NRCp 59(e)). This Court has reviewed the record, moving papers, and relevant authorities, and concludes as follows:

On June 24, 2021, the Probate Commissioner entered a recommendation for an evidentiary hearing on Ms. Rafael-Straka's Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction Under NRS 136.010, citing two specific issues:

(i) Whether Ms. Rafael-Straka should not be estopped from contesting this Court's previous finding of jurisdiction under NRS 136.010(1)(b) because of the "unclean hands of the Personal Representative, and if she should not be so estopped, (ii) whether this Court should exercise its discretion to revisit the issue of jurisdiction even though it is "law of the case."

Ms. Rafael-Straka filed an opposed request for judicial review of the recommendation, including an argument that this Court should revoke letters testamentary because it has no subject matter jurisdiction. After supplemental briefings

1 and oral arguments on Ms. Rafael-Straka's request, this Court upheld the Commissioner's
2 recommendation through oral pronouncements during the August 16, 2021, hearing and
3 an order filed August 26, 2021.¹

4 The current motion argues the recommendation misinterprets the law, and that this
5 Court must adopt the recommendation's finding that there may not be subject matter
6 jurisdiction to dismiss the recommendation's finding an evidentiary hearing is necessary.
7 This is similar to Ms. Rafael-Straka's position from previous briefings and oral argument
8 that this Court has no subject matter jurisdiction and must revoke the letters testamentary
9 and dismiss this matter without the forthcoming evidentiary hearing. The motion
10 alternatively argues that, if this Court finds an evidentiary hearing is necessary, it should
11 limit the scope of the hearing to estoppel under Vaile v. Eighth Judicial Dist. Court, 118
12 Nev. 262, 44 P.3d 506 (2002).

13 This Court adopts its oral pronouncements from the August 16, 2021, hearing and
14 its subsequent order. This Court also notes it makes no ruling as to Ms. Rafael-Straka's
15 subject matter jurisdiction position. As this Court previously stated, Ms. Rafael-Straka's
16 position may ultimately prevail after evidentiary hearing. However, the issues the
17 Commissioner identified arising from Ms. Rafael-Straka's motion to revoke for lack of
18 jurisdiction require an evidentiary hearing. These issues are not limited to the estoppel
19 question. The original motion to revoke letters testamentary remains before the Probate
20 Commissioner and this Court will not limit the scope of the hearing beyond his
21 recommendation. The Commissioner may adjust the scope of the hearing as appropriate.

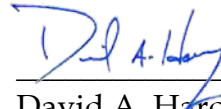
22 Accordingly, and good cause appearing, the motion is denied. This matter will
23 proceed according to the scheduling order.

24 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

25 ¹ After oral arguments on subject matter jurisdiction at the August 16, 2021, hearing, this Court recited
26 language from Ms. Rafael-Straka's motion to revoke and concluded the language, "if true, will require
27 action; and which, if untrue, demands proof. And that concern articulated by Commissioner Gorman is
28 embedded in the estoppel argument of unclean hands. Commissioner Gorman also mentions that for such a
significant issue, moving paper exhibits are less than adequate; instead, there should be directly admissible
evidence, complete evidence, not excerpts, and further explanations. I cannot find that the evidentiary
hearing is inappropriate, as a matter of summary adjudication." Transcript of Proceedings, Oral Arguments
at 29:25-30:7 (August 16, 2021).

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Dated this 14th day of December, 2021.



David A. Hardy
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CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

10/14/2020

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

RECORDED – JAVS

HEARING:

10/14/2020: Report of Special Administration; request to terminate Special Administration and revocation of Letters of Special Administration; Petition for admission of Will to Probate; issuance of Letters Testamentary; and for General Administration of Estate.

APPEARANCES:

No parties present.

Court announced the matter.

Court inquired if there were any persons present who objected to the Petition.

No response/objections stated.

The Commissioner recommended APPROVAL of and GRANTING the Report of Special Administration; request to terminate Special Administration and revocation of Letters of Special Administration; Petition for admission of Will to Probate; issuance of Letters Testamentary; and for General Administration of Estate

Richard Schulze appointed to serve as Personal Representative without bond.

CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

12/2/2020

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

L. Shaw (Court Reporter)

HEARING:

12/2/2020: Request for Fees and Costs of Special Administration.

APPEARANCES:

Richard Schultze, III, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of himself as Personal Representative.

Interested Persons Ann Rafael-Straka and Kenneth Gross were present telephonically via Zoom.

Court announced the matter, reviewed case history and noted the objection filed into the case by the Interested persons.

Court questioned Counsel Schultze regarding how his fees had been billed.

Counsel Schultze responded.

Court noted that it has not found any errors in the calculations of the fees.

Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka addressed the Court to argue on behalf of the *Objection to the Request for Fees and Costs of Special Administration* (filed December 1, 2020).

Court explained that the request for fees is premature; an Inventory and list of creditors needs to be filed; once the Inventory is filed and the creditor period has run, the petition for fees can be re-submitted.

COURT DENIED, without prejudice, the Request for Fees and Costs of Special Administration.

CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

1/6/2021

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

L. Shaw (Court Reporter)

HEARING:

1/6/2021: Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes pursuant to NRS 150.290-150.390 inclusive.

APPEARANCES:

Robert Dotson, Esq. and Richard Schulze, III, Esq. were present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of Richard Schultze as Personal Representative.

Russel Geist, Esq. and Kenneth Gross, Esq. were present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka, who was also present telephonically via Zoom.

Court announced the matter, reviewed case history and noted that a Supplement to *Opposition to Petition for Instructions Regarding Allocation and Payment of Federal Estate Taxes* was filed on January 5, 2021 and the Court would like more time to review the pleadings.

Court questioned Counsel Schulze regarding the Supplement that was filed to the *Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes* (filed January 4, 2021).

Counsel Schulze addressed the Court to advise that he has had great difficulty in determining the value of the assets and gathering financial records; he is seeking guidance regarding if taxes are due, will they be allocated according to Nevada law, as he wants all parties to be able to prepare the needed liquidity. Counsel Schulze further advised the Court that he is concerned with the looming tax deadline.

Court explained that there has been no objection to applying Nevada law and the Court has every intention of doing so.

Counsel Dotson addressed the Court to advise that the Petition as crafted is very narrow and formal discovery is needed.

Counsel Geist addressed the Court to argue in support of the Objection; the Petition is premature, Counsel Schulze needs to determine whether there will be an estate tax, the amount of the tax and the apportionment.

Court explained that Counsel Schulze has not yet met his burden to show that there is a Federal Estate tax liability; more discovery is needed to determine equity; the parties should meet and confer and begin exchanging discovery immediately.

COURT ORDERED: Hearing is continued to April 13, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. for the Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes pursuant to NRS 150.290-150.390 inclusive.

CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

3/3/2021

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

RECORDED - JAVS

HEARING:

3/3/2021: Petition for Determination of Validity of Creditor Claims and Petition for Instruction to Personal Representative to pay Valid Claims (Hawaii Holdings Claim, Severance Claim and Salary Claim).

APPEARANCES:

Robert Dotson, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of as Personal Representative Richard Schultze, who was present telephonically via Zoom.

Russel Geist, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka, who was also present telephonically via Zoom.

Kenneth Gross, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of himself as a Claimant and the Laughton Foundation.

Court announced the matter and questioned Counsel Dotson regarding the claims that have been filed.

Counsel Dotson addressed the Court to advise that there are three claims filed by Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka and two claims filed by Counsel Gross that are set to be heard March 24, 2021.

Court further reviewed case history noting the *Motion for Order Extending Time to File Responses to All Pending Petitions for Determination of Validity of Creditor Claims* (filed February 23, 2021) filed by Counsel for the Personal Representative; and the *Opposition* (filed February 26, 2021) by Counsel Geist.

Court explained that discovery is to begin by respective counsel; Counsel Dotson must have more information before a response can be filed to the petitions; Court further encouraged the parties to meet and confer as needed.

Counsel Geist addressed the Court to argue in support of the Opposition and requested that Court define the scope of discovery to be conducted.

Counsel Dotson addressed the Court to advise that he needs more information before a response can be filed; many of the records are still in Hawaii, the CPA has declined to meet with the Personal Representative and a subpoena for records will be required; a meet and confer between the parties would be helpful.

Counsel Gross addressed the Court to seek guidance regarding the scope of discovery; he has tried to meet and confer with opposing counsel and has been repeatedly rebuffed.

Court explained that, going forward, the scope of discovery is to be determined among the parties when they meet and confer.

COURT ORDERED: Personal Representative shall file a response or opposition to each of the Claim Petitions (the Straka claims only) on or before April 2, 2021.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Matter is continued to May 13, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. for a Pretrial Conference (Zoom Video - Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579/Passcode: 790431).

CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

3/24/2021

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Court Clerk)

B. Smith (Court Reporter)

HEARING:

3/24/2021: Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for unpaid Professional services (Compensation Claim); Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for repayment of missing funds (Foundation Claim).

APPEARANCES:

Kenneth Gross, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of himself as a Claimant and the Laughton Foundation.

Robert Dotson, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of as Personal Representative Richard Schultze, who was present telephonically via Zoom.

Court announced the matter, reviewed case history and explained that there are two Petitions being heard today; Court further explained that time will be allowed for the parties to conduct discovery and the matters will be set for continued hearings.

Court further explained that regarding the Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for repayment of missing funds (Foundation Claim), Counsel Gross must hire Nevada counsel.

COURT ORDERED: Counsel Dotson is to file a response to the *Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for unpaid Professional services (Compensation Claim)* (filed February 4, 2021) on or before April 16, 2021.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Counsel Dotson is to file a response to the *Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for repayment of missing funds (Foundation Claim)* (filed February 3, 2021) on or before April 30, 2021.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Hearing is continued to June 10, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. for a Pre-trial Conference regarding the Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for unpaid Professional services (Compensation Claim); Petition for Determination of Validity of Claim for repayment of missing funds (Foundation Claim).

CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

4/13/2021

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

L. Shaw (Court Reporter)

HEARING:

4/13/2021: Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes pursuant to NRS 150.290-150.390 inclusive.

APPEARANCES:

Robert Dotson, Esq. and Richard Schulze, III, Esq. were present via Zoom video on behalf of Richard Schultze as Personal Representative.

Joseph Powell, Esq. was present via Zoom video on behalf of Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka, who was not present.

Kenneth Gross, Esq. was present via Zoom video acting in pro se.

Court announced the matter and questioned Counsel Gross regarding whether he had filed an objection in this case; Court noted that it does not recognize an objection for this Petition.

Court further reviewed case history and noted that at the January 6, 2021 hearing, it had been determined that further discovery and an amending of the Petition were necessary to proceed. Court questioned Counsel Dotson regarding any updates in the matter.

Counsel Dotson addressed the Court to advise that an *Inventory and Record of Appraisal* was filed January 20, 2021; further discovery has been conducted; responses have been received from Counsel Gross and Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka and attempts to schedule a meet and confer are on-going. Counsel Dotson further advised that valuation information has been sought from third parties; he believes the valuation of the assets will increase, which will require either an amended petition or a new petition to be filed.

Court explained that actual appraisements of the assets are needed; in addition, an inventory of the Nevada assets is required.

Counsel Powell addressed the Court to advise that appraisals are needed for the valuation of the federal Estate and to satisfy the IRS. Counsel Powell further expressed his frustration regarding the inability of the parties to have scheduled a meet and confer in the last three months; the issues in the matter could be addressed much more efficiently if respective counsel could work together; the Petition should be dismissed.

Court explained that assessing the assets in this matter will take a certain amount of time; the matter cannot be adjudicated until reliable third-party valuations are submitted; the Court will allow an amendment to the Petition rather than a dismissal.

COURT ORDERED: Hearing is continued to July 29, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. for a Status Hearing regarding the Petition for Instructions regarding allocation and payment of federal taxes pursuant to NRS 150.290-150.390 inclusive.

CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

4/21/2021

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

RECORDED - JAVS

HEARING:

4/21/2021: Request for Interim Attorney's fees and costs.

APPEARANCES:

Robert Dotson, Esq. and Richard Schulze, III, Esq. were present via Zoom video on behalf of Richard Schultze as Personal Representative.

Russel Geist, Esq. was present via Zoom video on behalf of Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka, who was not present.

Interested Person Kenneth Gross, was present via Zoom video acting in pro se.

Court announced the matter and noted the *Opposition to Request for Interim Attorney's fees and Costs* filed by Kenneth Gross on March 30, 2021 and an *Objection to Request for Interim Attorney's fees and Costs and Joinder to Kenneth Gross's Opposition* filed by Ann Rafael-Straka on March 31, 2021.

Interested Person Kenneth Gross addressed the Court to argue on behalf of his Opposition. Counsel Schulze addressed the Court to object on the grounds that Kenneth Gross has no standing to object to fees as a creditor, under NRS 150.056(11). Interested Person Kenneth Gross responded.

COURT OVERRULED the Kenneth Gross's objection; Interested Person Kenneth Gross is neither an heir nor a devisee; however, in its discretion the Court will allow Mr. Gross to address the Court to provide relevant information. Ann Rafael-Straka, as a co-trustee of the Decedent's trust, the beneficiary of his will, does not lack standing.

Interested Person Kenneth Gross addressed the Court to make a statement on his own behalf. Court, Counsel Geist and Kenneth Gross further discussed the issue of subject matter jurisdiction in this matter; Court explained that this subject is not pertinent to the Request for Attorney's fees; the parties are free to file pleadings related to subject matter jurisdiction that can be heard at another time.

Counsel Geist addressed the Court to argue in support of the Opposition of Ann Rafael-Straka, arguing Counsel Schulze should not be serving in the capacity as an Attorney and as Personal Representative in this matter and there has been a lack of progress in the Estate regarding the valuation of the assets. Court questioned Counsel Schulze regarding his status in the case as counsel, as he has now retained Counsel Dotson to represent him.

Counsel Schulze responded that Counsel Dotson is handling the litigated matters and assisting with Discovery and related matters; but he is still acting as counsel as well as Personal Representative.

Court explained that in order to act in both roles, Counsel Schulze must have the consent of the Court under WDCR 23, and the Court does not so consent; it recognizes that Counsel Schulze acted as Counsel and Personal Representative only through the Special Administration; Upon retaining Mr. Dotson, Mr. Schulze may not appear except through that counsel. On this basis, Court further explained that the amounts sought in the *Request for fees and costs of Special Administration* (filed November 9, 2020) will be approved today, but not attorney fees for Mr. Schulze incurred after Mr. Dotson was retained; a further petition for request of Personal Representative's fees, including fees for extraordinary services, may be filed into the case and will be considered by the Court.

Court further explained that the Petition for interim attorney fees can be renewed by Counsel Dotson but will require a distinction between ordinary fees vs. extraordinary fees and the requests should be analyzed according to NRS 150.060(8)(b) and the Brunzell factors, See *Brunzell v. Golden Gate National Bank*, 85 Nev. 345 (1969).

COURT ORDERED: Request for Interim Attorney's fees and costs is **APPROVED IN PART** to the extent of \$18,653.50, plus costs of \$890.20 for Richard Schulze; further, the Court will make an allowance of \$20,000.00 on the fees of Robert Dotson; The remainder of the petition is **DENIED**, without prejudice.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Counsel Dotson is to provide a revised proposed order to Counsel Geist for approval and then submit to the Court within ten (10) days.

CASE NO. PR20-00415

ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

5/13/2021

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

RECORDED - JAVS

HEARING:

5/13/2021: Pre-trial Conference.

APPEARANCES:

Robert Dotson, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of Personal Representative Richard Schultze, who was not present.

Russel Geist, Esq. was present via Zoom video on behalf of Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka, who was not present.

Richard Hill, Esq. was present via Zoom video on behalf of the Estate of Clifford Laughton.

Kenneth Gross, Esq. was present telephonically via Zoom on behalf of himself as a Claimant and the Laughton Foundation.

Court announced the matter and noted that this hearing had been set to determine future dates for a contested hearing regarding the matter of the three Creditor Claims filed by Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka.

Court explained that on May 10, 2021, Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka filed a *Motion to revoke Letters Testamentary and to revoke Probate for lack of Jurisdiction*; for the sake of Judicial economy, the Court will limit its present jurisdiction to the issue of determining its jurisdiction; all future proceedings will be vacated or held in abeyance and future proceedings will be scheduled as needed. All discovery is on hold unless it pertains to subject matter jurisdiction.

Respective counsel concurred.

CASE NO. PR20-00415 **ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON**

DATE, JUDGE
OFFICERS OF
COURT PRESENT

APPEARANCES-HEARING

8/16/2021
HONORABLE
DAVID A.
HARDY
DEPT. NO. 15
M. Merkouris
(Clerk)
C. Eisenberg
(Reporter)

ORAL ARGUMENTS

1:29 p.m. – Court convened.

Robert Dotson, Esq., was present on behalf of Personal Representative Robert Schulze.

Richard Hill, Esq., was present on behalf of Interested Party Laughton Foundation.

Russel Geist, Esq., was present telephonically on behalf of Interested Party Ann Rafael-Straka. Ken Gross was also present telephonically with counsel Geist.

COURT reviewed the procedural history of the case.

Counsel Geist presented argument in support of his Request for Judicial Review of Recommendation for Order to Set Evidentiary Hearing on Motion Pursuant to NRCP 53(f)(1) and WCDR 57.3(7), filed July 7, 2021.

Counsel Dotson noted his objection to the Laughton Foundation's appearance at this hearing.

Counsel Hill gave the Court information regarding his involvement in the case.

Counsel Dotson responded to counsel Geist and argued in opposition of the Request for Judicial Review.

Counsel Geist replied.

COURT set forth findings of fact and conclusions of law.

COURT ORDERED: An evidentiary hearing on the Motion to Revoke Letters Testamentary and to Revoke Probate for Lack of Jurisdiction Under NRS 136.010 shall be held in front of Commissioner Gorman. Respective counsel shall contact the Probate Department to determine when this evidentiary hearing will be conducted, and they shall also set guidelines regarding evidence that will be admitted or that still needs to be discovered.

Counsel Dotson shall prepare the order.

2:19 p.m. – Court adjourned.

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ESTATE: CLIFFORD LAUGHTON

9/30/2021

PROBATE COMMISSIONER

EDMUND J. GORMAN, JR.

L. Scurlock (Clerk)

RECORDED - JAVS

HEARING:

9/30/2021: Status Hearing.

APPEARANCES:

Robert Dotson, Esq. was present via Zoom video on behalf of Personal Representative Richard Schultze, who was also present via Zoom video.

Russel Geist, Esq. was present via Zoom video on behalf of Interested Person Ann Rafael-Straka, who was not present.

Richard Hill, Esq. was present via Zoom video on behalf of Interested Party the Laughton Foundation.

Court announced the matter and noted that this hearing had been set to determine future dates for a contested hearing, how much time is needed for each party to conduct discovery and an approximate amount of time that each party will need to present its evidence.

Counsel Dotson addressed the Court to advise that his client is ready to set the dates for the upcoming Evidentiary Hearing, approximately 60 days is needed to conduct discovery, he anticipated that it would take 1-1/2 to 2 days to present evidence and he requested that the Court set a date for an additional Status Hearing in approximately three weeks.

Counsel Geist addressed the Court to concur with the estimate of 60 days to conduct discovery and estimated it would take 1-1/2 days to present his client's evidence.

COURT ORDERED: Matter will be continued to November 4, 2021 at 1:00 p.m. for Status Hearing.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Dispositive motions are to be submitted by December 31, 2021.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Pre-trial Conference is scheduled for January 10, 2022 at 11:00 a.m.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Trial Statements are due by January 24, 2022.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Evidentiary Hearing is set for January 31, 2022 at 9:30 a.m., continuing to February 1, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.; all hearings will be conducted via Zoom video (Meeting ID: 997 5809 4579 - Passcode: 790431) unless otherwise ordered by the Court.

COURT FURTHER ORDERED: Counsel Geist is to prepare a scheduling order, exchange it with respective counsel and submit it by email to the Probate Department in Word format by October 8, 2021.

Code 1350

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IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF

CLIFFORD LAUGHTON,

Case No. PR20-00415

Deceased.

Dept. No. PR

CERTIFICATE OF CLERK AND TRANSMITTAL – NOTICE OF APPEAL

I certify that I am an employee of the Second Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, County of Washoe; that on the 12th day of January, 2022, I electronically filed the Notice of Appeal in the above entitled matter to the Nevada Supreme Court.

I further certify that the transmitted record is a true and correct copy of the original pleadings on file with the Second Judicial District Court.

Dated this 12th day of January, 2022.

Alicia L. Lerud
Clerk of the Court
By /s/Y.Viloria
Y.Viloria
Deputy Clerk

Code 4132

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
CLIFFORD LAUGHTON,
Deceased.

Case No. PR20-00415
Dept. No. PR

NOTICE OF APPEAL DEFICIENCY

TO: Clerk of the Court, Nevada Supreme Court,
and All Parties or their Respective Counsel Of Record:

On January 10, 2022, Attorney Russel Geist, Esq., for Ann Rafael-Straka, filed a Notice of Appeal with the Court. Attorney Geist failed to include the Two Hundred Fifty Dollar (\$250.00) Supreme Court filing fee.

Pursuant to NRAP 3(a)(3), on January 12, 2022, the Notice of Appeal was filed with the Nevada Supreme Court. By copy of this notice Attorney Geist, was apprised of the deficiency by electronic mail.

Dated this 12th day of January, 2022.

Alicia L. Lerud
Clerk of the Court

By: /s/Y.Viloria
Y.Viloria
Deputy Clerk

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

CASE NO.

I certify that I am an employee of the Second Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, County Of Washoe; that on the day of , , I electronically filed the Notice of Appeal Deficiency with the Clerk of the Court by using the ECF system.

I further certify that I transmitted a true and correct copy of the foregoing document by the method(s) noted below:

Electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court by using the ECF system which will send a notice of electronic filing to the following:

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By:/s/_____

Deputy Clerk