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5	SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA	
6	COUNTY OF ALAMEDA	
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8	ABDUL-JALIL al-HAKIM,	Case No. 811337-3
9	Plaintiff,	PLAINTIFF'S STATEMENT OF
10		DISQUALIFICATION OF JUDGE JON TIGAR. C.C.P. §170.1, §170.3, §170.4; Business
11	V.	and Professions Code sections 6068, subdivisions (b) and (f), 6103 and 6106 and
12		former rule 7-105(1) of the Rules of Professional Conduct; Cal. Code Jud.
13	CALIFORNIA STATE AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION INTER-INSURANCE BUREAU,	Conduct Cannons 1, 2, 2A, 2B(2), 3B(2), 3B(4), 3B(5) and 3B(8); and United States
14	KENNETH C. GEORGE, RONALD J. COOK,	Constitution Amendments I, V, VI, and XIV,
15	WILLOUGHBY, STUART & BENING, AND DOES 1 THROUGH 100, inclusively,	and State of California Constitution, Article I Section 13, Article VI, Section 13, and Article
16	Defendants,	VI, Section 18, subd. (d)(3)
17	,	Date: Time: 9:00 A.M.
18		Location: Department 21
19		Trial Date: February 15, 2008
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23	3 deterrent," - The Honorable Judge St. Eve, July 11, 2007.	
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25	1. I, ABDUL-JALIL al- HAKIM, hereby declare as follows:	
26	2. I am the plaintiff in the above-entitled action. Plaintiff is aware, feels, believes and thereon allege that	
27	Judge Jon Tigar made knowingly false statements in an effort to demean, humiliate and provoke plaintiff	
28	while lying under oath and perjury; dishonesty; fraudulent deception; calumny deceit; willful and prejudicial	
29	misconduct; abuse of discretion; negligence; bias; prejudice; misrepresentation; incompetence; conflict of	
30	interest; bad faith; collusion; denial of due process; obstruction of justice; racism; bigotry; has exhibited,	
31	expressed and shown a fixed opinion of Plaintiff; displayed favoritism towards the defendants; made false	
32	accusations; harassed Plaintiff; has willfully, deceitfully and recklessly indulged in a series of offensive acts	

- and statements against plaintiff and has displayed disdain, malice, and a mental attitude or disposition
- 2 toward Plaintiff that prohibits the right to a fair hearing or trial, so for the purposes in this proceeding, these
- are grounds for disqualification from hearing the above entitled matter under Code Civ. Proc. §170.l(a)-
- 4 6(B), §170.3(a)(1)-4(c), and §170.4(a)-(3); Business and Professions Code sections 6068, subdivisions (b)
- 5 and (f), 6103 and 6106 and former rule 7-105(1) of the Rules of Professional Conduct; and Cal. Code Jud.
- 6 Conduct Cannons 1, 2, 2A, 2B(2), 3B(2), 3B(4), 3B(5) and 3B(8). Judge Tigar's persistent willful
- 7 misconduct, bad faith, mistreatment, promised retaliation and "atmosphere of unfairness" violates and
- 8 strikes at the heart of Petitioner's fundamental civil rights and due process under the law guaranteed by the
- 9 United States Constitution Amendments I, V, VI, and XIV, and as applicable to this state of California
- 10 Constitution by the first clause of Section 13 of Article I; Article VI, section 13, as a "miscarriage of
- justice."; Article VI, section 18, subd. (d)(3)
- 12 3. CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE SECTION 170-170.4 reads as follows:
- 13 170.1. (a) A judge shall be disqualified if any one or more of the following is true:
- 14 (1) (A) The judge has personal knowledge of disputed evidentiary facts concerning the proceeding.
- 15 (6) (A) For any reason:
- 16 (i) The judge believes his or her recusal would further the interests of justice.
- 17 (ii) The judge believes there is a substantial doubt as to his or her capacity to be impartial.
- 18 (iii) A person aware of the facts might reasonably entertain a doubt that the judge would be able to be
- 19 impartial.
- 20 (B) Bias or prejudice toward a lawyer in the proceeding may be grounds for disqualification.
- 21 170.3. (a) (1) If a judge determines himself or herself to be disqualified, the judge shall notify the
- 22 presiding judge of the court of his or her recusal and shall not further participate in the proceeding, except
- 23 as provided in Section 170.4, unless his or her disqualification is waived by the parties as provided in
- 24 subdivision (b).
- 25 (2) There shall be no waiver of disqualification if the basis therefor is either of the following:
- 26 (A) The judge has a personal bias or prejudice concerning a party.
- 27 (4) If grounds for disqualification are first learned of or arise after the judge has made one or more rulings
- 28 in a proceeding, but before the judge has completed judicial action in a proceeding, the judge shall, unless
- 29 the disqualification be waived, disqualify himself or herself, but in the absence of good cause the rulings he
- 30 or she has made up to that time shall not be set aside by the judge who replaces the disqualified judge.
- 31 (c) (1) If a judge who should disqualify himself or herself refuses or fails to do so, any party may file
- 32 with the clerk a written verified statement objecting to the hearing or trial before the judge and setting forth

- 1 the facts constituting the grounds for disqualification of the judge. The statement shall be presented at the
- 2 earliest practicable opportunity after discovery of the facts constituting the ground for disqualification.
- 3 Copies of the statement shall be served on each party or his or her attorney who has appeared and shall be
- 4 personally served on the judge alleged to be disqualified, or on his or her clerk, provided that the judge is
- 5 present in the courthouse or in chambers.
- 6 170.4. (a) A disqualified judge, notwithstanding his or her disqualification may do any of the following:
- 7 (3) A party may file no more than one statement of disqualification against a judge unless facts
- 8 suggesting new grounds for disqualification are first learned of or arise after the first statement of
- 9 disqualification was filed. Repetitive statements of disqualification not alleging facts suggesting new
- 10 grounds for disqualification shall be stricken by the judge against whom they are filed.
- This Challenge seeking to disqualify trial judge Jon Tigar convincingly brings forth the case for
- 12 judicial recusal under Code of Civil Procedure sections 170.1- 170.4 above, specifically 170.1, subdivision
- 13 (a)(6)(C). n1 (Stats. 1984, ch. 1555.) This challenge touches upon the core of the judicial process -- the
- 14 appearance of objectivity of the decision maker -- requiring a careful balancing of the affected interests. The
- 15 court must consider both the public's right to be assured of the fair, but yet efficient, resolution of disputes
- and the parties' right to a decision based upon the court's objective evaluation of the facts and law. (See *In*
- 17 re United States (1st Cir. 1981) 666 F.2d 690, 694.) The tension between the appearance of fairness and
- 18 efficiency should be self-evident. The difference between the appearance of fairness generally and the
- 19 perception of fairness as seen by a party or his or her counsel should also be self-evident. With ever
- 20 mounting litigation, judicial disqualification has and will undoubtedly continue to increase as will those of
- 21 judicial disqualification during trial. This case is ripe for such ruling as you must understand judge Tigar's
- 22 conduct, actions and personality "make a world of difference when it comes to rulings on evidence, the
- 23 temper of the courtroom, the tolerance for a proffered defense, and the like." (Chandler v. Judicial Council
- 24 (1970) 398 U.S. 74, 137 [26 L.Ed.2d 100, 137-138, 90 S.Ct. 1648] (dis. opn. of Douglas, J.).)
- Nonetheless the proper performance of judicial duties does require a judge to withdraw from a matter every
- 26 time an advocate positively asserts the objective and fair judge appears to be biased. The duty of a judge to
- sit where not disqualified is equally as strong as the duty not to sit when disqualified. (See <u>Laird v. Tatum</u>
- 28 (1972) 409 U.S. 824 [34 L.Ed.2d 50, 93 S.Ct. 7] On the facts of this case, you must grant this Challenge.
- 29 **4.** Section 6068
- 30 Section 6068 obliges a judge and attorney to "support the Constitution and laws" (subd. (a)) and "maintain
- the respect due to the courts of justice and judicial officers" (subd. (b)). Under section 6106, "any act

- 1 involving moral turpitude, dishonesty or corruption, whether the act is committed in the course of his
- 2 relations as an attorney or otherwise, . . . constitutes a cause for [a lawyer's] disbarment or suspension."
- 3 (Italics added.) The courts conclude that, under certain circumstances, an attorney's disobedience, even when
- 4 he acts in a nonprofessional or personal capacity, violates section 6068, subdivisions (a) and (b), and
- 5 constitutes "moral turpitude" within the meaning of section 6106.
- 6 Multiple acts of misconduct involving moral turpitude and dishonesty warrant disbarment. (See std. 2.3,
- 7 Stds. for Atty. Sanctions for Prof. Misconduct, div. V, Rules Proc. of State Bar; compare <u>Dixon v. State</u>
- 8 <u>Bar</u> (1982) 32 Cal.3d 728, 739, 740 [187 Cal.Rptr. 30, 653 P.2d 321].) Tigar's pattern of serious, recurrent
- 9 misconduct is a factor in aggravation. (Garlow v. State Bar (1988) 44 Cal.3d 689, 711 [244 Cal.Rptr. 452,
- 10 749 P.2d 1307].)
- 11 It is evident that Tigar has no appreciation for the fair, just and proper administration of justice, nor equity
- under the law and is totally at odds with the judicial and legal professional standards of this state and
- country. Disqualification as a judge and disbarment as an attorney would thus be necessary to protect the
- public, and preserve confidence in the profession, and maintain high professional standards. (Ainsworth v.
- 15 <u>State Bar</u> (1988) 46 Cal.3d 1218, 1235 [252 Cal.Rptr. 267, 762 P.2d 431].)
- Dishonest acts in court are a basic violation of a judge or attorney's role, oath, and duties. (Bus. & Prof.
- 17 Code, § 6068, subds. (a), (b), (d); State Bar Rules Prof. Conduct, rule 7-105.) We have condemned such
- 18 conduct in the strongest terms. (E.g., <u>Davis v. State Bar</u> (1983) 33 Cal.3d 231, 239-240 [188 Cal. Rptr.
- ¹⁹ 441, 655 P.2d 1276]; Olguin v. State Bar (1980) 28 Cal.3d 195, 199-200 [167 Cal. Rptr. 876, 616 P.2d 20 0.503)
- 858].)
 - 5. The Canons of the Code of Judicial Conduct
- In the Canons of the Code of Judicial Conduct. Although these canons do not have the force of law or
- regulation, "they reflect a judicial consensus regarding appropriate behavior" for California judges. (
- 24 *Kloepfer v. Commission on Judicial Performance* (1989) 49 Cal. 3d 826, 838, fn. 6 [264 Cal. Rptr. 100,
- 25 782 P.2d 239, 89 A.L.R.4th 235]; see *Cannon v. Commission on Judicial Qualifications* (1975) 14 Cal. 3d
- 26 678, 707, fn. 22 [122 Cal. Rptr. 778, 537 P.2d 898].) The failure of a judge to comply with the canons
- 27 "suggests performance below the minimum level necessary to maintain public confidence in the
- 28 administration of justice." (*Kloepfer v. Commission on Judicial Performance*, supra, 49 Cal. 3d at p. 838,
- 29 30 fn. 6.)
- An impartial and independent judiciary is indispensable to our legal system. Of equal importance is public
- confidence in the independence and integrity of the judiciary, because the effective functioning of our legal

- 1 system is dependent upon the public's willingness to accept the judgments and rulings of the courts. (Cal.
- 2 Code Jud. Conduct, com. to canon 1.) Plaintiff argues that Tigar's conduct and actions described herein
- 3 violate Cannons 1, 2, 2A, 2B(2), 3B(2), 3B(4), 3B(5) and 3B(8) and the court can not allow this type of
- 4 willful misconduct in office and conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice (moral turpitude,
- 5 corruption, and dishonesty) that brings the judicial office into disrepute. (Art. VI, § 18, subd. (c).)
- 6 6. This Challenge sets forth new and different material facts, evidence and questions relevant to the
- 7 disqualification of Judge Tigar since his unsigned Order Striking the Challenge For Cause on July 6,
- 8 2007(attached to Plainitff's Challenge of July 18, 2007 under **Exhibit A**); the filing of his answer to the
- 9 first challenge for cause (Answer attached to Plainitff's Challenge of July 18, 2007 under Exhibit A); and
- 10 the Challenge filed on July 18, 2007 that addressed concerns that Tigar serves in several capacities in the
- 11 State and Northern California Judicial system, he may well be associates, friends, and acquaintances with
- 12 related parties, and his fathers potential impact upon this case with his associates, friends, and acquaintances
- with related parties (attached under **Exhibit A**) his answer to the challenge filed July 24, 2007 (attached
- under **Exhibit A**); and the hearings that have taken place before Tigar on February 1, 2008, January 11,
- 15 2008, September 7, 2007, August 31, 2007, July 30, 2007, July 6, 2207 and April 30, 2007(See All Hearing
- 16 transcripts attached under **Exhibit B in two volumes**). Plaintiff is convinced that a fair and impartial trial
- 17 could not be had before this judge now or in the future.
- 18 This case was scheduled to begin trial on February 15, 2008, which is the date this Challenge should be
- served upon Tigar. Tigar has set this matter for continued pre trial readiness to February 25, 2008,
- 20 canceling the appearances scheduled for February 15, 2008. With Plaintiff having filed and served a Writ
- 21 on February 4, 2008 in this matter that still awaits resolution, this Challenge will include the conduct and
- action of Tigar up to the filing of that motion and I will begin with the most recent activities first.
- 23 7. On February 1, 2008 at 9:00 AM in Department 21 Judge Jon Tigar held a Trial Readiness
- 24 Conference with the parties allegedly for the purpose of discussing the status of the case to determine when
- 25 the actual trial will begin under compliance with rule 4.6.
- Plaintiff made his standing objection to Tigar sitting in this case, announced that his appeal is to be filed on
- the next business day, and states that Defendants had served their documents one day earlier as per (local
- Rule 4.6 and Local Rule 3.35) Plaintiff argued that it was unfair and improper for the court to proceed with
- ruling on these motions when Plaintiff had not seen the documents and as an in proper plaintiff had no
- time to prepare to respond to these motions due to the defendants gamesmanship in the lateness of their
- service of the documents, that as a professional courtesy the matters should be continued especially when
- they had plaintiff's documents for over three weeks. Plaintiff is not a lawyer, has his continuing

- 1 responsibilities to his family including five grandchildren, his business, his community and his social,
- 2 philanthropic, civil and educational duties and services he is and has been involved in for forty years in
- 3 some cases. Tigar states that until he receives a notice from the court of appeals for a stay he will proceed
- 4 with the matter and there is no time limit on serving and filing limine motions.
- 5 Tigar then proceeds with Plaintiff's limine motion #1, Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion,
- 6 then argued that there is no way that any expert can prove that any incident in 1991 can be determined as
- 7 the cause of any contamination in 1997 or 1999, then Tigar denies it stating that the 1991 backup can come
- 8 into trial, as it would not be confusing to a jury. Plaintiff objected to ruling on the limine motion.
- 9 Tigar proceeds with Plaintiff's limine motions #2- Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion,
- 10 Tigar threatens Plaintiff with contempt for exercising his legal protective right to object as
- 11 slowing down the court, then Tigar deferred ruling on motion. Tigar also noted for the parties that the
- 12 Judicial Council is in the stage of sending down new laws regarding the investigation of insurance claims
- 13 and the legal effect it has on cases.
- 14 Tigar proceeded with Plaintiff's limine motions #3 to #11 in bulk as they were opposed by defendants with
- one opposition for under their recession theory, Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion,
- argued that defendants did not have the right to recision, Tigar categorically denied all nine motions on the
- 17 basis of defendants defense theory of recision and he made reference to the objection of the Judicial
- 18 Council on limine motions with wording such as that used by Plaintiff. In the span of ten minutes Tigar, in
- 19 his self grandiose way, had twice touted his "elite status" as an insider in the Judicial Council. Plaintiff
- 20 objected to ruling on the limine motion.
- 21 Tigar proceeded with Plaintiff's limine motions #12- Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion,
- 22 Tigar denied the motion and Plaintiff objected to ruling on the limine motion.
- 23 Tigar went into Defendant's limine motion #1- Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion, again
- argued that it was unfair and improper for the court to proceed with ruling on these motions when Plaintiff
- had not seen the documents due to the defendants gamesmanship and the matters should be continued and
- 26 that it was inappropriate for Plaintiff to testify by asking questions of himself, Tigar granted that motion.
- 27 Tigar proceeded with Defendant's limine motion #2- Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion,
- 28 Tigar then deferred ruling on the inspection of Plaintiff's home. Plaintiff questioned the fairness and
- 29 reason behind deferring the ruling on this motion but denying Plaintiff's motions in bulk and ignoring the
- 30 suggestion that his motions be continued until he could competently respond due to defendants
- 31 gamesmanship with their serving of the documents. Tigar states that he could rule against Plaintiff
- 32 immediately if I did not want him to defer the ruling, Plaintiff was puzzled with the comment that Tigar

could rule against Plaintiff at that time if Plaintiff did not want him to defer the ruling but Tigar did not 1 2 address the merits of ruling against Plaintiff based on the pleadings. He clearly expressed that though the 3 argument was compelling enough for him to consider, HE COULD rule against Plaintiff, not because the 4 argument lacked merit, MERELY BECAUSE HE WANTED TO! Plaintiff again objects to ruling on the 5 limine motion, and Tigar threatens Plaintiff with contempt for his objections to the limine motions 6 as slowing down the court and threatens Plaintiff that he must not mention Tigar's perjury to 7 the jury during the trial or he will be in contempt. Plaintiff responded with the fact that his 8 objections just as his speaking the truth of Tigar's lying under oath would not be silenced by 9 threats of contempt as Plaintiff is not making some groundless attack upon Tigar and again 10 challenged Tigar to meet him in any venue, forum, tribunal etc. and Plaintiff would prove Tigar 11 has lied under oath, committed perjury, been dishonest, deceitful, committed prejudicial 12 misconduct, etc. Tigar's constant insidious threats of contempt is a dangerous premise upon which a fair 13 and impartial judge would build any trust and reasonable expectation of justice or faith in his ability to rule 14 and preside in any matter. The importance of a plaintiff to object in a trial or any matter and the denial and 15 full foreclosure of that protective right by Tigar is a lethal assault on Plaintiff's due process and civil rights. 16 The law books are full of case where a party failed to object to an event in court, a ruling, admission, etc. 17 and as a result implied that they had waived that right to protection from that event or error that could have 18 protected their rights and interests. Tigar here attempts to FORCE Plaintiff at the threat of contempt to 19 forego any rightful objection and in the process waive any defense to his ruthless actions as the defendant 20 deputy defense counsel judge. More startling, having made the threat that Plaintiff must not object or 21 mention his perjury to the jury or he will be in contempt, Tigar never once responded to any of the 22 objections. 23 Tigar moved on to Defendant's limine motion #3- Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion, 24 Tigar granted the motion and Plaintiff objected to ruling on the limine motion. 25 Tigar proceeds to Defendant's limine motion #4- Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion, 26 Tigar granted the motion and Plaintiff objected to ruling on the limine motion. 27 Tigar proceeds to Defendant's limine motion #5 - Plaintiff objected to Tigar hearing the limine motion, 28 Tigar granted the motion ruling ALL and Everything relative to the Insurance Appraisal is 29 excluded from the trial as if it never happened and stated that the ruling from Judge Roesch ending the 30 appraisal in March 2007 specifically stated that. Plaintiff request to speak and Tigar says that "I have

already ruled on that matter!" objected to ruling on the limine motion.

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- 1 Tigar proceeds to Defendant's limine motion #6- Plaintiff stated that the ruling on the last motion was in
- 2 error and that the order from Judge Roesch only ended the requirement to return the parties to appraisal not
- 3 denying the use of the conduct and documents form the appraisal. Plaintiff further objected to Tigar hearing
- 4 the limine motion, argues the lack of money provided by defendants and Defendants argued that their
- 5 alleged \$136,000 spent on this claim was sufficient to repair the home. Tigar argues that he is not
- 6 convinced the alleged \$136,000 is adequate when Plaintiff says "what \$136,000?" and as Tigar proceeds
- 7 to explain his view he says to Plaintiff, "hold on your winning here, I know your penchant for football, I'm
- 8 going to give you the ball with 6 seconds left on the clock for you to score". Plaintiff stated that "I
- 9 understand what your saying, I just don't know about the \$136,000". Tigar denies the ruling on
- proclaiming the house a "sick home" and payment of \$136K being sufficient to pay all repairs.
- But what was most interesting in the exchange was Tigar's mention that "he knew" Plaintiff's (penchant)
- compassion for football. It is true and a fairly well known fact that Plaintiff is a successful businessman
- and respected as the first Super Agent in the sports and entertainment world. It is also true and well
- 14 established that Plaintiff has worked with many Superstar players from the National Football League. It is
- also true and well established in this case that Plaintiff has worked with the National Football League and
- has a gold Cross pen set awarded to him by the NFL for his work with the Super Bowl. It is also true and
- well established in this case that Plaintiff has some valuable signed memorabilia from the Super Bowls and
- other significant sporting events. It is also well established that Plaintiff, even at 57 years of age is still very
- 19 active in playing sports, particularly competitive basketball against players much, much younger, but he is
- 20 not known to be compassionate nor have a penchant for football. Tigar has some bad reconnaissance but
- 21 none the less he has some and that is the problem. What has Tigar sought to find out about Plaintiff? Why?
- 22 And how? It is clear by this quip on his behalf that this his sly little way of letting Plaintiff know that "I
- 23 know something about you and I have done my due diligence on you". However in revealing this he admits
- 24 more wrongdoing by conducting this improper and illegal search into Plaintiff and his background without
- 25 cause or authority and at the very least has again had some questionable if not illegal ex-parte
- 26 communications regarding Plaintiff, even if through a third party. This speaks volumes about Tigars
- 27 conduct and portends very odious activity. But for Plaintiff this resulted in an affirmation of a signal that
- 28 Tigar has been previously been advised of, that Plaintiff has been warned not to trust Tigar, he is a "snake"
- 29 whom will pretend to comprehend and to be going along with your litigation theory only to turn on you.
- 30 This was brought out in an earlier challenge filed by Plaintiff against Tigar.
- 31 Tigar proceeds to Defendant's limine motion #7- Plaintiff objects to Tigar hearing the limine motion, as
- 32 that motion is granted, wherein Plaintiff can't mention CSAA reorganization, Tigar states he's ruling on

- these limine motions in a vacuum- he stops. Plaintiff states he just ruled on 18 limine motions in a vacuum,
- 2 but denied Plaintiff's suggestion that it be continued for his limine motions.
- 3 <u>Tigar then states that he has a question regarding Plaintiff's witness list and identifies Leo Dorado from the</u>
- 4 witness list and asks if that is the Alameda County Superior Court judge. Plaintiff responded "the very
- 5 same" and immediately Tigar tries to justify his need to contact judge Dorado regarding his testimony and
- 6 Plaintiff, trying to prevent any implied witness tampering by Tigar, stated twice to Tigar that "we will
- 7 arrange that between ourselves". <u>Unable to finesse his way to legally cause the desired improper ex-parte</u>
- 8 communication with Judge Dorado, Tigar rules that Plaintiff must now make an offer of proof on each
- 9 witness on the witness list including length of testimony and importance and Tigar may use whatever
- criterion he choses to decide if they can testify.
- 11 Tigar further orders Plaintiff to have ALL exhibits numbered and submitted to defendants by February 15,
- 12 2008 as the beginning of trial as per local rules. Plaintiff questioned why because the trial was not to begin
- that date, Tigar confirms that the local rules state that the exhibits must be numbered before trial and if
- Plaintiff did not have the list to the defendants by 5:00 pm on February 15, that he would order any
- sanctions that he felt was appropriate including denying Plaintiff's exhibits. There is NO such local rule,
- not rule 4.6 or 3.35 that specifically state that all trial exhibits MUST be numbered BEFORE trial and a list
- of same provided to the defendants before trial. This is another example of Tigar misapplication of the law
- and justice in an effort to punish Plaintiff and cripple his case into a predetermined result.
- 19 8. On January 3, 2008 plaintiff sent a fax to Department 21 to request and reserve a hearing date to
- present motions to vacate the orders dated July 30, 2007; August 31, 2007 and September 7, 2007 of the
- Alameda County Superior Court before Judge Jon Tigar. (See orders and letter under Exhibit "C")
- After getting no response, on January 7, 2008 plaintiff called the department and was told by the clerk that
- they had received the request but do not fax replies. They obviously do not call back either. Plaintiff has
- informed later that the only date for a hearing would be February 28, 2008, after the scheduled trial date of
- February 15, 2008 and was given the date of January 11, 2008 for an Ex-Parte hearing for an order
- shortening time to file the motions on the matter. Plaintiff then faxed letters to the opposing parties on
- January 9, 2008 informing them of the ex-parte hearing on the motions.(See letters under Exhibit "C")
- The above hearing that took place on January 11, 2008 and was ruled on by Judge Tigar within minutes.
- He began the hearing by stating that he knew nothing about the ex-parte motions and was unaware of there
- being any problem with the orders. Plaintiff stated that the orders had a number of errors and should be
- vacated. Tigar mentioned that he knew one of the orders (the July order) had been appealed. Plaintiff

- 1 responded that the order appealed was recently ruled on, the notice dated December 17, 2007 was mailed
- 2 while Plaintiff was away and he had received the notice upon his return, upon receipt Plaintiff then faxed
- 3 and called the court to file the ex-parte motions. Plaintiff reminded Tigar that plaintiff had filed a status
- 4 report regarding that unintelligible July order in August 2007 (See report under Exhibit "C") and then
- 5 filed the formal appeal days later(See notice of Appeal under Exhibit "C"), so Tigar had to be aware of
- 6 the problems with the orders and sought to avoid appellate review of the order by inappropriately titling it a
- 7 "discovery motion".
- 8 Tigar then asked if the ex-parte motions could be considered motions for reconsideration. Plaintiff, aware
- 9 of Tigar's reprehensible tactic of positioning motions by entitling them as a motion which conveniently
- 10 provides for his disposal of them, argued that this was not a motion for reconsideration, it is a motion to
- vacate or modify the orders, based on their being oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, incongruous to
- 12 the proper administration of justice, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice. Tigar stated
- 13 that it could be considered a motion for reconsideration and if so the time limit is 30 days, and they are
- 14 untimely filed. Plaintiff argued that these were not motions for reconsideration, they were motions to vacate
- which have a six month filing time and the purpose, intent and time frame for such filings were completely
- 16 different from that of a motion for reconsideration. Plaintiff further stated that Tigar could consider them
- 17 anything he wanted and was going to do so anyway. Tigar stated that the August and September orders
- plaintiff sought to vacate were also beyond the 30 day time limit for motions for reconsideration. Plaintiff
- again argued that this was not a motion for reconsideration, it is a motion to vacate or modify the orders,
- 20 based on their being oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, incongruous to the proper administration of
- 21 justice, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice. Plaintiff argued that Tigar purposefully
- 22 withheld signing and mailing the orders of August 31 and September 7, 2008 until such time as he knew
- 23 Plaintiff was away for several months and unable to respond to the orders or any litigation! Plaintiff
- 24 reminded Tigar that he and the court was aware since June 2007 that plaintiff would be in retreat from
- 25 September 11, 2007 until the end of the year. Tigar intentionally withheld the orders and mailed them the
- 26 day he knew plaintiff began retreat. Tigar then denied the ex-parte motions as motions for reconsideration,
- 27 not motions to vacate for which they were, for being untimely filed.
- 28 Plaintiff called and came to Department 21 on January 15, 2008, came again on January 16, called and
- 29 came again on January 17, called again on January 18, called and faxed again on January 22, called and
- 30 came again on January 23, 2008. On these five previous days and seven occasions that Plaintiff called and
- 31 came to the court there was no mention of the orders from the January 11 hearing though Plaintiff inquired
- 32 about them.

- Finally, Plaintiff called and faxed a letter to Department 21 on January 22, 2008 requesting the orders
- 2 because he had not received the courts orders from the ex-parte hearings on January 11, 2008. (See letter
- 3 under Exhibit "C") Plaintiff called the court clerk and was later told over the phone that the orders had
- 4 been mailed and were available on the website. Plaintiff informed the clerk that he had been unable to find
- 5 the orders on the website and asked when they had been mailed out. Plaintiff was asked to be put on hold
- 6 while the clerk checked the website for the information. The clerk came back to the phone later and
- 7 informed plaintiff that she could not get the file to load from the internet and that she would mail Plaintiff
- 8 copies of the orders. Plaintiff requested that she include the old proof of service that was allegedly filed
- 9 with the orders, if there was one, that shows when the orders were mailed. The clerk asked why plaintiff
- 10 needed it and plaintiff explained that not only could be not get the nonexistent orders, but that the appeals
- 11 court does not work in such a way that he could download an order from the internet and use it in an
- 12 appeals without the proof of service and a true copy of the filed stamped order. Plaintiff explained that the
- appeals time begins to run from the date of the issuance of the signed filed stamped order and date it was
- mailed to the parties. If Tigar issued the orders on January 11, 2008 and withheld the orders for ten days,
- plaintiff would have effectively been excluded from filing a Writ appeal on the orders with the trial date in
- two weeks! This would waive plaintiff's right of a fair trial, his civil rights and right to due process.
- 17 The next day on January 23, 2008 Plaintiff went to Department 21 and was told the orders would be ready
- and it was explained to him that there would be another proof of service issued with the mailing of these
- orders to be sent out that day. Since these orders were never available on the court website before January
- 20 22, 2008, did not have a proof of service before that date, were dated January 16, 2008, were filed stamped
- January 22, 2008 and mailed on January 23, 2008; it is clear that judge Tigar has again engaged in abuse of
- 22 process, the improper administration of justice and may have back dated the orders and purposefully
- 23 withheld them and the other orders of August 31 and September 7, 2008 until such time as he knew
- 24 Plaintiff was away and unable to respond to the orders or any litigation, effectively excluding and
- 25 prohibiting Plaintiff from filing a Writ appeal, waiving plaintiff's right to a fair trial, his civil rights and right
- 26 to due process!
- 27 **9.** On September 7, 2007 at 9:00 AM in Department 21 Judge Jon Tigar heard Fletcher C. Alford's
- 28 motion to quash his Subpoena Duces Tecum for Trial Appearance.
- 29 Plaintiff continued his standing objection to Tigar ruling in this matter and has established that he could get
- 30 a fair hearing or a trial before him. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P14L18) Plaintiff argues as encompassed
- 31 in the separate statement that he submitted with the court he was reiterating these things because there are
- 32 some things that Tigar may not have gleaned, and wanted to be sure that Tigar understood the importance of

- them because relevance and privilege was an issue for Tigar, and that there was no privilege as a result of
- 2 the parties actions and the way in which it occurred. Additionally there is no other way that Plaintiff could
- 3 adduce this testimony in evidence and was having to proceed through other options to exhaust this issue.
- 4 (See Ex B Hearing transcript P19L9) Plaintiff states Tigar has some issues about the relevance of these
- 5 illegal acts support all his causes of actions and were perpetrated under the guise of the insurance contract
- 6 with the defendants intervening, and are examples of their bad faith, the misrepresentations, and the
- 7 business and professions code violation as an abuse process and there is no other way for Plaintiff to
- 8 introduce evidence and testimony. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P23L25) Tigar says "Mr. al-Hakim, I took
- 9 into account what you said in your motion. Your remarks this morning I think elaborate on the points that
- 10 you made in your motion. The court takes the crime fraud exception to the attorney-client privilege as well
- 11 as the privilege itself very seriously, but you didn't succeed in establishing that section applies (See Ex B
- Hearing transcript P24L11) and granted Fletcher C. Alford's motion to quash his Subpoena Duces Tecum
- 13 for Trial Appearance because it is necessary to protect him and his firm from unreasonable and oppressive
- demands citing Plaintiff did not show good cause for the production of the matters and things and did not
- set forth in detail the materiality (See C.C.P. 1985(b)); did not identify with any specificity the documents
- or information in Alford's possession or control that fall outside the attorney-client privilege or work
- product doctrine and did not explain why they can not be obtained from another source nor that the crime-
- fraud exception or any other exception should apply; and ordered plaintiff to pay \$1,375 sanctions before
- 19 trial. Also during the hearing on this motion as well Tigar stated that the information sought concerns the
- al-Hakim v. Rescue Industries case # C-821885 is not relevant to this action.
- This order is dated September 9, and also was executed by stamp on September 10, 2007 by Clerk Pam
- Williams. Again, as a direct result, it was not possible for the Clerk to execute the order, file it, place a copy
- in the U. S. mail, for the Postal Service to deliver it and plaintiff to have received the order that same day
- while the court was aware since June 2007 that plaintiff would be in retreat on September 11, 2007 until the
- end of November and away again from the middle of December and unable to respond to litigation.
- 26 <u>10.</u> On August 31, 2007 at 9:00 AM in Department 21 Judge Jon Tigar heard Plaintiff Abdul-Jalil al-
- Hakim's motion for the issuance of court ordered subpoenas, or in the alternate, to issue and order
- deposition subpoenas; and for defendants to disclose pertinent contact information for their Trial
- Witnesses.
- At the beginning of the hearing Plaintiff offered to the court that <u>in July defense counsel and Plaintiff made</u>
- an appearance before Presiding Court Judge Northridge regarding this case and concluded it probably

- 1 would not go to trial before the end of the year, and probably more reasonably will happen in early
- 2 <u>January</u>(See Ex B Hearing transcript P1L22) as Plaintiff's annual retreat and calendar is going to be fairly
- 3 busy in the middle of December. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P2L22)
- 4 Plaintiff expresses the same objections and complaints regarding so-called discovery motions as a
- 5 continuing effort by Tigar to cover up his lies under oath and the perjury, the deception in all the rulings
- 6 and casting Plaintiff as a liar. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P4L26-P6L10) Tigar artfully **characterize the**
- 7 **motion as an effort to reopen discovery** and his order is yet another example of the continuing
- 8 misconduct and corrupt conduct in the blatant bias and prejudice that Tigar has shown towards Plaintiff in
- 9 this case and that he is heightening his consuming rule as a defendant in this case in attempting to hide,
- ignore, and defend your own many transgressions in proffering and advocating defendant's litigation
- theory. Tigar characterize this motion for an order compelling trial testimony as an effort to reopen
- discovery and take depositions is another complete unadulterated lie and deception on his part and is an
- abomination of the fair and proper administration of justice. It's clear, the truth, fairness, and justice are
- things Tigar is incapable of. The motion to compel the trial testimony and trial subpoenas were already
- issued and served, so this motion was merely to compel those individuals who have been evading and
- avoiding the testimony in this case for years. It wasn't an effort to reopen discovery. It was only offered to
- take depositions that the court so ordered as an alternative justice and judicial economy to prevent long,
- arduous, needless trial testimony full of surprises in a long trial. plaintiff was trying to facilitate some
- judicial economy by allowing depositions if the court decided that was the best operation. It's Tigar's
- discretion, not Plaintiff's, who established these people have been subpoenaed, they're going to testify, they
- are going to be in court so rather than make a 30-day trial a 90-day trial or longer, we could easy schedule
- depositions and we have time to do that. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P4L26-P6L10)
- Plaintiff felt that Tigar has on other occasions in the past as well as will be scene in the future, done as he
- had that day by <u>characterize this as a motion to reopen discovery just so that he could easily deny it, it</u>
- avoids appellate review, he can also issues sanctions, and did denied it on that basis, claiming discovery was
- closed in February of 2003. Yet Plaintiff provided an order from Presiding Court Judge George Hernandez,
- that in March 2005 over two years later that he reopened discovery and it has been reopened since that time.
- And equally as convenient, <u>you seem to ignore it because it opposes your preconceived intent to deny this</u>
- 30 motion. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P6L11)

- 31 Tigar claimed that Plaintiff's issues raised that require depositions only pertain to issues in this case which
- has no relevance. All the many issues relative to this case relate to the defendant's acts and misconduct who

intervened in this matter supposedly to protect Plaintiff, their insured, instead they committed fraud upon 1 2 the state and the court, spoliation of evidence, subordination of perjurious testimony, and unclear hands among other things and participated in a defense litigation against Plaintiff. They did so in an attempt to use 3 the verdict against Plaintiff as res judicata. They even intend in their opposition in this motion that it was 4 5 their intent to do so and will ask you to grant them a motion in limine to that effect. If it wasn't relevant, they would not have mentioned it nor taken the risk they did to prevail to only be caught in their actions. (See Ex 6 B Hearing transcript P6L20) Plaintiff stated that the relevance is so obvious that you would have to be a 7 8 defendant in a position of a judge to make such an asinine statement in an attempt to get away with it before the court. The relevance of their committing these 9 10 illegal acts towards all of the causes of action and were perpetrated under the guise of the insurance contract are examples among other things of their bad faith and violation of business and professions code as an 11 abuse of process. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P7L7) Plaintiff proclaims Tigar's order is just another 12 example of the court's inability, his lies under oath, continued deception, that Tigar is incompetent, an insult 13 to the bench, that this is why he cannot rule in this matter, and Plaintiff is certain that he could never have a 14 15 fair trial before him and he will never serve in any matter that Plaintiff will be involved in. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P8L16) Tigar then begins crouching his position for contempt by addressing the members in the 16 audience that he felt compelled to observe on the record that Plaintiff's remarks, tone and content are 17 18 contemptuous under Code of Civil Procedure Section 1209 (a) (1) as Plaintiff has accused the court of bias, perjury, lying, and incompetence, and that everything about the tone and content of Plaintiff's remarks with 19 20 few exceptions were not addressed at all to the merits of motion is in violation of that subsection of section 1209 of the Code of Civil Procedure, but also nothing Plaintiff said tended to interrupt the course of the 21 22 judicial proceedings. Tigar warned Plaintiff that when the trial commences and there is a jury present, the 23 court will no longer be able to ignore remarks like those and that he takes very strongly his obligation to 24 hear every proceeding in which he is not disqualified and his obligation under each of the ethical codes that 25 govern judges in the state of California. He again taunts Plaintiff with the pompous air of privilege and 26 superiority when he again laughingly states Plaintiff has filed more than one challenge against him, (See Ex 27 B Hearing transcript P9L1) Tigar seeks to continue laying the groundwork for contempt charges and 28 further shield himself from having to answer the charges and admit his lies and deception by stating 29 Plaintiff's remarks are designed to interfere with the orderly administration of the proceedings or to cause 30 him to become biased against Plaintiff in some way that will allow Plaintiff to get what he wants and 31 announces to the court "I'm pleased to tell you, Mr. al-Hakim, that you are not succeeding." (See Ex B 32

Hearing transcript P10L2) The great diversion in this statement is Tigar's attempt at presenting propriety of

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Plaintiff's Fourth Challenge of Judge Tigar

his actions and obvious bias. He is right in stating that Plaintiff will never get what he wants because what 1 plaintiff simply wants is TRUTH, FAIRNESS, AND JUSTICE. These are things that Tigar has repeatedly 2 shown he has no concept of when it comes to fulfilling his planned legal lynching and railroading of 3 Plaintiff as the defendant judge in this matter. He merely has to honestly and truthfully respond to the 4 charges and that is the end of that. Tigar can't afford to do something as simple as that because it will 5 6 further reveal his continued lies and deceit. Plaintiff, refusing to be denied his truth reiterates that the issues 7 captured in his affidavit against Tigar are ALL TRUE and that Plaintiff would meet him at any hearing, any 8 place, and will present the evidence again to him regarding his lying under oath, and Plaintiff will do that in 9 front of the jury as well because that is something a jury needs to know and the truth is not going to 10 evaporate and disappear because Tigar wants it to that these are the facts and will meet Tigar anywhere with 11 the facts. and present him with his documents and own words, as they will speak volumes in testifying 12 against him. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P11L3) It never ceases to amaze even the casual observer of this 13 case how Tigar can claim to take his responsibilities and obligations under each of the ethical codes that 14 govern judges in the state of California when he is repeatedly charged in open court with bias, perjury, 15 lying, and incompetence yet he can stress the seriousness of Plaintiff making these charges and standing 16 behind them to the extent that plaintiff has challenged to meet Tigar in any forum, venue, tribunal and prove 17 his case against Tigar, but Tigar can not and refuses to answer even the simplest of charges. Contempt is a 18 major issue when he wants to threaten and beat Plaintiff over the head with the charges, but it is unimportant 19 when it is time for him to respond to same! 20 Plaintiff expounds to the court that the idea that this could be a discovery motion found by the defendants 21 was very artfully advocated by Tigar. Those things are serious transgressions against the law as anybody 22 could have read those papers and saw there was no confusion, it's an alternate option and that Plaintiff 23 would not backdown from the truth in saying "the truth is not going to go away, your Honor. You can 24 believe that." (See Ex B Hearing transcript P11L28) 25 The matter was taken under submission and Tigar later issued an order dated September 4, 2007 denying 26 plaintiff's motion and ordered him to pay \$1,140 sanctions to Real Parties defendants by September 15, 27 2007. The motion was denied for the issuance of trial subpoenas because Plaintiff was not required to file a 28 motion to subpoena witnesses for trial (See C.C.P. 1985(c), 1986); the alternate for deposition subpoenas 29 and disclosing witnesses pertinent contact information because discovery is closed and the information

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Further, though the order dated September 4, it was executed by stamp on September 10, 2007 by Clerk

sought concerns the al-Hakim v. Rescue Industries case # C-821885 is not relevant to this action.

1 <u>Pam Williams</u>. As a result of this, it was not possible for the Clerk to execute the order, file it, place a copy 2 in the U. S. mail, for the Postal Service to deliver it and plaintiff to have received the order that same day 3 while the court was aware since June 2007 that plaintiff would be in retreat on September 11, 2007 until the 4 end of November and away again from the middle of December and unable to respond to litigation. 5 11. On July 30, 2007 at 9:00 AM in Department 21 Judge Tigar heard Plaintiff's Abdul-Jalil al-Hakim's 6 motion to augment and amend his Retained Expert Witness List and Declaration and a motion to vacate and 7 set aside a prior ruling of the court regarding an appraisal of the underlying property. Plaintiff object to 8 Tigar's presence in this case and stated one of the issue discovery puts Tigar's lying under oath squarely 9 into the cross hairs of this issue. Plaintiff pointed out in paragraph 12 of Tigar's verified answer, that's 10 under penalty of perjury, he made no mention in regards to the discovery issues and the transcript Tigar 11 presented demonstrate that statement is not accurate(See Ex B Hearing transcript P21L7-28) Plaintiff 12 acknowledges Tigars threat of contempt as a means to silence him but is adamant that the truth will speak 13 for itself and Tigar's own documents and own writing bear witness against his testimony. (See Ex B 14 Hearing transcript P22L3) Tigar then slanders, humiliates and discredits Plaintiff by announcing in open 15 court that "I'm simply going to say to you that you have many times challenged the authority of the judicial 16 officers of this court including me to preside over this trial". He then taunts Plaintiff with the pompous air 17 of superiority that he has again denied the most recent challenge, and laughingly suggested Plaintiff seek 18 relief from the court of appeal knowing that would be an exercise in futility for Plaintiff. (See Ex B 19 P22L9)Tigar has always flaunted his self perceived CLOUT with his intricate, pervasive and expansive 20 involvement in the Judicial and legal community including the Judicial Council and his sitting of the panel 21 that reviews Judicial Challenges for Cause. A clear conflict of interest in that his challenge would be 22 reviewed by another friend and colleague whom would assuredly protect him and cover his transgressions 23 just as Judge Atack did in ignoring the issues as presented by plaintiff. Plaintiff continue with the reading 24 of the transcript demonstrating that Tigar had pretexted his planned charge of contempt and wanted the 25 record needs to reflect that the discovery issues that were being discussing were at issue at the hearing that 26 he lied under oath and they are still at issue now. (See Ex B Hearing P23L6-28) Plaintiff asserted Tigar's 27 dishonesty regarding those issue are directly related to the biased that he suffered from Tigars ruling that 28 day and that Tigar can not assume because he didn't answer or because he ignored the truth that it doesn't 29 exist. The truth is still here that <u>Tigar provided transcripts</u>, that clearly uncover there was conversation about 30 those discovery issues in the same transcript that Tigar denied existed and that has to play into the bias that 31 Plaintiff has suffered. Tigar's perjury and lying under oath directly relates to those discovery issues and

that's why Plaintiff raised them in a good faith attempt to avoid these charges that were of Tigars choosing. 1 2 Tigar again tells Plaintiff that "calling a judicial officer -- that accusing a judicial officer of perjury is 3 contemptuous on its face, but I'm not threatening you with contempt. I'm merely noting for the record that I 4 acknowledge that conduct," (See Ex B Hearing P24L6) Here again Tigar is filling the record with the 5 soundbites he needs for any successful appellate review to justify his charge of contempt. What he fails to 6 properly assess is that this challenge is not a "groundless attack" upon him. Plaintiff has presented the 7 truth of the matters and verified those truths with Tigars own words and writings. The evidence in 8 undeniable and that is just why he refuses to acknowledge those truths and issues he has openly chosen to 9 avoid answering them as if they did not exist. 10 Plaintiff further exposes Tigars plan and motive of charging him with contempt by establishing that Tigar 11 had already threatened him with contempt but rather "the issue is whether or not the contempt is in what 12 Tigar has done in his own handwriting or whether the contempt is in Plaintiff's exposing it. There is no 13 contempt of Plaintiff revealing the truth. The truth speaks for itself and Tigar's words bear witness against 14 that. Obviously the bias that Plaintiff suffered from Tigar's analysis of this case and rulings are viewed 15 through that prism of bias and it's part and parcel of it. (See Ex B Hearing P24L13) Plaintiff has 16 established that clearly Tigar has made himself a fourth element in this case, and has become a defendant as 17 well. Plaintiff doesn't think the jury needs to hear that, but they have to be addressed in that issue as well if 18 they are going to consider the truth of the matters to be heard and Tigar has at least nine other instances in 19 his verification where the answers were obviously not forthright or just simply open lies. A jury cannot 20 address those issues of the truth of those who are going to be testifying if they cannot address those of the 21 judge. How can Tigar be a guardian of the truth if he is not capable of being honest himself? (See Ex B 22 Hearing P25L16) 23 Plaintiff acknowledges Tigars seems to be positioning things for the benefit of the defendants as their 24 advocate (See Ex B Hearing P26L8) as there's been a series of egregious errors, and Plaintiff had not 25 objected to any rulings that he made at all. Plaintiff's objection has been to the forthrightness of the issues 26 that Tigar failed to address or have addressed in the issues that was presented in the challenge and it's 27 unimaginable that he could expect truth and justice to come out of the issues before Tigar or that he could 28 have a fair trial in front of him. (See Ex B Hearing P27L5) Tigar ordered that Plaintiff was granted leave to 29 augment and amend his Retained Expert Witness List and Declaration to include replacements for David 30 Brier, David Smith and Kevin Dawson. The order further states that On or before August 3, 2007 Plaintiff 31 shall file and serve (by mail and fax) an amended disclosure of retained expert witnesses in compliance

with C.C.P. §2034.260(c) that contains no more than three(3) new experts witnesses not listed in Plaintiff's previous expert disclosure whose testimony is expected to replace that of David Brier, David Smith and Kevin Dawson. The leave to amend and supplement is conditioned on the following: (a) Plaintiff must make the new experts witnesses available for depositions by Defendants on or before August 17, 2007, unless the parties mutually agree that the depositions may be taken at a later date; and (b) Plaintiff shall pay all expert fees(up to 4 hours) and costs of the depositions of those experts. (See C.C.P. §2034.620.) 12. On July 6, 2007 at 8:45 a.m. Plaintiff Abdul-Jalil al-Hakim entered Department 21 of the Alameda County Superior Court and had a second Challenge for Cause served upon Judge Jon Tigar. At around 9:20 a.m. Defense counsel Steve Barber appeared and was also served. Up to that time Judge Tigar had not made any appearance in the courtroom, there was only one other party there for a hearing and there was no court reporter. Shortly thereafter Tigar emerged from chambers and called the first case of the only other party present. This party had two cases that were heard very quickly. As this matter was being heard another party came into the courtroom and was seated. After the cases were heard, Tigar takes a recess and the newly arrived party reported to the court clerk. Tigar returns to the courtroom and gives the clerk documents which she hands out to defense counsel Barber and myself. The document was his unsigned Order Striking the Challenge For Cause. He is then told of the new case that is present and that case was called. Tigar apologized for missing him in the courtroom and the party apologized for being late. That matter also was very quickly disposed and Tigar took another recess. At about 9:40 a.m. the court reporter comes into the courtroom and shortly thereafter Tigar returns to the bench. He calls our case and proceeds to announce that he has stricken the Challenge For Cause (See Ex B Hearing transcript P12L14) and moves into the matters of the hearing which included a motion for reconsideration of the court's prior order granting Plaintiff's challenge pursuant to Code of Civil Procedure Section 170.6. Tigar granted the motion for reconsideration "Not because new facts or law was stated under Code of Civil Procedure Section 1008, but because using the court's inherent authority under Le François versus Goel", this court has concluded, looking into the matter, that it was simply wrong. This court was wrong in granting the 170.6, because the court thought that the challenge was timely. I've now concluded that the challenge was not timely." (See Ex B Hearing transcript P13L16) Plaintiff argued that the reasons for striking the Challenge, 1) there was no verification as required by Section 1703- was found on page 15 of the new Challenge, 2) there was no legal basis for disqualification in the new Challenge-Plaintiff stated there was 14 pages of legal basis for the Challenge, and 3) there were no new facts- which Plaintiff responded that all this new information came after the filing of Tigar's Answer and there was never any reference to his father and possible conflicts in any material submitted before. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P14L12) Tigar could not have read the

- 1 Challenge thoroughly and responded in haste with his order as all the reasons for the striking of the
- 2 Challenge are only more indicative of Tigar's continuing dishonesty and not answering the allegations.
- 3 Tigar responded that he had read the Challenge (See Ex B Hearing transcript P19L14) and it was now after
- 4 10:00 am. The hearings did not start until late and Plaintiff responded that there were two (actually three)
- 5 cases that were heard before this one. (See Ex B Hearing transcript P19L18) PLAINTIFF responded by
- 6 <u>objecting to any ruling of Tigars on the motion for reconsideration on the disqualification because the</u>
- 7 imperfections which may have been in the original pleadings were waived by Tigar's earlier ruling, and the
- 8 defendants actually raised that issue before and Tigar addressed it at that point in time, as he has the
- 9 discretion to use very broadly. <u>Plaintiff stated that Tigar can strike things that are obviously in the</u>
- disqualification, can be dishonest about those things, not respond to them and avoid answering them, then
- 11 <u>Tigar can make whatever decision you choose.</u> (See Ex B Hearing transcript P15L3) Tigar then sets his
- 12 trap for Plaintiff with his pretext for a charge of contempt by saying "it is contempt to call a judge
- dishonest".(See Ex B Hearing transcript P15L19) Plaintiff responded that "the contempt is what you have
- shown me by not answering the allegations or responding to the challenge and continuing to be
- dishonest!" there was all this new information came after the filing of Tigar's Answer and there was never
- any reference to his father and possible conflicts in any material submitted before, his involvement with
- some of the defendants and parties in this. You have not addressed, so there is no way that he could sit there
- and say there is no new information, that there is no new allegations, and it's not verified. It's obvious by the
- writings in the order that he was in a hurry to try to strike this in order to proceed with this case as if he
- have some agenda already. He then in his efforts to make sure the record reflects what he needs to provoke
- and prompt the charge of contempt says "I want the record to reflect that I paused" before he continued
- speaking, for emphasis.(See Ex B Hearing transcript P16L18) This was an attempt to demonstrate
- 23 "patience and restraint" to the reader of the record in his staged plan to charge Plaintiff with contempt.
- This tactic was purely professional, calculated, and without any emotion is another prime example of
- Tigar's disingenuous contemptuous conduct for Plaintiff and the People of this County and State.
- This entire exchange was staged as pretextual by Tigar to entrap Plaintiff into a charge of contempt for
- stating the obvious truth, Tigar was and remains dishonest, deceitful and a liar! Tigar is filling the record
- with the judicial "buzz words" to communicate to the judges whom will be reading the record later in
- support of his planned illicit and illegal charge of contempt against Plaintiff.
- Tigar has again lied under oath with his unilateral denial of the Challenge as being without verification that
- is easily forund on page 15 of the Challenge, and that he read the Challenge carefully yet missed the

- 1 verification for which he struck the Challenge. After it being pointed out to him that there was a verification
- 2 he did not reconsider his decision, he merely moved on deny Plaintiff his right to an honest answer to the
- 3 Challenge and recusal of Tigar.
- 4 The most important result of this hearing is that Tigar has officially made himself a defendant and fourth
- 5 element in this case. Though currently sitting as the judge in this matter he is now a defendant, co-defense
- 6 counsel and defense judge ruling in matters that he lied and has been deceitful about and is personally
- 7 involved in, was represented by the defendants themselves in an action that was brought by the defendants
- 8 BEFORE HIM to establish HIS right to sit and rule in the same matter that HE is now personally involved
- 9 in and HE sits in judgment of <u>HIMSELF BEFORE HIMSELF</u>! His representation by the defendants has
- 10 the unfortunate consequence of making the judge a litigant, obliged to the defense and their counsel by
- leaving his defense to one of the litigants appearing before him' in the underlying case. (*Kerr v. United*
- 12 States District Court, supra, 426 U.S. at pp. 402-403 [48 L.Ed.2d at p. 732].) Judges should be umpires
- 13 rather than players. This is a travesty and a mockery of justice with clear conflict while reaks of corruption
- 14 and collusion!
- 15 "That we are to stand by the president, legislature or judiciary; right or wrong is not only
- unpatriotic and servile, but is morally treasonable to the American public." -Theodore Roosevelt
- 17 <u>13</u>. <u>His Order Striking the Challenge For Cause list the three issues as follows:</u>

18 A. There Was No Verification as Required by Section 1703.

- Presumably his reference here is to section 170.3, not 1703, but if his answer is correct, if there is a 1703
- and Plaintiff's verification is improper, let us look at the challenge under the penalty of perjury. The
- 21 challenge served on Tigar clearly has all the required facts and form to adhere to the requirement of section
- 22 107.3. Even if the statement of disqualification was not verified as required by section 170.3, subdivision
- (c)(1), it was in the form of a declaration under penalty of perjury which is sufficient. (*Hollingsworth* v.
- ²⁴ Superior Court, supra, 191 Cal. App. 3d 22, 25-26.) Tigar has again lied under oath, in the process, stolen
- Plaintiff's truth and denied Plaintiff's his civli rights, right to due process, and rightful recusal of Tigar.

B. There Is No Legal Basis For Disqualification In The New Challenge

- Plaintiff has presented the facts that Tigar has not only lied under oath many times but failed and refused to
- answer any other allegations that would further expose the facts that he has not been forthright, and
- continues to be deceiving, dishonest, while lying under oath. What follows are clear examples of lies under
- oath and dishonesty and deception on behalf of Tigar that need not be answered by him or any judge ruling
- on this matter, you simply can not order a lie to be the truth! A lie will always remain a lie!

Judge Tigar is not honest, unbiased, nor competent and must recuse or Plaintiff is entitled to an

2 order to disqualify.

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3 California law requires that a judge be honest, unbiased and competent. Plaintiff has presented evidence that

4 Tigar is not honest, unbiased, nor therefore competent and does not meet any of these requirements. If

5 Tigar does not recuse himself, Plaintiff is therefore entitled to an order disqualifying Tigar from acting as

6 the judge in this matter and proceeding to trial in a matter that would be vacated under Code of Civil

7 Procedure §170.3. One of the strongest arguments of section 170.3(d) is the public policy considerations

underlying that section. Section 170.3 has the dual purpose of promoting "judicial economy" and

9 "fundamental fairness." (Guedalia v. Superior Court (1989) 211 Cal.App.3d at pp. 1162-1163.) The

statute "fosters judicial economy by eliminating the waste of time and money which inheres if the litigation

is permitted to continue unabated, only to be vacated on appeal because the subsequent rulings and

judgment were declared 'void' by virtue of the erroneously denied disqualification motion." (at p. 1162.)

Judge Tigar is guilty of lying under oath, being disingenuous and not being forthright in his answer and

must answer the charges that remain from his failed Answer and non response to Plaintiff's Reply.

Unfortunately, in the following instances Judge JON TIGAR has lied in his Answer and no other finding

need be made by anyone to ascertain the truths of these matters.

17 <u>In OPPOSITION Judge Tigar's Verified Answer That Does Not Address The Allegations Contained In</u>

Plaintiff's Statement Avoiding Facts Material or Relevant To The Disqualification And Disputed Issue Of

Fact, I now state and allege that:

1) In paragraph 8 he denies making the remarks, and states that he does not speak to litigants in that way, however he does not deny speaking to the two women, whom he classified as white, nor what he said that plaintiff found objectionable and felt it necessary to file the challenge. What did he say in the open court room to those parties? Did plaintiff make up this entire event? Tigar must reveal what truly transpired in that court room, what he said, not attempt to ignore that it happened and hide behind a veil of casting plaintiff as a chronic accuser without cause. This arrogance of being above the law and not having to answer is a prime example of the misconduct and conduct prejudicial of his discrimination through white elitist, privilege and class; the cavalier attitude; the racism and bias which was painfully obvious that he openly exhibited in the courtroom without regard to who heard and saw it. It is clear as well that he feels if he does not mention what he said, he is oblivious to it or it never happened, and no one will know it happened. Tigar can call plaintiff a liar under sworn testimony, yet he can not state what he said to refute what plaintiff has

sworn under the penalty of perjury. That is not good enough! Tigar must answer the question of "What

did he say?" to give plaintiff the reason to file the original challenge. Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's

2 allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the

interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or

4 must be disqualified.

2) In paragraph 9 he states that those people that were parties to the settlement conference litigation,

and he named all six people, could support his version of the event yet only Lynch and Fagerlin were

present at the time that he made the comments according to his own statement. This is an out and out lie as

it would be impossible for them to witness something that they clearly were not present for! Tigar is again

being dishonest and must answer the question of "What did he say?". Tigar fails to admit or deny

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in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law

and/or must be disqualified.

3) In paragraph 10 he states that plaintiff's "conclusory allegations are not linked to the actual words he is alleged to have used, and that he did not use those words. This again is an out and out lie as the conclusion drawn by plaintiff is a direct result of the words that Tigar used. There could be no other source from which to derive the conclusion and yet Tigar still never says what he in fact said. Tigar is again being dishonest and must answer the question of "What did he say?". Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.

4) In paragraph 11 he states that he never made the comment or asked plaintiff "what are you doing here?", that "I do not speak to anyone that way in my courtroom". This again is an out and out lie! Tigar may have suffered a lapse in where he was, forgot that he was in his courtroom, and made the mis-statement since by his own admission, he apparently speaks that way away from the courtroom. Tigar is again being dishonest and must answer the question of "What did he say?". Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.

5) In paragraph 12 he states that he is not bias and never made the comments during the hearing alleged by plaintiff with regards to the outstanding discovery disputes and only "required the parties to file trial documents for Rule 4.6 compliance, would hear any motions or other request for relief on Monday"

1 and he provides a transcript to verify his sworn statement. This again is an out and out lie! The transcript at 2 Page 12, Line 20 to Page 13, Line 16 clearly discusses some of the outstanding discovery disputes raised 3 by plaintiff and at Page 12 Line 26 Tigar states that "the chances are remote that the court will be 4 addressing any outside discovery disputes" and further at Page 13, Line 4 "Mr. al-Hakim, your trial is 5 commencing. You're watching that occur". This transcript does not accurately reflect the hearing as in 6 Tigar's explanation at Page 13, Line 9 he further stated that a motion to determine the time to be excluded 7 from the five year statute is only proper when there is a motion to dismiss under that statute. Tigar's 8 deception is evident by his failure and refusal to answer plaintiff's charges and attempt to deflect his actions 9 as his request of the parties to file the local rule 4.6 trial documents. The record is clear, Tigar's lying and 10 arrogance of being above the law and not having to answer the allegation is again a prime example of the 11 misconduct and conduct prejudicial demonstrated by his discrimination through white elitist privilege and 12 class; the cavalier attitude; the racism and bias, bad faith; this suggested denial of due process; suggested 13 obstruction of justice; has exhibited, expressed and shown a fixed opinion; openly displayed favoritism 14 towards certain parties in litigation; openly made accusations of parties conduct; displayed disdain and a 15 mental attitude or disposition of prejudice was painfully obvious as he openly exhibited this in the 16 courtroom without regard to who heard and saw it. Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as 17 required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice 18 as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified. 19 6) Plaintiff's case involves charges of racism, religious bigotry, bias, prejudice, as well as motions for 20 disqualification for judges for the same actions exhibited here by judge Tigar of racism, religious bigotry, 21 bias, prejudice, misconduct, conduct prejudicial, Plaintiff is certain that there can be no fair trial before 22 Tigar. 23 In paragraph 13 Tigar states that none of his actions was motivated by nor demonstrate any bias on the 24 basis of religion. To this point Tigar has not admitted that he has committed any actions at all, much less 25 any that might be those of a bigot! Tigar refuses and fails to understand that if you are elitist you are bias, 26 prejudice, racist and a bigot. All these same ignorant schisms stem from the illusion of being "Superior", 27 not just different, but better than everyone else, and in his case above the law without cause to properly 28 respond to the ever pending question "What did he say?" and how are his actions referenced in Paragraph 29 5 above not clearly indicative of his taint as charged therein?. It is well established that Tigar is being 30 dishonest and again human nature is such that if you will lie you will steal! As a judge when you lie you are 31 stealing someone's truth, their rights, their justice, their life, their equity, their freedom! Tigar will never serve 32

- before me. Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff
- 2 request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure
- 3 §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.
- 4 7) In paragraph 14 Tigar states that he has no personal relationship with any of the judges James
- 5 Richman, David C. Lee, Richard Hodge and Michael Ballachey, however again does not respond regarding
- 6 his relationship with Oakland City Attorneys John Russo, Jannie Wong and Anita Hong. He does mention
- 7 that he socializes with the judges at events but has never discussed the al-Hakim case with them. Well,
- 8 whom has he discussed the al-Hakim case with? Further, with whom, when and what has he discussed al-
- 9 Hakim or any al-Hakim related issues? Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by §
- 10 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of
- 11 Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.
- 8) In paragraph 15 Tigar states that he can not discern specific facts that support Plaintiff's allegation
- of racism, bias, or misconduct against him yet he has failed and refused to answer any of the allegations
- 14 contained in the Statement of Disqualification nor this Reply that all remain outstanding, Clearly he does
- 15 not want to address those issues nor the issues of "What race are the parties/counsel he encountered in this
- 16 case?", What was the race of the parties/counsel in the case he presided over in the settlement?, and "Did
- 17 he say the same things to the African-American parties in settlement as he did their White counterparts?".
- 18 The worst type of elitist, bias, prejudice, racist, bigot is the one that thinks that he can deceive and fool
- 19 everyone, feels he is above suspicion, has no obligation to defend his actions and attitude, in a more blatant
- display ignores it, or in worst case in so ignorant in his actions of ignorance that he is oblivious to them.
- 21 Tigar is not that ignorant! Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd.
- 22 (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil
- Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.
- 24 9) In paragraph 16 Tigar states that he works hard to create an environment of comfort for parties to be
- heard and provides a letter from an attorney to support his contention. As to this plaintiff, Tigar has failed
- that self imposed standard, does not comport with his actions and would defy all logic in consideration of
- 27 this reply contained herein at paragraphs 1-9 and particularly paragraph. 4 and 5. The real question is
- 28 "How many complaints has Tigar had over the years?".
- In Plaintiff's investigation of Tigar, there was two references of reptiles that crawl on their bellies that was
- 30 used to describe his character.
- One was a chameleon as he changes color to blend into the litigation strategy of a party and the other was a
- snake as he would then raise up and bite you in the back! He can not be trusted with the truth or the law!

1 The other prevalent comment was "his father he is NOT!". Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's

2 allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the

interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or

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5 10) In paragraph 17 Tigar states that he is a member of several judicial committees and makes ethics

6 and fairness part of his out of court judicial work. The fact that he so proudly proclaims this out of court

7 work is all the more startling that he could make such statements in courtroom both in and out of session!

Tigar had to know better and to now fail and refuse to answer any questions regarding what he said and did

9 is inexcusable. What other professional or social organizations, associations, or committees does Tigar

belong to? Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff

request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure

12 §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.

11) In paragraph 18 Tigar states that other than the answers he has provided, he has no knowledge of the truth or falsity of the factual allegations in the Challenge and deny them on that basis yet he has repeated lied while failing and refusing to answer to any of his statements or actions made in the Challenge by plaintiff. Tigar will have to address the fact that he will be asked to rule on the many transgressions of not only the defendants and their counsel in this case, but the underlying case defendants, their counsels, their experts and witnesses, and all the judges named herein. The financial, political and social climate of this country in relations to racism, religious bigotry, bias, prejudice, and that of elitist class. Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation

12) In paragraph 19 Tigar states that the court should assess the credibility of plaintiff in considering the allegation of bias against him by plaintiff's history of challenges against judges. If Tigar has no knowledge of this case, has only read the register of actions, how would he have any knowledge of the Challenges filed by plaintiff and the contents of the answers filed in those challenges and the order dissolving the stay. The answers to the challenges are not public information and could not be accessed for any such purposes as his answer. This is another obvious lie and more precisely it is intended to prejudice the review of this Challenge. Along with his proud display of his self touted connections in the review of judges, he is clearly attempting to "curry favor" from a colleague for his pitiable position. How would the previously filed challenges or the order on the stay impact his actions in this matter? Why has he repeatedly

- 2 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of
- 3 Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.
- 4 A jury would easily convict Tigar of obstruction of justice for lying under oath in his Answer To Challenge
- 5 For Cause and the written Order Striking Challenge For Cause. Tigar omitted answering most of the
- 6 allegations that established that he was being purposefully evasive, deceptive, and lying under oath.
- 7 Tigar repeated and continued failing and refusing to answer and testify only darkens the cloud surrounding
- 8 his statements and actions, despite the fact that his own words bear witness against his claim of not being
- 9 "dishonest". Perhaps only a grand jury will force him to truthfully answer the allegations and accept the
- 10 obvious by recusing.
- 11 Tigar seems to be asking for an emotional appeal for leniency that Plaintiff believes would send the wrong
- message and would seem unfair to the Public. "The message to the Public should be that you cannot lie in a
- 13 court of law, even if you are a judge".
- 14 It is well established in legal and political circles of Tigar's ambition to become an Appellate Court Judge,
- 15 not unlike the appellate judges he mentions both Richman and Needham. He has proudly acknowledged his
- serving in the capacity of reviewing the complaints against judges, presumably the Judicial Council or like
- 17 type committee, though never mentioning any complaints against him. How many times has he ruled on the
- actions of another judge? Who were they? What was the outcome? Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's
- 19 allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the
- 20 interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or
- 21 must be disqualified.
- 22 It is with this in mind that he could not pass any objectionable test for bias or corruption by any member of
- 23 the general public. When one considers that he will be asked to preside over the actions of ALL the judges
- 24 he mentions, it is not possible that he would not "rubber stamp" their transgressions as a matter already
- 25 decided, though by another judge like him, NOT THE GENERAL PUBLIC AS STATED IN LAW!. Tigar
- 26 fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that
- 27 Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and
- 28 (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.

29 C. There Are No New Facts

30 <u>"Facts do not cease to exist because they are ignored." - Aldous Huxley</u>

- 31 Plaintiff referenced all new facts in the Challenge as they occurred AFTER Tigar's reply and he has
- 32 NEVER responded to the allegations and failed and refused to do so in this current Challenge. All of the

- 1 facts herein have never been addressed by Tigar including the following:.
- 2 <u>1. Judge Tigar's Verified Answer Reveals Improper Ex Parte Communications and Obtained Knowledge</u>
- 3 and Information Regarding Disputed Evidentiary Facts
- 4 Judge Tigar had exceeded his role as an impartial adjudicator and engaged in his own investigation.
- 5 Because there was no record of Judge Tigar's conversation with the judges, al-Hakim contends the judge
- 6 presumably obtained knowledge and information regarding other challenges and disqualification's from
- 7 improper ex parte communications; facts and evidence of other judges involvement in this case that he is
- 8 familiar with; and disputed evidentiary facts unknown to defense counsel and the plaintiff. For these
- 9 reasons, and because Judge Tigar would be a material witness concerning his conversation about the prior
- 10 challenges and how he obtained such information, al-Hakim contends that Judge Tigar must be disqualified
- 11 for cause pursuant to section 170.1, subdivision (a)(1) (the judge has personal knowledge of disputed
- evidentiary facts) and (a)(6) (a person aware of the facts reasonably might entertain a doubt whether the
- 13 judge would be able to be impartial). Judge Tigar also demonstrated bias by stating at the hearing that he
- was denying discovery motions, contrary to the recommendations of the presiding court judge, without
- 15 having considered evidence and argument on behalf of al-Hakim, and solely because he and defense
- 16 counsel opposed it. His answer further suggest that the bleeding of this information of the previous
- 17 challenges into failed his answer portends the authoring of his answer by Anita, the former law clerk for
- Judge Henry Needham. Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd.
- 19 (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil
- 20 Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.
- 21 **14**. Potential Serious Conflicts of Interests Must Be Disclosed By All Parties, Including the Defendants
- 22 and Defense Counsel Firms and Both Judges Tigar and Atack
- Tigar serves in several capacities in the State and Northern California Judicial system, and he may well be
- associates, friends, and acquaintances with Judge Atack whom ruled on his challenge the defendants and
- defense counsel firms and his fathers potential impact upon this case with his associates, friends, and
- acquaintances with related parties. Therein lies some potential serious conflicts of interests that must be
- disclosed by all the parties, including the defendants and defense counsel and both Judges Tigar and Atack
- as judges are obliged to disclose significant or substantial relationships with the parties and Tigar's fathers
- potential impact upon this case with his associates, friends, and acquaintances with related parties. Due to
- this prior involvement and his relationships, Tigar must and has failed to provide a full written disclosure as
- required under California Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and
- must be disqualified. Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3)

- and Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure
- 2 §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.
- 3 <u>15.</u> The Judge Deciding the Disqualification Also Avoided Issues Of Disqualification and Refused To
- 4 Hear Evidence On Disputed Issue Of Fact
- 5 "Suspicion must always fall on those who attempt to use silence on their opponents."
- 6 -Ian Buckley
- 7 Permitting the judge deciding the question of disqualification to avoid the issues raised in the challenge just
- 8 as Tigar did, does not serve the salutary purpose of furthering the accuracy and integrity of the fact-finding
- 9 process and allowing a challenged judge nor al-Hakim the opportunity to "clear his name." al-Hakim
- maintains that this purpose is especially important because the allegedly disqualified judge has the greatest
- 11 motivation to litigate the issue of his own impartiality and because serious disciplinary consequences may
- 12 follow a determination that a judge is biased. (See In re Rasmussen (1987) 43 Cal. 3d 536, 538 [236 Cal.
- Rptr. 152, 734 P.2d 988] [trial judge disciplined for various acts of misconduct, including refusal to
- disqualify himself from a proceeding in which he had communicated substantive matters to a party in the
- absence of counsel].) Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd.
- 16 (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil
- 17 Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or must be disqualified.
- al-Hakim asserts that public policy would be better served by affording the hearing to review the challenge
- 19 for disqualification. Limiting review of disqualification orders in accordance with section 170.3(d) violates
- certain rights of due process to al-Hakim and the challenged judge and is procedurally unfair, and the
- 21 statute may be unconstitutional or should be held invalid on these grounds. For this reason, a hearing is
- 22 justified in any event, although a ruling disqualifying a judge for cause under certain circumstances might
- provide evidence of misconduct warranting judicial discipline, such discipline could not be imposed without
- 24 further proceedings before the Commission on Judicial Performance, where the judge would have a full and
- 25 fair opportunity to respond to any allegations of misconduct, as well as an opportunity to petition for review
- in this court. (See Cal. Const., art. VI, § 18, subd. (d); Cal. Rules of Court, rule 935; Rules of Com. on Jud.
- 27 Performance, rules 109-135.) Moreover, many grounds warranting disqualification for cause do not
- suggest that the judge necessarily has engaged in improper conduct.
- 29 Statutes governing disqualification for cause are intended to ensure public confidence in the judiciary and to
- protect the right of the litigants to a fair and impartial adjudicator--not to safeguard an asserted right,
- privilege, or preference of a judge to try or hear a particular dispute. (See People v. Thomas (1972) 8 Cal.

- 1 3d 518, 520 [105 Cal. Rptr. 366, 503 P.2d 1374]; North Bloomfield G. M. Co. v. Keyser (1881) 58 Cal.
- 2 315, 322-323; see also Alexander v. Primerica Holdings, Inc. (3d Cir. 1993) 10 F.3d 155, 164-166 [strictly
- 3 limiting participation by trial judge in writ proceeding seeking his disqualification for cause under federal
- 4 statute].)
- 5 Plaintiff's statements of disqualification are sufficient. Even though they contain allegations on
- 6 "information and belief" and conclusions, which are arguably sufficient, they also allege that Tigar has lied
- 7 under oath. Under the plain language of the statute, Tigar must be deemed to have lied in this proceeding
- 8 and therefore is disqualified from hearing the case.

9 <u>16</u>. <u>The Contested Orders</u>

10 <u>1. The July 30, 2007 Order</u>

- 11 The order demands that plaintiff pay for the first four (4) hours of expert witness fees and all costs of their
- deposition. The replaced experts David Brier, David Smith and Kevin Dawson have been named in this case
- for over six years and the defendants have never sought to depose them. Why would plaintiff suddenly now
- be responsible for the costs for the defendants to depose the experts? This is nothing more than a financial
- club provided by the court for the defendants to bludgeon plaintiff with. The replacement experts David
- Peterson, Michael Ferguson and Samuel Barnum have been known to the defendants for over eight months,
- and in the cases of Ferguson and Barnum several years, yet they have never sought to depose these experts.
- To order that plaintiff pay these costs at this point is grossly unfair, prejudicial, and a gross miscarriage of
- 19 justice. The importance of this point can not be overstated or overlooked because both the court and
- Defendants are aware that plaintiff does not have the financial resources for such necessary expenses.
- Defendants would happily depose the experts now for no reason other than to extinguish plaintiff's funds
- without any benefit to plaintiff further crippling his case.
- More importantly, the order summarily excludes the very same Retained Expert Witnesses, David Peterson,
- Michael Ferguson and Samuel Barnum that plaintiff had named in his motion and the April 20, 2007
- Disclosure (attached as Exhibit "B" to pleading) as his chosen retained expert witness replacements for
- David Brier, David Smith and Kevin Dawson per the courts order. Plaintiff had agreements with those
- Experts.
- A simple reading of that motion reveals that the retained experts plaintiff had asked for and was granted an
- order to replace: David Brier, David Smith and Kevin Dawson, are not listed in plaintiff's amended expert
- list filed with the court April 20, 2007 that names his chosen retained expert witnesses David Peterson,
- Michael Ferguson and Samuel Barnum as their replacements and referenced in the court's order. Plaintiff

- does not know the affect of the meaning of the courts order on his chosen retained expert witnesses nor the
- 2 naming of the replacements and is unsure if:
- 3 a. this ruling by the court is made without the comprehension that the replacement experts are anticipated
- 4 and <u>his chosen retained expert witnesses</u> named in the motion and amended disclosure and unknowingly
- 5 excluded by the court from being named as a result of the courts order;
- 6 b. perhaps by plaintiff's inadvertent mistake in filing the motion to amend and providing <u>his chosen</u>
- 7 replacement retained expert witnesses in the amended disclosure caused the courts confusion though the
- 8 motion was necessary;
- 9 c. there is a grammatical, syntax, or other sentence composition error that lead to the wording of the order
- being unintelligible from the standpoint of interpretation and/or meaning in excluding his chosen retained
- expert witnesses or naming the replacements; or that
- d. this ruling was made willfully and intentionally.
- For these reasons, on August 14, 2007 Plaintiff filed an appeal of this order.

2. The August 31 and September 7, 2008 Orders

- Plaintiff feels that these rulings, conduct and actions by the court exhibit a continued patterned of abuse of
- discretion, bias, prejudice, and misconduct on behalf of judge Tigar, that the result of these rulings are
- prejudicial and if not corrected will result in a miscarriage of justice.
- Judge Tigar has moved to exclude and dismiss the actions of the defendants, their counsels, agents
- employees, contractors, and/or associates in this and the underlying case, which provide profoundly
- substantial evidence of their unlawful activity in order to protect them.
- Plaintiff will easily demonstrate that he would suffer great prejudice by these privileged rulings and that he
- is likely to succeed in appeal on the merits. The rulings bars plaintiff from establishing his prima facie case
- on many of his claims and no protective procedure can salvage plaintiff's suit.
- The effective application of these rulings gives the defendants the privilege of a litigation advantage that has.
- 25 ... two effects. First, when these privileged rulings are invoked over particular evidence, the evidence is
- completely removed from the case. Plaintiff's case, however, may proceed based on evidence not covered
- by these privileged rulings. If plaintiff cannot prove the *prima facie* elements of his case or claims without
- the evidence bared by the privileged rulings, then the court has essentially and may dismiss his claim as it
- would with any plaintiff who cannot prove his case. Secondly further buttressing its assertion of this
- privileged order, essentially a non-suit or summary judgment has or may be granted in favor of defendants
- because the privilege rulings deprives the plaintiff of evidence, testimony, documents and relevant orders

- 1 and information that would otherwise give the plaintiff valid proof to the causes of action and his claims.
- 2 Plaintiffs' specific allegations, claims, and causes of action based in large part on the actions of these
- 3 parties are supported by abundant corroborating evidence and the involvement of these Defense parties, in
- 4 this and the underlying trial is a matter of public record, confirmed by documentary evidence and
- 5 eyewitness testimony, including sworn declaration.
- 6 These rulings for all practical purposes results in the dismissal of major uncontested and uncontroverted
- 7 documents, evidence, testimony crucial to establishing many of plaintiff's causes of actions and damages on
- 8 the merits. Such an order is irreconcilable with the concept of due process and the result of any trial by
- 9 plaintiff on his causes of action being legitimately weighed by the trier of fact in a just proceeding on the
- merits. These orders are inherently inconsistent with any perceived proceeding under the guise of fairness
- and seeks to avoid that very same concept that we all hold dear. The termination of plaintiff's right to
- 12 proceed unimpeded by this judicial foreclosure of facts embraced in or affected by this prejudicial order is
- irreconcilable with the just litigation and presentation of his case to the jury in relation to the possible
- outcome while it enhances the effectiveness of an actual appeal of the outcome. Indeed, the point of the
- 15 fairness laws, ordinances and statutes are that one has a right not to be dragged through the courts because
- 16 they HAD to exercise their constitutional rights.
- 17 There can be little question but that, under the circumstances of this case, a reversal of the trial court's order
- would serve a just, fair, practical and legitimate purpose. The trial court's error-going forward with the trial
- 19 while its pretrial ruling on plaintiff's motion is improper will drastically affect the actual trial of the case, the
- 20 jury's verdict, and the content of the judgment in every respect. What will be accomplished by a reversal is a
- 21 more fair and just trial without the wasting of considerable time, effort, and resources.
- 22 The California Constitution provides that "[n]o judgment shall be set aside ... in any cause ... for any error
- as to any matter of procedure, unless, after an examination of the entire cause, including the evidence, the
- court shall be of the opinion that the error complained of has resulted in a miscarriage of justice." (Cal.
- 25 Const., art. VI, § 13.) By statute, trial court error provides a ground for reversal only if it affects "the
- substantial rights of the parties." (Code Civ. Proc., § 475.) No judgment may be reversed on the basis of an
- 27 error or defect in the proceedings unless "a different result would have been probable if such error ... or
- defect had not occurred or existed." (*Ibid.*) In the present case, it is undisputed that the error complained of
- 29 will result in a miscarriage of justice.

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3. Relevance of the Underlying Rescue Trial

- 31 It is settled law in this state that as relevant to the conduct and actions herein and listed in the attached
- 32 separate statement in the original motion of the named parties; Plaintiff's former attorney Frank McKeown;

the underlying case defendant's Rescue Industries and their attorneys including Fletcher C. Alford, agents, 1 witnesses and experts; defendant CSAA and their attorneys, agents, witnesses and experts; Ron Cook and 2 Willoughby Stuart & Bening and their attorneys, agents, witnesses and experts; former defense counsel for 3 the hostile intervener Sean O'Halloran; and the City of Oakland Attorneys' office and their attorneys, 4 5 agents, witnesses and experts; all having participated in, committed and being guilty of orchestration of the defense strategy, witness testimony and evidence that was procured thru admitted suborned and solicited 6 perjurious testimony by them; engaged in actions to interfere with the litigant's legal case through fraud and 7 8 deception against their insured; engaged in actions to coverup the unlawful act of suborn and solicited 9 perjurious testimony; committed patterned criminal, willful, and corrupt fraud upon the Court of the State of 10 California; engaged in acts and created documents to coverup the unlawful tactics; fraudulent concealment by willfully and intentionally withholding their knowledge and insight of the intervention hearing and the 11 transcript of said hearing to gain an order from the court after being denied; they failed and refused to 12 13 disclose to the court their stealthily absconding the City of Oakland files without the permission or knowledge of the City Attorney's staff; their spoliation of evidence with the disappearance of court records; 14 15 allowed the trial to proceed knowing their responsibility and the legal impact of their spoliation of evidence of the documents; their unpardonable breach in the chain of custody of said documents; conspiracy to 16 commit fraud; conspiracy; extrinsic fraud; aided and abetted criminal activity; committed willful, criminal 17 18 and corrupt perjury; fraud; fraudulent concealment; conspiracy to commit fraud; conspiracy; subornation of perjurious testimony and solicitation of perjurious testimony; collusion; corruption; illegal and improper ex 19 20 parte communications; abuse of discretion; gross misconduct; conduct prejudicial; gross negligence; bias, prejudice; and made numerous false allegations in their pleadings, wherein these charges are inextricably 21 intertwined with their truthful testimony and their perjury; and fraudulent concealment by the defendant of 22 23 the facts upon which a cause of action is based (Kimball v. Pacific Gas & Elec. Co., 220 Cal. 203 [30] 24 P.2d 39]) or mistake as to the facts constituting the cause of action (*Davis etc. Co. v. Advance etc. Works*, 25 Inc., 38 Cal.App.2d 270 [100 P.2d 1067]; see 16 Cal.Jur. 505) is discoverable and trial material. Principles 26 of equity and justice, to which this court is bound to grant relief, are likewise controlling here. The present 27 case involves an insurer whose duty of good faith in dealing with the insured is well established. (See 13 28 Appleman, Insurance Law and Practice 37; Vance, Insurance (1930) 74.) It is likewise unnecessary to dwell 29 upon the contention that the insurer's duty of good faith to its insured arises at the time of contracting and 30 persists throughout the period when premiums are paid and no return is sought, but that when a loss occurs 31 and the insured seeks to obtain the compensation provided in the contract, the parties deal at arm's length. It 32 is sufficient to hold that the equitable considerations that justify relief in this case are applicable whether

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1 defendant violated a legal duty in failing to disclose its actions and involvement in setting up the underlying 2 defendants technical defense, and participation in the subsequent trial or whether it is now getting the aid of 3 the court in sustaining this prejudicial order that would enable them to obtain an unconscionable advantage 4 and enforce an unfair forfeiture of plaintiff's rights at trial on the merits. 5 Admittedly plaintiff finds himself in unfortunate circumstances that are not of his own choosing and his 6 plight is very different from that of a multitude of litigants against whom this court has applied clear rules 7 of law. And contrary to the intimation raised by dictum in the trial courts order, the plaintiff's position was 8 defined and occasioned by any unreasonable conduct of these and the underlying defendants, their counsels 9 including Alford, agents employees, contractors, and/or associates. Although it is said that the situation of 10 plaintiff at the present time is attributable to the improper ruling of the trial court granting Alford's motion 11 and denying plaintiff's, the record shows allegations and claims by him that the defendants actions for the 12 designed purpose of causing the complete disaster of plaintiff cases that were improper or not for good 13 cause, or that these and the underlying defendants, their counsels including Alford, agents employees, 14 contractors, and/or associates affirmatively misled him by lulling him into a sense of false security and, 15 consequently, justice demands that this court allow a remedy. The "factual background of this action," 16 warrants just such an assumption and controlling principles compel the conclusion that according to settled 17 rules of law the insurer took undue advantage of plaintiff. He and the insurance company were adversaries in an action at law and as such entitled to deal at arm's length but also as partners to a contract AGAINST 18 19 the underlying defendants, their counsels including Alford, agents employees, contractors, and/or 20 associates. The rule that the insurer and the insured owe each other a high degree of good faith in 21 contracting (Vance on Insurance (2d ed., 1930), pp. 74-75) and in every sense affect their position as 22 adversaries AGAINST Alford and the underlying defendants in a court of law for, in litigation, they face 23 each other in an entirely different capacity having entirely different incidents. 24 4. **Sanctions** 25 The orders demands that plaintiff pay sanctions presumably for discovery abuses in the filing of the 26 motions yet the motion that plaintiff filed was for the court to issue TRIAL subpoenas ordering the witness 27 to appear, not deposition subpoenas and to provide witness information for TRIAL! Plaintiff had already 28 received and served TRIAL subpoenas but has knowledge that the witnesses served would try to avoid 29 appearing without the court specifically ordering them. The option of issuing deposition subpoenas is just 30 that, an option that the court has the power to exercise. This was merely an alternate option to facilitate the 31 trial and for judicial economy presented in an attempt to make the court aware of the many abuses of the

defendants as it relates to discovery and depositions, the possibility of long, tedious, and needless trial

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- 1 testimony, with the resulting costs for same, not a DEMAND! This offer of an option can hardly qualify as
- 2 a motion to reopen discovery by a plaintiff in pro per. Why would plaintiff suddenly be charged with
- 3 discovery abuses and ordered to pay sanctions for proposing an option that clearly a fair and just judge has
- 4 the obligation to consider and discretion to exercise? This is nothing more than a financial club provided by
- 5 the court for the defendants to bludgeon plaintiff with. To order that plaintiff pay these sanctions is grossly
- 6 unfair, bias, prejudicial, oppressive, an abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice. The importance
- 7 of this point can not be overstated or overlooked because both the court and defendants are aware that
- 8 plaintiff does not have the financial resources for his own necessary expenses and Tigar has now issued
- 9 this order for no reason other than to further extinguish plaintiff's funds.

10 <u>5.</u> "Discovery" Labels

- 11 As with the request for the disclosure of the witness pertinent contact information, that is required in the
- 12 defendants filing of their disclosure declarations and they have NEVER made that proper disclosure. For
- 13 plaintiff to make this fact known of defendants continued failure and refusal to provide the required
- 14 information and his need for same, is an effort to facilitate the trial, for judicial economy, to clarify this
- outstanding omission and give the courts a chance to enforce the law before trial and motions in limine to
- 16 ensure a fair trial on the merits again without the loss of time and increase costs. This also can not be
- 17 characterized as a motion to reopen discovery by a plaintiff in pro per who seeks this required and needed
- 18 information for TRIAL!. These entitlements and citations as "discovery motions" and attempts to "re-
- open discovery" are merely veils to hide the real intent by judge Tigar to avoid appellate review because by
- 20 labeling them as such they are easy to deny without suspicion or attention, to award sanctions against
- 21 plaintiff and are not appealable by plaintiff.

22 6. Release of Orders; Gamesmanship

- These orders are both stamp executed on September 10, 2007, though the hearings were a week apart, and
- 24 received by Plaintiff after he emerged from retreat in December. It is a clear impossibility for the court to
- 25 reasonably expect Plaintiff to have responded to these orders given the advanced notice to the court of his
- absence and inability, and for the court to hold the orders and disseminate them after plaintiff was in retreat
- is oppressive, unconscionable, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!
- The counterintuitive order arrived at by the trial judge is not the creature of constitutional or statutory
- compulsion; it emanates entirely from earlier decisions rendered by this court and judge. Plaintiff believes it
- 30 is time to reject and disavow these judicially imposed formalistic civil rights and due process violations and
- 31 constraints and arrive at a fairer, just and more logical outcome in this case and in future proceedings.

32 17. Tigar's Orders Denying Ex-Parte Applications for Orders Shortening Time

- 1 Plaintiff opposed the order denying the Ex-Parte Applications for Orders Shortening Time and
- 2 <u>respectfully requests that the order be vacated on the grounds that:</u>
- 3 A. Tigar did not review the issues as plead by Plaintiff on January 11, 2008 nor the past pleadings from the
- 4 orders dated July 30, August 31 and September 7, 2008, as requested or he would have discovered both
- 5 legal authority and competent supporting evidence for the court to rule in Plaintiff's favor. This was an
- 6 error of judge Tigar.
- 7 Tigar's above orders denying Plaintiff's rights to a fair trial of his claims without any statutory or
- 8 contractual basis authorizing such a ruling places an intolerable burden on Plaintiff, denying Plaintiff his
- 9 legitimate and undeniable rights to this claim, and strikes at the heart of Plaintiff's fundamental civil rights
- and due process under the law, guaranteed by the United States Constitution and California Constitution.
- Plaintiff asserts the trial court abused its discretion in ordering to amend the witness list but to exclude <u>his</u>
- 12 <u>chosen retained expert witnesses</u> as the replacements named because it seeks to alter the course of his
- 13 litigation and strategy that clearly demonstrate an abuse of discretion, that "the error is prejudicial (Code
- 14 Civ. Proc., § 475) and if not corrected, it would result in a 'miscarriage of justice.' *Pool v. City of Oakland*
- 15 (1986) 42 Cal.3d 1051, 1069 [232 Cal.Rptr. 528, 728 P.2d 1163], quoting Cal. Const., art. VI, § 13; *People*
- 16 v. Watson (1956) 46 Cal.2d 818, 834 [299 P.2d 243].)
- With regards to Judge Tigar, there is an infinite amount of evidence herein to attest to his lying
- under oath and perjury, misrepresentations, deceit, dishonesty, willful and prejudicial
- misconduct, bad faith, incompetence, conflicts of interest, bias, calling Plaintiff a liar without any
- substantiation or justification; instructing Plaintiff not to mention Tigar's perjury or to speak his own truth;
- threatened retaliation to charge him with contempt when plaintiff refused to back off his charges of the
- judges perjury, deceit; entitling orders for his convenience to deny them and avoid appellate review; entitling
- orders for his convenience to deny them and issues sanctions; willful and intentionally withholding filing
- and serving orders (possibly backdating orders) then acted on the orders after the applicable deadlines for
- Plaintiff to legally and properly respond, thus forcing Plaintiff to forfeit his civil rights and right to due
- process; irresponsible failure as a judge to read, interpret, and apply the applicable laws, **, accusing**
- Petitioner of attacking judges in open court, has attacked other parties in open court while
- dressed in civilian clothes yet performing his duties as a judge and his honest refusal to recuse
- 29 "goes beyond mere negligence"; this conduct falls into the category of willful misconduct by a judge as
- arising out of conduct which is done in bad faith and conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice that
- brings the judicial office into disrepute. The deception practiced by Judge Tigar during these events, as well

- as his specious actions before this Plaintiff on every occasion, are equally antithetical to, and inherently
- 2 incompatible with, his duties to uphold the law and the search for truth, reflects a gross lack of judicial
- 3 temperament and a purpose other than the faithful discharge of judicial duty, and is at minimum improper
- 4 action. Given the above, Judge Tigar's conduct violated canons 1, 2, 2A, and 2B(2), and constituted both
- 5 willful and prejudicial misconduct. Judge Tigar treated plaintiff in a rude and demeaning manner, in
- 6 violation of canons 1, 2A, 3B(2), 3B(4), and 3B(8). He berated, scolded, threatened, and belittled plaintiff
- 7 even called him a liar. These improper references of plaintiff's character and as being untruthful, coupled
- 8 with his perjury regarding the discovery matters and categorical denial of every discovery issue raised
- 9 before him reflected a prejudgment of plaintiff's discovery claims and a lack of impartiality, contrary to
- 10 canon 3B(5). Judge Tigar's persistent willful misconduct, bad faith, mistreatment, promised retaliation and
- 11 "atmosphere of unfairness" determines that there is a high probability he would continue his unethical
- behavior if he were to continue in a judicial capacity in the future;
- B. The defendants opposition to the motions were void of any true facts that contest Plaintiff's factual
- presentation of evidence, law and case law in support of his motion, while Defendants do not cite any real
- case law in support of their opposition and fails to set forth any facts or legal authority which support their
- 16 contentions and really never contest Plaintiff pleading. Although Plaintiff has provided page after page of
- 17 laws and citations that Tigar and defendants want to ignore, again the relief sought by Plaintiff is
- specifically authorized by the plain language of Section 1821.8(b), and therefore no additional "case
- 19 authority" is required.
- 20 C. it violates and strikes at the heart of Plaintiff's fundamental civil rights and due process under the law
- 21 guaranteed by the United States Constitution Amendments I, V, VI, and XIV, and as applicable to this state
- of California Constitution by the first clause of Section 13 of Article I; Article VI, section 13, as a
- 23 "miscarriage of justice."; Article VI, section 18, subd. (d)(3), and his insurance contractual rights with the
- 24 Defendants;
- D. a legal decision as critical as whether or not to deny Plaintiff his lawful right to his chosen expert
- 26 witnesses, proof of his causes of action and a fair and just trial of his claims by a "competent and
- 27 disinterested" judge when Plaintiff has prepared his claims for trial, when this court is fully aware of the
- 28 presence of disqualifying factors of the judge that would constitute the vacating of any trial awards rendered
- and to properly litigate his case; perform discovery on all matters submitted; complete pretrial related
- 30 motions; subpoena and depose, if necessary, witnesses; is allowing Judge Tigar to be the henchman for the
- 31 defense and release the judicial guillotine upon Plaintiff and his family's neck with Plaintiff's entire 10 year
- 32 action and trial being destroyed by this blatantly erroneous ruling on this judge's own discretion;

- 1 E. it is void of any legal basis, moral conviction, ethical reason nor merit as Tigar has failed and refused to
- 2 provided the truth of his statements and actions nor any information sought relative thereto and has fostered
- 3 his relationship involvement and business with Defendants CSAA, and their defense counsel Ropers
- 4 Majeski, as they represented his interest BEFORE HIMSELF as judge in their opposition to his staged
- 5 recusal in April 2007 allowing him to continue as judge in this matter. He has subsequently ruled in favor
- 6 of the underlying defendants Rescur Rooter, City of Oakland, and the defense counsel in the underlying
- 7 case of Rescue Rooter, yet has offered no explanation whatsoever for any of the false statements, through
- 8 this denial asserts he had no obligation to advise Plaintiff of the truth even though he was aware of the
- 9 misrepresentations. His representation by the defendants has the unfortunate consequence of making the
- 10 judge a litigant, obliged to the defense and their counsel by leaving his defense to one of the litigants
- appearing before him' in the underlying case. These erroneous rulings clearly exhibits Tigar's is
- 12 intemperate and has stepped outside the boundaries of what can be characterized as proper and reflects the
- 13 judge's intent to intimidate, taunt, infer, and influence the outcome of this case, and as such, impress on the
- case his judicial imprimatur of the defense's position;
- 15 F. is retaliatory, punitive and places an intolerable burden on Plaintiff;
- G. denies Plaintiff his legitimate and undeniable rights to his claims and the proper litigation thereof; and
- 17 H. is indicative of the continued willful, prejudicial misconduct, abuse of discretion and process, bias and
- deceit of Judge Tigar legally and practically deprives Plaintiff of due process by depriving him of the right
- 19 to a fair and impartial trial, wherein the findings and judgment resulting from such misconduct must be
- 20 annulled, and the matter remanded for further proceedings as in the event of a mistrial. California courts
- 21 recognize that such actions on the part of a judge such as those committed here by Judge Tigar are illegal.
- There was no GOOD reason for these matters to even be at issue, and it's intent is malicious and
- 23 transparent. For the herein reasons Plaintiff respectfully requests that Tigar is disqualified and the orders be
- 24 <u>vacated.</u>

26 <u>18.</u> <u>The July 30, 2008 Order</u>

- 27 Plaintiff Must Have Expert Witness To Overcome Burden to Establish and Prove his Causes
- 28 of Action
- In order for Plaintiff to prevail at trial in his Causes of Action For Professional Negligence, Breach of
- 30 Good "Bad" Faith, Breach of Insurance Contract, Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress, Fraud,
- Misrepresentation, Unruh Act, Abuse of Process and Violation of California Business and Professionals

- Code §17,200 ET SEQ, and evidence of damages by Plaintiff against Defendants he absolutely must have 1
- Expert Witnesses in the areas of law mentioned. The following are a few areas and examples of the 2
- necessity of these experts for plaintiff to prevail on **EVERY ONE** of his causes of action. 3

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- 5 At trial Plaintiff has the burden of proof by a preponderance of the evidence, the inferences he relies must
- 6 satisfy the "more likely than not" burden (Leslie G. v. Perry & Associates, supra, 43 Cal. App. 4th at p.
- 7 487; Cf. Kidron v. Movie Acquisition Corp. All of these claims and the resulting damages can only
- 8 be established through expert testimony.
- 9 Plaintiff asserts the trial court abused its discretion in ordering to amend the witness list but to exclude his
- 10 chosen retained expert witnesses as the replacements named because it seeks to alter the course of his
- 11 litigation and strategy that clearly demonstrate an abuse of discretion, that "the error is prejudicial (Code
- 12 Civ. Proc., § 475) and if not corrected, it would result in a 'miscarriage of justice.' " (Pool v. City of
- 13 Oakland (1986) 42 Cal.3d 1051, 1069 [232 Cal.Rptr. 528, 728 P.2d 1163], quoting Cal. Const., art. VI, §
- 14 13; People v. Watson (1956) 46 Cal.2d 818, 834 [299 P.2d 243].)
- 15 As an example, Judge Tigar's improper order makes it impossible for plaintiff to prove, with his chosen
- 16 retained expert witnesses, to the trier of fact what the duty of care defendants owed to plaintiff, that it was
- 17 required of them to perform up to the expected level of care as the claims adjustor, appraisal advisor and as
- 18 the insurance company party to the contract. The court must concede that this is the duty of a jury (*Ishmael*
- 19 v. Millington, supra, 241 Cal.App.2d at pp. 525-528; Lysick v. Walcom, supra, 258 Cal.App.2d at p. 150
- 20 ["Breach of duty is usually a fact issue for the jury, but it may be resolved as a matter of law if the
- circumstances do not permit a reasonable doubt as to whether the defendant's conduct violates the degree of
- care exacted of him."].) and can not argue that defendants breaching their duty of care to plaintiff is an
- 23 issue to be resolved by expert evidence regarding the standard of care. (Flowers v. Torrance Memorial
- Hospital, supra, 8 Cal.4th at p. 1001; Lipscomb v. Krause, supra, 87 Cal.App.3d at pp. 975-976; Lysick v. 25
- *Walcom*, supra, 258 Cal.App.2d at p. 156.) On this and a multitude of other issue plaintiff is offering
- uncontroverted expert testimony and evidence that establishes that the reasonably prudent insurance agent, 27
- adjustor, appraisal advisor, or company WOULD NOT have done the same things, i.e.; fraud, extrinsic 28
- fraud, corruption, misconduct, interference with the litigation privilege, deception, perjury, spoliation of 29
- evidence, subornation of perjurious testimony, conspiracy, intentional infliction of emotional distress upon 30
- appellant and family, provided erroneous legal advice, malpractice, denied coverage, misinterpreted policy, 31
- forced substandard repairs, bid rigging, hired illegal unqualified contractors, committing the acts of 32

- 1 procuring the appraisal awards through "corruption, fraud, or other undue means"; colluding with the
- 2 appraisers to "exceeded their powers", granting an "award that cannot be corrected without affecting the
- 3 merits of the decision upon the controversy submitted", the improper use of "cash value" as replacement
- 4 cost, use of erroneous "used cost" figures, denial of coverage, injection of fraud, concealment, breach of
- 5 contract, and coverage issues without any reason or evidence, such that it justified the vacating of the
- 6 appraisal award, among other things, under these circumstances. Each issue above is a crucial element
- 7 in plaintiff prevailing in establishing every one of plaintiff's causes of action and the resulting
- 8 damages as they ALL require and demand his chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and
- 9 **evidence.** To allow this order excluding plaintiff's <u>chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and</u>
- 10 evidence, is oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of
- 11 justice!
- 12 The record contains no evidence showing what the standard of care would have required defendants to do
- and what, if anything defendants did to perform that duty, while defendants has failed to establish, as a
- matter of law, that their duty of care to plaintiff did not obligate them to perform as they did in this matter.
- 15 Therefore, defendants have not demonstrated that their actions satisfied the standard of care they owed to
- plaintiff. The court and defendants must agree the record clearly shows that nothing was resolved at the
- 17 hearing by expert evidence, while all of the above occurred in this case that requires and demands expert
- 18 testimony, that to exclude plaintiff's chosen newly named retained expert witnesses by order from that
- 19 hearing is prejudicial and just such an abuse of discretion as described when the court has exceeded the
- bounds of reason resulting in a miscarriage of justice. (Shamblin v. Brattain (1988) 44 Cal. 3d 474, 478
- 21 [243 Cal. Rptr. 902, 749 P.2d 339].) Encumbered under the horrific oppression of the unjust order,
- Plaintiff will be burdened with the same standard to bear and same insurmountable obstacle to justice to
- overcome to prevail in proving each one of his causes of action and the resulting damages as they ALL
- require and demand his chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence.

25 <u>B. Fraud Claims</u>

- THE NECESSARY ELEMENTS OF FRAUD ARE: (1) misrepresentation (false representation,
- concealment, or nondisclosure); (2) knowledge of falsity (scienter); (3) intent to defraud (i.e., to induce
- reliance); (4) justifiable reliance; and (5) resulting damage." (*Molko v. Holy Spirit Assn.* (1988) 46 Cal. 3d
- 29 1092, 1108 [252 Cal. Rptr. 122, 762 P.2d 46]; see Seeger v. Odell (1941) 18 Cal. 2d 409, 414 [115 P.2d
- ³⁰ *977, 136 A.L.R. 12911;* § 1709.)
- Plaintiff's fraud claims include allegations of intentional misrepresentation, negligent misrepresentation.

- 1 (See § 1572, 1710; Bily v. Arthur Young & Co. (1992) 3 Cal. 4th 370, 407 [11 Cal. Rptr. 2d 51, 834 P.2d
- 2 745], [negligent misrepresentation is a species of the tort of deceit]; <u>Salahutdin v. Valley of California, Inc.</u>
- 3 (1994) 24 Cal. App. 4th 555, 563 [29 Cal. Rptr. 2d 463] [breach of a fiduciary duty usually constitutes
- 4 constructive fraud].) With Plaintiff's fraud, intentional misrepresentation, and negligent misrepresentation
- 5 claims, justifiable reliance is an essential elements of fraud and negligent misrepresentation and resulting
- 6 damage. (Home Budget Loans, Inc. v. Jacoby & Meyers Law Offices (1989) 207 Cal. App. 3d 1277, 1285
- ⁷ [255 Cal. Rptr. 483] [elements of negligent misrepresentation include justifiable reliance and resulting
- 8 damage]; 5 Witkin, Cal. Procedure (3d ed. 1985) Pleading, § 666, p. 117; id., § 680, p. 131; id., § 681, p.
- 9 133.) Each issue above is a crucial element in plaintiff prevailing in establishing every one of
- 10 plaintiff's causes of action and the resulting damages as they ALL require and demand his
- chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence. To allow this order excluding plaintiff's
- 12 <u>chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence</u>, is oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear
- abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!
- As with any purchaser of insurance, Plaintiff by making a payment for coverage in any amount, and the
- insurer receiving said payment, is making a generally irrevocable offer to provide coverage for the property
- 16 for that amount. (§ 2924h, subd. (a).) The insurer, perhaps more than any party, including the purchaser
- with fewer resources with which to gain insight into the insurer's value, generally bears the burden and risk
- of fulfilling that insurance contract.
- 19 It does not follow, however, that Plaintiff being intentionally and materially misled by its own fiduciaries or
- agents as to the benefits under the insurance policy, coverage, value of the insurance and services provided
- is within the realm of that risk. (See <u>Brown v. Critchfield</u> (1980) 100 Cal. App. 3d 858, 871 [161 Cal.
- 22 Rptr. 342] [Risk inherent in secured land transactions is on the mortgagee, "but that risk should not be
- expanded to include the assumption of damages resulting from a fiduciary's negligence or fraud"].) Each
- issue above is a crucial element in plaintiff prevailing in establishing plaintiff's Breach of Good
- ²⁵ "Bad" Faith, Breach of Insurance Contract, Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress, Fraud,
- Abuse of Process and Violation of California Business and Professionals Code §17,200 ET SEQ,
- 27 causes of action and the resulting damages as they ALL require and demand his chosen retained
- expert witnesses testimony and evidence. To allow this order excluding plaintiff's chosen retained
- 29 <u>expert witnesses testimony and evidence</u>, is oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process
- and a gross miscarriage of justice!
- In order to establish reliance, Plaintiff need only demonstrate that its loss were a proximate result of

- defendants' fraud, and that in the absence of such fraud he would not, in all reasonable probability, have
- 2 made the contract. (Spinks v. Clark, supra, 147 Cal. 439, 444; 5 Witkin, Summary of Cal. Law, supra,
- 3 Torts, § 711, p. 810.)
- 4 Again, to the extent Plaintiff justifiably relied on defendants' misrepresentations in his plead actions, its
- 5 damages resulting from any of these actions were incurred as a direct consequence of the fraud on the part
- 6 of defendants are as demonstrated. (See <u>Guild Mortgage Co. v. Heller</u> (1987) 193 Cal. App. 3d 1508 --
- 7 1509; id. at p. 1514 [239 Cal. Rptr. 59][Allegations that federal regulations compelled repurchase of
- 8 properties resulting in plaintiff's damage, repurchase necessitated by fraud, and loan would not have been
- 9 made in the absence of purported misrepresentations "sufficient to establish a clear causal connection
- between defendants' alleged fraudulent conduct and the damages sustained."].) These claims and the
- 11 resulting damages can only be established through expert testimony.
- 12 <u>C. Negligent Misrepresentation Claims</u>
- Negligent misrepresentation is the assertion of a false statement, honestly made in the belief it is true, but
- without reasonable ground for such belief. (Civ. Code, § 1572, subd. 2, 1710, subd. 2; <u>Bily v. Arthur</u>
- 15 Young & Co. (1992) 3 Cal. 4th 370, 407--408 [11 Cal. Rptr. 2d 51, 834 P.2d 745] (Bily).)
- 16 "[T]he broad statements that 'scienter' is an element of every cause of action for deceit, and that an 'intent to
- deceive' is essential, are untrue, since neither is a requisite of negligent misrepresentation. [Citations.]" (5
- Witkin, Summary of Cal. Law, Torts, *supra*, § 722, p. 821.) Each issue addressed herein not only
- relates to Misrepresentation, but is a crucial element in plaintiff prevailing in establishing
- plaintiff's Breach of Good "Bad" Faith, Breach of Insurance Contract, Intentional Infliction of
- 21 Emotional Distress, Fraud, Abuse of Process and Violation of California Business and
- Professionals Code §17,200 ET SEQ, causes of action and the resulting damages as they ALL
- require and demand his chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence. To allow this
- order excluding plaintiff's <u>chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence</u>, is oppressive,
- unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!
 - D. Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress
- "The elements of the tort of intentional infliction of emotional distress are: "(1) Extreme and outrageous
- conduct by the defendant with the intention of causing, or reckless disregard of the probability of causing,
- emotional distress; (2) the plaintiff's suffering severe or extreme emotional distress; and (3) actual and
- proximate causation of the emotional distress by the defendant's outrageous conduct. . . . " ' " (*Christensen*
- 31 v. Superior Court (1991) 54 Cal. 3d 868, 903 [2 Cal. Rptr. 2d 79, 820 P.2d 181].) This claim and the

- resulting damages can only be established through expert testimony. To allow this order excluding
- 2 plaintiff's <u>chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence</u>, is oppressive, unconscionable,
- 3 prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!
- 4 E. Business and Professions Code section 17200 et. seq.
- 5 The first amended complaint alleges a violation of Business and Professions Code section 17200 et. seq.,
- 6 for among other things, unlawful, unfair or fraudulent business practices. These actions caused interference
- with a contractual relationship, and intentional interference with prospective economic advantage.
- 8 Section 17200 defines unfair competition as "any unlawful, unfair or fraudulent business act or practice
- 9 and unfair, deceptive, untrue or misleading advertising and any act prohibited by Chapter 1 (commencing
- with Section 17500) of Part 3 of Division 7 of the Business and Professions Code."
- 11 Section 17203 authorizes the court to make orders necessary to restore real or personal property and
- money "to any person in interest." The Legislature has used the term "person in interest" repeatedly in
- 13 contexts that confirm this understanding of its meaning. (See, e.g., §§ 17535, 19214; see also *Code Civ*.
- 14 Proc., § 873.810; Pub. Resources Code, § 25966.) Code of Civil Procedure section 1235.125 provides
- 15 further: "When used with reference to property, 'interest' includes any right, title, or estate in property."
- 16 "Interests in Property" are described in *Civil Code sections* 678 through 703.
- 17 Section 17203 provides that remedy and reads in its entirety: "Any person who engages, has engaged, or
- proposes to engage in unfair competition may be enjoined in any court of competent jurisdiction. The *court*
- 19 may make such orders or judgments, including the appointment of a receiver, as may be necessary to
- 20 prevent the use or employment by any person of any practice which constitutes unfair competition, as
- defined in this chapter, or as may be necessary to restore to any person in interest any money or property,
- real or personal, which may have been acquired by means of such unfair competition." (Italics added.)
- Thus, restitution is the only monetary remedy expressly authorized by section 17203. This claim and the
- resulting damages can only be established through expert testimony. To allow this order excluding
- 25 plaintiff's chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence, is oppressive, unconscionable,
- prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!
- ²⁷ <u>F.</u> Justifiable Reliance by Plaintiff, and the Resulting Damages
- Plaintiff further demonstrates crucial prevailing evidence in establishing plaintiff's Breach of Good "Bad"
- Faith, Breach of Insurance Contract, Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress, Fraud, Abuse of Process
- and Violation of California Business and Professionals Code §17,200 ET SEQ, causes of action and the
- resulting damages with the triable issues of material fact, justifiable reliance by Plaintiff, and the resulting

- 1 damages ALL require and demand his chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence with
- 2 respect to his causes of action listed herein. To allow this order is oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a
- 3 clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!

4 G. Waive of Fees for Indigents

- 5 Plaintiff has previously established that he has an economic and financial hardship as declared and ordered
- 6 by the Superior Court on January 17, 2002 (Sees order under Exhibit "C"). Plaintiff has had no income
- 7 as a direct and proximate result of the Bad Faith of the defendants and their counsels, consorts, employees,
- 8 agents, contractors, etc. and must be relieved of the obligation to pay the four hours fees and defendants
- 9 deposition costs because of his statutory right to forma pauperis relief.
- 10 Most of the cases that deal with the rights of indigents in civil cases have been decided within the last fifteen
- 11 years. (E.g., Serrano v. Priest (1971) 5 Cal.3d 584 [96 Cal.Rptr. 601, 487 P.2d 1241] [increased state
- 12 funding for school districts located in low income neighborhoods]; Randone v. Appellate Department
- 13 (1971) 5 Cal.3d 536 [96 Cal.Rptr. 709, 488 P.2d 13] [attachment law violated debtor's right of due
- process]; <u>Earls v. Superior Court</u> (1972) 6 Cal.3d 109 [98 Cal.Rptr. 302, 490 P.2d 814] [waiver of court
- filing fees for indigents]; Conover v. Hall (1974) 11 Cal.3d 842 [114 Cal.Rptr. 642, 523 P.2d 682] [right
- of welfare recipients to deduct work- related expenses]; Knight v. Hallsthammar (1981) 29 Cal.3d 46 [171]
- 17 Cal.Rptr. 707, 623 P.2d 268] [right of low income tenants to decent housing]; Robbins v. Superior Court
- 18 (1984) 38 Cal.3d 199 [211 Cal.Rptr. 398, 695 P.2d 695] [right of general relief recipients to select
- residence].)
- Without overstating the matter, it would be extremely difficult conceptually for the Court to justify the order
- for plaintiff to pay defendants witness deposition costs when defendants have NEVER sought to in the six
- years before the order and since plaintiff is entitled to the right to waive court filing fees for indigents in
- civil cases such as this as they have awarded Earls and Ferguson (Earls v. Superior Court (1971) 6 Cal.3d
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- his opinion his client's contentions have merit, and that the action or appeal is brought in good faith and not
- for purposes of delay or harassment, and (2) the declaration of the applicant, executed under penalty of
- perjury, stating that he is unable to pay the requisite filing fee without depriving himself or his dependents

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- of the necessaries of life, and briefly setting forth the facts which disclose his indigence." (Ferguson v.
- 2 Keays, supra, 4 Cal.3d at p. 658.) In this instance, Plaintiff has already had this process completed and
- 3 ruled upon by the Superior Court six years ago, long before this order for payment of the fees and costs
- 4 and is applicable while he is acting in propria persona. Obviously, since that date, it is unnecessary to make
- 5 another declaration since plaintiff's condition has only worsened and good cause to excuse, vacate, or
- 6 amend this ordered payment exist. This is evidenced by the court's finding of indigency and the court's
- 7 finding of indigency remains uncontested. To allow this order excluding plaintiff's chosen retained expert
- 8 witnesses testimony and evidence, is oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a
- 9 gross miscarriage of justice!

10 H. The Courts Order Blatantly Deprives Plaintiff of Due Process of Law

- Analyzing constitutional error to determine if it is harmless requires this court to find there has not been a
- "miscarriage of justice." (Cal. Const., art. VI, § 13.) A miscarriage of justice occurs " 'only when the court
- 13 "after an examination of the entire cause, including the evidence," is of the "opinion" that it is reasonably
- probable that a result more favorable to the appealing party would have been reached in the absence of the
- error.' " (People v. Cahill, supra, 5 Cal. 4th at p. 492, quoting People v. Watson, supra, 46 Cal. 2d at p.
- 16 836.)
- The main burden of the Court in granting this order excluding plaintiff's <u>chosen retained expert witnesses</u>
- testimony and evidence is that of the Court's announced error in the unintelligible content and horrific affect
- of the meaning of the courts order on <u>plaintiff's chosen retained expert witnesses</u> and the naming of any
- 20 replacements.
- a. This ruling by the court was apparently made without the comprehension that the replacement experts are
- 22 anticipated and <u>plaintiff's chosen retained expert witnesses</u> named in the motion and amended disclosure 23
- and unknowingly excluded by the court from being named as a result of the courts order; OR 24
- b. perhaps by plaintiff's inadvertent mistake in filing the motion to amend and providing <u>his chosen</u>
- replacement retained expert witnesses in the amended disclosure caused the courts confusion though the
- motion was necessary; OR
- c. there is a grammatical, syntax, or other sentence composition error that lead to the wording of the order
- being unintelligible from the standpoint of interpretation and/or meaning in excluding <u>his chosen retained</u>
- 30 <u>expert witnesses</u> or naming the replacements; OR that
- d. this ruling was made willfully and intentionally.
- To allow this order excluding plaintiff's chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence, is

- 1 oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice that will
- 2 result in a reversal on appeal, as it will violate plaintiff's rights under the Sixth Amendment to the United
- 3 States Constitution, as applicable to this state through the Fourteenth Amendment and the first clause of
- 4 Section 13 of Article I of our state Constitution.
- 5 More generally this order blatantly deprives plaintiff of due process of law and constitutes prejudicial error.
- 6 It is probable that the Court's error escaped the attention of the court and is a mistake by Judge Tigar or
- 7 Court personnel.
- 8 However, whether this order was a result of plaintiff's failure to be clear in a confusing motion, or by the
- 9 judge or court legal system on the part of the Clerk in composing the confusing order and it was entirely
- 10 related to the motion as written and ruled on, such a situation would always result in error requiring reversal,
- and this court must be prepared to say that, in this case, the court's error requires reversal for this court to
- 12 "right the wrong,".

13 <u>I. C.C.P. Section 473 et. seq. Relief</u>

- To obtain mandatory relief under section 473, plaintiff need not show that his or her mistake,
- inadvertence, surprise or neglect was excusable. No reason need be given for the existence of one of these
- 16 circumstances. Attestation that one of these reasons existed is sufficient to obtain relief, unless the trial
- 17 court finds that the judgment did not occur because of these reasons. (See *Billings v. Health Plan of*
- 18 America (1990) 225 Cal. App. 3d 250, 255-256 [275 Cal. Rptr. 80].) This rule applies to the 1993
- amendment which includes dismissal. (See *Tustin Plaza Partnership v. Wehage* (1994) 27 Cal. App. 4th
- 20 1557, 1563, fn. 6 [33 Cal. Rptr. 2d 366].)
- You agree with the *Tustin* court that section 473 may be used by counsel to seek relief from failure to
- oppose a motion to dismiss. (*Tustin Plaza Partnership v. Wehage*, supra, 27 Cal. App. 4th at pp. 1565-
- ²³ 1566; *Wilcox v. Ford* (1988) 206 Cal. App. 3d 1170, 1178 [254 Cal. Rptr. 138], although decided before
- the amendment to section 473, its reasoning is still applicable.)
- 25 If this was court error, whatever the merits of the request, vacating or modifying the order is authorized
- under C.C.P. § 473, paragraph 4, which permits the court, on motion, to "correct clerical mistakes in its
- judgments or orders as entered, so as to conform to the judgment or order directed"

28 J. Tigar Is Guilty Of Judicial Misconduct And Plaintiff Is Entitled to An Order to Vacate

and Set Aside or Modify In The Alternate The July 30, 2007 Order

- The herein documented misconduct of Judge Tigar excluding plaintiff's <u>chosen retained expert witnesses</u>
- testimony and evidence, legally and practically prevents plaintiff from having a fair trial, wherein the

- 1 findings and award resulting from such misconduct must be annulled, and the matter remanded for further
- 2 proceedings. (Reimer v. Firpo (1949) 94 Cal. App. 2d 798, 801 [212 P.2d 23]. See Fidelity & Cas. Co. of
- 3 New York v. Workers' Comp. Appeals Bd. (1980) 103 Cal. App.3d 1001, 1015-1016 [163 Cal. Rptr. 339];
- 4 Hartford Accident & Indemnity Co. v. Workers' Comp. Appeals Bd. (1982) 132 Cal. App. 3d 796, 806-807
- 5 [183 Cal. Rptr. 440].)
- 6 In Spruance v. Commission on Judicial Qualifications (1975) 13 Cal.3d 778 [119 Cal.Rptr. 841, 532 P.2d
- ⁷ 1209], the court removed a judge from office for acting with hostility toward an attorney, failing to properly
- 8 disqualify himself, maliciously attempting to prejudice a criminal defendant's case, attempting to influence
- 9 the disposition of criminal matters as a favor to friends and political supporters, and appointing friends and
- supporters as attorneys in cases in which the defendant was not entitled to counsel at public expense. Tigar
- has met the criterion mentioned here of judicial misconduct under *Spruance*, supra, that demand removal
- 12 form office.
- Judge Tigar, abused the prerogatives of office in unfairly excluding plaintiff's chosen retained expert
- witnesses testimony and evidence, intentionally exploited his judicial office to attempt to influence the
- disposition of this matter. His conduct therefore constitutes willful misconduct. (*Spruance*, supra, 13
- 16 Cal.3d at p. 798.) and violated canon 2B of the Code of Judicial Conduct.
- These same charges of willful misconduct and charges of prejudicial conduct led to removal of a judge in
- Gonzalez v. Commission on Judicial Performance (1983) 33 Cal.3d 359 [188 Cal.Rptr. 880, 657 P.2d
- 19 372]. To allow this order excluding plaintiff's <u>chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence</u>, is
- oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!
 - K. Tigar Is Guilty Of Abuse Of Discretion And Plaintiff Is Entitled to An Order to
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 Vacate and Set Aside or Modify In The Alternate The July 30, 2007 Order
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- The herein described indiscretions of Judge Tigar clearly fall within the confines of An Abuse of Discretion
- as may be found when, all relevant circumstances considered, the trial court exceeded the bounds of reason,
- or when no judge would reasonably make the same order under the same circumstances. <u>Rappleyea v.</u>
- 27 <u>Campbell</u>, (1994) 8 Cal.4th 975, 987 [35 Cal.Rptr.2d 669]. With every possible fiber of justice and
- humanity in opposition and conflict with his order, Judge Tigar has simply abused any reasonable
- discretion necessary to properly rule in this matter or in this case and he needs to recuse himself. Plaintiff is
- entitled to an order to vacate and set aside the order; or in the alternate to modify the order compelling Tigar
- to comply with the Court's lawful and proper administration of justice. To allow this order excluding
- plaintiff's <u>chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence</u>, is oppressive, unconscionable,

1 prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!

2 19. The August 31 and September 7, 2008 Orders

3 A. Privileged Order Prohibits Plaintiffs' Primary Litigation Theories

- 4 Error in a civil case is prejudicial "where it seems probable" that the error "prejudicially affected the
- 5 verdict." (See *Pool v. City of Oakland*, supra, 42 Cal.3d 1051, 1069; *LeMons v. Regents of University of*
- 6 *California*, supra, 21 Cal.3d 869, 875; *People v. Watson*, (1956) 46 Cal.2d 818, 836.) Of course, that
- 7 determination depends heavily on the particular nature of the error, including its natural and probable effect
- 8 on a party's ability to place his full case before the jury.
- 9 It is hornbook law that each party to a lawsuit is entitled to all of his theories of the case that are supported
- by the pleadings and the evidence. It is incumbent upon the trial court to instruct on all vital issues involved.
- 11 (*Phillips v. G. L. Truman Excavation Co.* (1961) 55 Cal.2d 801, 806 [13 Cal.Rptr. 401, 362 P.2d 33].)
- Furthermore, a trial court may not compel a litigant to rely on "abstract generalities in presenting its legal
- 13 theory of the case to the jury, but should instruct the jury on vital issues in terms that relate to the particular
- case before it." (Self v. General Motors Corp. (1974) 42 Cal.App.3d 1, 10 [116 Cal.Rptr. 575]; see also
- 15 Hasson v. Ford Motor Co. (1977) 19 Cal.3d 530, 543 [138 Cal.Rptr. 705, 564 P.2d 857, 99 A.L.R.3d
- 16 158]; Borenkraut v. Whitten (1961) 56 Cal.2d 538, 545-546 [15 Cal.Rptr. 635, 364 P.2d 467]; Phillips v.
- 17 G. L. Truman Excavation Co., supra, 55 Cal.2d at p. 806.)
- The trial court here refused, without proper pleadings, many of plaintiffs' primary litigation theories, to wit,
- that any acts of these and the underlying defendants, their counsels including Alford, agents employees,
- contractors, and/or associates in the underlying trial could *not* have been proved as crucial prevailing
- evidence of or a "substantial" or "contributing" cause of plaintiff's "enhanced" injuries or legal cause in
- bringing them about in establishing plaintiff's Breach of Good "Bad" Faith, Breach of Insurance Contract,
- Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress, Fraud, Abuse of Process and Violation of California Business
- and Professionals Code §17,200 ET SEQ, causes of action and the resulting damages with the triable issues
- of material fact, justifiable reliance by Plaintiff, and the resulting damages. This court must further
- acknowledge, the defendants actions form the primary lethal issues encapsulated a "major thrust" of the
- 27 litigation theory at trial.
- Received in a factual vacuum and untethered to the specific theories proffered by plaintiff, to eliminate,
- compromise or generalize his trial presentation would fail to provide the tailored nexus between facts and
- law to which plaintiff is entitled, and which the jury manifestly requires. Hence, one must be compelled to
- conclude that this factor weighs strongly in favor of a finding of prejudice.

- 1 The record evidence lends additional weight to this conclusion. The court must note that plaintiff has
- 2 produced "voluminous evidence" to demonstrate that these and the underlying defendants, their counsels
- 3 including Alford, agents employees, contractors, and/or associates actions and conduct was so severe that
- 4 they were a direct and proximate cause of plaintiff's injuries and would have occurred regardless of any
- 5 mitigating actions by plaintiff. One is apparently to infer, therefore, that if the jury was adequately apprised-
- 6 -based on the evidence, testimony and facts -- of the law and logic underlying plaintiffs' theory of the case,
- 7 would suggest that the more reasonable inference is precisely that given the voluminous documentary and
- 8 testimonial evidence adduced at trial, the jury would be more clear and unambiguous to integrate and make
- 9 sense of the facts as they establish his case. Therefore, you must conclude that this factor as well supports a
- 10 finding of prejudice. Without this matter being properly adjudicated before trial, plaintiff will be forced to
- rely on Tigar's ruling on motions in limine or instruction to the jury which he already does not trust for
- 12 good cause.
- 13 B. Order Excluding Rescue Matter Prejudicial, A Clear Abuse of Discretion and The
- 14 Process, and a Gross Miscarriage of Justice
- 15 At trial Plaintiff has the burden of proof by a preponderance of the evidence, the inferences he relies must
- satisfy the "more likely than not" burden (<u>Leslie G. v. Perry & Associates</u>, supra, 43 Cal. App. 4th at p.
- 17 487; Cf. Kidron v. Movie Acquisition Corp. All of these claims and the resulting damages can only
- 18 be established through expert testimony.
- 19 Plaintiff asserts the trial court abused its discretion in ordering to exclude the Rescue matter denies many of
- 20 plaintiffs' primary litigation theories because it seeks to alter the course of his litigation and strategy that
- 21 clearly demonstrate an abuse of discretion, that "the error is prejudicial (Code Civ. Proc., § 475) and if not
- corrected, it would result in a 'miscarriage of justice.' " (*Pool v. City of Oakland* (1986) 42 Cal.3d 1051,
- 23 1069 [232 Cal.Rptr. 528, 728 P.2d 1163], quoting Cal. Const., art. VI, § 13; *People v. Watson* (1956) 46
- 24 Cal.2d 818, 834 [299 P.2d 243].)
- As an example, Judge Tigar's improper order makes it impossible for plaintiff to prove to the trier of fact
- that any acts of these and the underlying defendants, their counsels including Alford, agents employees,
- contractors, and/or associates in the underlying trial could *not* have been proved as crucial prevailing
- evidence of or a "substantial" or "contributing" cause of plaintiff's "enhanced" injuries or legal cause in
- bringing them about and what the duty of care defendants owed to plaintiff, that it was required of them to
- perform up to the expected level of care as the claims adjustor, appraisal advisor and as the insurance
- company party to the contract in establishing plaintiff's Breach of Good "Bad" Faith, Breach of Insurance

- 1 Contract, Intentional Infliction of Emotional Distress, Fraud, Abuse of Process and Violation of California 2 Business and Professionals Code §17,200 ET SEQ, causes of action and the resulting damages with the
- 3 triable issues of material fact, justifiable reliance by Plaintiff, and the resulting damages.
- 4 The court must concede that this is the duty of a jury (*Ishmael v. Millington*, supra, 241 Cal.App.2d at pp.
- 5 525-528; <u>Lysick v. Walcom</u>, supra, 258 Cal.App.2d at p. 150 ["Breach of duty is usually a fact issue for the
- 6 jury, but it may be resolved as a matter of law if the circumstances do not permit a reasonable doubt as to
- 7 whether the defendant's conduct violates the degree of care exacted of him."].) and can not argue that
- 8 defendants breaching their duty of care to plaintiff is an issue to be resolved by expert evidence regarding
- 9 the standard of care. (*Flowers v. Torrance Memorial Hospital*, supra, 8 Cal.4th at p. 1001; *Lipscomb v.*
- 10 Krause, supra, 87 Cal.App.3d at pp. 975-976; Lysick v. Walcom, supra, 258 Cal.App.2d at p. 156.) On this
- and a multitude of other issue plaintiff is offering uncontroverted expert testimony and evidence that
- establishes that the reasonably prudent insurance agent, adjustor, appraisal advisor, or company WOULD
- NOT have done the same things, i.e.; fraud, extrinsic fraud, corruption, misconduct, interference with the
- litigation privilege, deception, perjury, spoliation of evidence, subornation of perjurious testimony,
- conspiracy, intentional infliction of emotional distress upon appellant and family, provided erroneous legal
- advice, malpractice, denied coverage, misinterpreted policy, forced substandard repairs, bid rigging, hired
- 17 illegal unqualified contractors, committing the acts of procuring the appraisal awards through "corruption,
- 18 fraud, or other undue means"; colluding with the appraisers to "exceeded their powers", granting an
- 19 "award that cannot be corrected without affecting the merits of the decision upon the controversy
- submitted", the improper use of "cash value" as replacement cost, use of erroneous "used cost" figures,
- denial of coverage, injection of fraud, concealment, breach of contract, and coverage issues without any
- reason or evidence, such that it justified the vacating of the appraisal award, among other things, under these
- 23 circumstances. Each issue above is a crucial element in plaintiff prevailing in establishing every
- one of plaintiff's causes of action and the resulting damages. To allow this order excluding the
- Rescue matter denies many of plaintiffs' primary litigation theories is oppressive, unconscionable,
- prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!
- The record contains no evidence showing what the standard of care would have required defendants to do
- and what, if anything defendants did to perform that duty, while defendants has failed to establish, as a
- matter of law, that their duty of care to plaintiff did not obligate them to perform as they did in this matter.
- Therefore, defendants have not demonstrated that their actions satisfied the standard of care they owed to
- 31 plaintiff. The court and defendants must agree the record clearly shows that nothing was resolved at the
- hearing by expert evidence, while all of the above occurred in this case that requires and demands expert

- 1 testimony, that to exclude plaintiff's chosen newly named retained expert witnesses by order from that
- 2 hearing is prejudicial and just such an abuse of discretion as described when the court has exceeded the
- 3 bounds of reason resulting in a miscarriage of justice. (Shamblin v. Brattain (1988) 44 Cal. 3d 474, 478
- ⁴ [243 Cal. Rptr. 902, 749 P.2d 339].) Encumbered under the horrific oppression of the unjust order,
- 5 Plaintiff will be burdened with the same standard to bear and same insurmountable obstacle to justice to
- 6 overcome to prevail in proving each one of his causes of action and the resulting damages.
- Further, the herein described indiscretions of Judge Tigar clearly fall within the confines of An Abuse of
- 8 Discretion as may be found when, all relevant circumstances considered, the trial court exceeded the bounds
- 9 of reason, or when no judge would reasonably make the same order under the same circumstances.
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- reasonable discretion necessary to properly rule in this matter or in this case and he needs to recuse
- himself. Plaintiff is entitled to an order to vacate and set aside the order; or in the alternate to modify the
- order compelling Tigar to comply with the Court's lawful and proper administration of justice. To allow
- this order excluding plaintiff's chosen retained expert witnesses testimony and evidence, is oppressive,
- unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice!

17 C. Denial of a Substantial Right at Hearing Requires Reversal

- 18 There was an issue analogous to the one presented here, in the context of the previously well settled rule
- that denial of a substantial right at the preliminary hearing in a criminal case rendered the ensuing
- commitment illegal and entitled the defendant to have the information set aside on timely motion. (See, e.g.,
- 21 *People v. Napthaly* (1895) 105 Cal. 641, 644-645 [39 P. 29].) Litigants have sought and received relief to
- compel the setting aside of an order before trial on the ground that, because of substantial error at the
- preliminary hearing, their commitment for trial was illegal. (See, e.g., *Jennings v. Superior Court* (1967) 66
- ²⁴ Cal.2d 867, 880-881 [59 Cal. Rptr. 440, 428 P.2d 304].) Applying reasoning embraced in *People v. Elliot*
- 25 (1960) 54 Cal.2d 498 [6 Cal. Rptr. 753, 354 P.2d 225] that the denial of a substantial right at the
- preliminary hearing required reversal of a subsequent conviction without a showing of prejudice. These
- irregularities in preliminary hearing procedures must be reviewed under the appropriate standard of and for
- prejudicial error.
- The courts have acknowledged that an exception may be made to the general rule that an error does not
- require reversal absent a showing of prejudice when the error involves a structural defect in the conduct of
- the proceedings that results in an unfair trial or "defies evaluation for harmlessness." (*Soule v. General*

- 1 Motors Corp., supra, 8 Cal.4th at p. 579; see People v. Cahill, supra, 5 Cal.4th at p. 501.) The actual type
- 2 of fundamental defect that constitutes a miscarriage of justice and requires reversal of the trial court's
- 3 pretrial order is clearly this same type of material prejudice in its fundamental or strict sense.
- 4 In these circumstances, it is impossible for this or a reviewing court not to conclude that "a different result
- 5 would have been probable if such error ... or defect had not occurred or existed." (Code Civ. Proc., § 475.)
- 6 If a trial court proceeds to issue a judgment with the current order in place, a different result would be
- 7 inevitable if the error had not occurred, because in the absence of error the case would have been litigated in
- 8 an entirely different manner.
- 9 D. Reversal of Orders Appropriate and Consistent with California Constitution,
- 10 Article VI, Section 13. 2
- In this situation, the reviewing court readily can ascertain that the errors had a major effect on the outcome
- of the case and that the result would have been the grossly different if the error had not occurred and the
- 13 trial had been fair and just as necessary or effective to ensure a party's right to preserve their legal rights,
- including constitutional rights, that are subject of harmful error.
- 15 Rejecting the erroneous rulings here requires reversal in order to deter improper legal and judicial conduct
- because to recognize the possibility that an error may be deemed *harmless* does not transform a trial court's
- 17 erroneous action into a *correct* one, nor does it encourage trial courts to act lawfully. If the trial court
- 18 correctly interprets and follows the mandate of Code of Civil Procedure, or if the trial court does not
- 19 understand or follow the law, the appellate court has the authority to protect the appealing party's interests,
- as well as its own power to act to require the trial court to comply with the law.
- 21 If the judgment is tainted by the trial court's erroneous actions, reversal of the judgment would be
- 22 appropriate and consistent with California Constitution, Article VI, Section 13. 2 Reversing a judgment that
- 23 ultimately was affected by the prejudicial order, however, does not further the interests of justice in any way
- 24 and is necessary to enforce the requirements of Code of Civil Procedure.
- 25 It is true that if it is ultimately determined that the plaintiff should not have been required to go to trial under
- the circumstances caused by the prejudicial order, a reversal of the judgment will not totally cure the harm
- 27 because plaintiff already will have been required to bear the anxiety and expense of a trial. But the
- 28 inadequacy of a trial reversal as a complete remedy exists whether reversal is mandated on a per se basis
- 29 (based on the theory that the trial court's error resulted in prejudice in the fundamental sense) or is
- 30 mandated only upon a finding that the error actually was prejudicial and unwarranted as it invokes such a
- 31 lack of fundamental unfairness that it compels a reversal of the order when it is clear that the error did affect
- 32 the validity of the trial judgment.

1 E. Orders Unjustifiably Prevent a Trial On The Merits

- 2 This court is not powerless to enforce rules of procedure where justice demands it. Indeed, it has shown
- 3 itself ready to adapt rules of procedure to serve the ends of justice where technical issues would
- 4 unjustifiably prevent a trial on the merits. (Wennerholm v. Stanford University School of Medicine, 20
- 5 Cal.2d 713 [128 P.2d 522, 141 A.L.R. 1358]; *Christin* v. *Superior Court*, 9 Cal.2d 526 [71 P.2d 205, 112
- 6 A.L.R. 1153]; *Tuller v. Superior Court*, 215 Cal. 352 [10 P.2d 43]; see 31 Cal.L.Rev. 225, 227; see, also,
- 7 Rogers v. Duhart, 97 Cal. 500, 504 [32 P. 570]; California Constitution, art. VI, § 4 1/2; Code Civ. Proc.,
- 8 §§ 355, 356, 473, 475; Civ. Code, §§ 3523, 3528.) The <u>Wennerholm</u> case, *supra*, is typical.
- ⁹ The motions were filed and the court refused to follow the law and cases that had established the litigation
- of which this case is sought upon, the same general set of facts as the underlying action, and still being the
- same as in the present case, plaintiff brought his action on his litigation theories and diligently pursued it.
- 12 The prejudicial order is erroneous and central to the merits of the case and proving the causes of action.
- Since this action is in reality a continuance of the earlier underlying action involving the same parties, facts,
- and most causes of action, plaintiff should not be deprived of a trial on the merits because the judge refused
- to acknowledge the merits, denying the jury as the trier of fact the opportunity to do so, and did not
- 16 consider other remedies in the prejudicial pretrial court order.
- 17 The statutes herein referred are not so rigid as they are sometimes regarded. Under certain circumstances
- 18 the rights or immunities may be acquired as a statutory result of or by the occurrence of certain events,
- 19 which may be the subject of conflicting evidence or testimony and may be extended by causes not
- 20 mentioned in the statute itself.
- The notion that the actions of these and the underlying defendants, their counsels including Alford, agents
- employees, contractors, and/or associates are immaterial and irrelevant to the present litigation and that this
- court should not vacate or modify the prejudicial order, is remise. But if it is to be considered as stated, it is
- incorrect, because the rule now applied is said to be one of relevance, but it determines the substantive rights
- of the parties and, in addition, operates retroactively to interfere with vested rights acquired by virtue of the
- term of the policy contract, statutory law and the Insurance Code. And if the remedy is a part of the
- common law, it certainly directly conflicts with constitutional and statutory provisions. The question for
- decision is readily determinable by fundamental principles which have long been recognized and applied.

29 F. Sanctions

- Plaintiff has previously established that he has an economic and financial hardship as declared and ordered
- by the Superior Court on January 17, 2002 (order attached as Exhibit "E"). Plaintiff has had no income as

- a direct and proximate result of the Bad Faith of the defendants and their counsels, consorts, employees,
- 2 agents, contractors, etc. and must be relieved of the obligation to pay the four hours fees and defendants
- 3 deposition costs because of his statutory right to forma pauperis relief.
- 4 Most of the cases that deal with the rights of indigents in civil cases have been decided within the last fifteen
- 5 years. (E.g., Serrano v. Priest (1971) 5 Cal.3d 584 [96 Cal.Rptr. 601, 487 P.2d 1241] [increased state
- 6 funding for school districts located in low income neighborhoods]; Randone v. Appellate Department
- 7 (1971) 5 Cal.3d 536 [96 Cal.Rptr. 709, 488 P.2d 13] [attachment law violated debtor's right of due
- 8 process]; Earls v. Superior Court (1972) 6 Cal.3d 109 [98 Cal.Rptr. 302, 490 P.2d 814] [waiver of court
- 9 filing fees for indigents]; Conover v. Hall (1974) 11 Cal.3d 842 [114 Cal.Rptr. 642, 523 P.2d 682] [right
- of welfare recipients to deduct work- related expenses]; Knight v. Hallsthammar (1981) 29 Cal.3d 46 [171]
- 11 Cal.Rptr. 707, 623 P.2d 268] [right of low income tenants to decent housing]; Robbins v. Superior Court
- 12 (1984) 38 Cal.3d 199 [211 Cal.Rptr. 398, 695 P.2d 695] [right of general relief recipients to select
- residence].)
- Without overstating the matter, it would be extremely difficult conceptually for the Court to justify the order
- for plaintiff to pay sanctions when he merely suggested the court consider it's option for depositions in an
- effort to facilitate the trial, for judicial economy, to clarify this outstanding omission and give the courts a
- chance to enforce the law before trial and motions in limine to ensure a fair trial on the merits again without
- the loss of time and increase costs and since plaintiff is entitled to the right to waive court filing fees for
- indigents in civil cases such as this as they have awarded Earls and Ferguson (Earls v. Superior Court
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- another declaration since plaintiff's condition has only worsened and good cause to excuse, vacate, or
- 2 amend this ordered payment exist. This is evidenced by the court's finding of indigency and the court's
- 3 finding of indigency remains uncontested. To allow this order forcing plaintiff to pay sanctions for
- 4 suggesting options to the court is oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a
- 5 gross miscarriage of justice!

6 G. "Discovery" and "Re-Open Discovery" Titles in Order

- 7 The subject of those motions which the court wants to characterize as "discovery" and an attempt to
- 8 "reopen discovery" is clearly in violation Plaintiff's right to plead and asks the court to consider it options
- 9 for <u>TRIAL</u> and in the alternate to exercise it's discretion to facilitate the <u>TRIAL</u> and for judicial economy.
- 10 Plaintiff <u>NEVER</u> filed a discovery motion and requested only depositions. Even the requested and legally
- 11 required witness information was for TRIAL, NOT DEPOSITIONS! Plaintiff has tried many times to
- secure the requested testimony and documents from these and the underlying defendants and their
- 13 attorneys Alford and the law firm of Gordon & Rees as they will be a primary subject of Plaintiff's
- 14 litigation in this case. Regardless of this labeling, these are clearly not a "discovery motion" nor an attempt
- 15 to "reopen discovery" as the substance plead and suggested options in the alternate are for TRIAL. The
- title of the document, motion or law does not make the law. (<u>DaFonte v. Up-Right, Inc.</u> (1992) 2 Cal. 4th
- 17 593, 602 [7 Cal. Rptr. 2d 238, 828 P.2d 140] ["Title or chapter headings are unofficial and do not alter the
- explicit scope, meaning, or intent of a statute."]; see also *Garat v. City of Riverside* (1991) 2 Cal. App. 4th
- 259, 302 [3 Cal. Rptr. 2d 504] ["The mere use of different names for certain categories . . . does not prove
- that the uses are inconsistent or mutually exclusive; 'What's in a name? That which we call a rose/ By any
- other name would smell as sweet.' (Shakespeare, Romeo and Juliet, act II, scene 2, line.

22 H. The Courts Order Blatantly Deprives Plaintiff of Due Process of Law

- Analyzing constitutional error to determine if it is harmless requires this court to find there has not been a
- ²⁴ "miscarriage of justice." (Cal. Const., art. VI, § 13.) A miscarriage of justice occurs " 'only when the court
- ²⁵ "after an examination of the entire cause, including the evidence," is of the "opinion" that it is reasonably
- probable that a result more favorable to the appealing party would have been reached in the absence of the
- error.' " (People v. Cahill, supra, 5 Cal. 4th at p. 492, quoting People v. Watson, supra, 46 Cal. 2d at p.
- 28 836.)
- The main burden of the Court in granting this order excluding the Rescue matter denies many of plaintiffs'
- primary litigation theories is that of the Court's announced error has a horrific affect on his case, is
- oppressive, unconscionable, prejudicial, a clear abuse of process and a gross miscarriage of justice that will

- 1 result in a reversal on appeal, as it will violate plaintiff's rights under the Sixth Amendment to the United
- 2 States Constitution, as applicable to this state through the Fourteenth Amendment and the first clause of
- 3 Section 13 of Article I of our state Constitution.
- 4 The act of ordering sanctions for the "discovery" issues are equally disingenuous and prejudicial.
- 5 More generally this order blatantly deprives plaintiff of due process of law and constitutes prejudicial error
- and such a situation would always result in error requiring reversal, and this court must be prepared to say
- 7 that, in this case, the court's error requires reversal for this court to "right the wrong,".

8 20. Judge Tigar's Conduct and Actions

- 9 Corrupt misconduct in this case has taken on pandemic proportions. The overall white race, class, and
- privilege exposed by the egocentric Tigar teaches love of wealth and things, develops desire for physical
- and financial power and minimizes respect for others, their race, values and religion. His legal rulings in his
- orders striking challenges and for the defendants has become a mere "feel good" knee jerk reaction in
- 13 retaliation to plaintiff's demand for truth and justice, which has no legal basis, nor sense of direction or
- 14 purpose besides the destruction of plaintiff, his family, clients, business and community.
- 15 The cult of judges, a virulently close minded group, are known in this case for their rulings embodying
- 16 judicial corruption, misconduct, conduct prejudicial, illegal ex-parte communications, influencing the
- 17 outcome of the case, bias, is rampant. This legal lynching of plaintiff has been deliberate and systematic as
- 18 plaintiff continues to protest the degradation and humanity of him and his family by these judges and
- 19 defendants with this sinister image they are disseminating of him. The race factor is never too far from the
- 20 hatred and insensitivity displayed in these judges and defendants. This makes the massacre of Plaintiff, his
- 21 family, business and community being carried out by the judicial and named defendants and their counsel
- 22 in this and the underlying Rescue Industries case, possible by the courts. The same court system is
- 23 supposedly guarding the rights of Plaintiff and the Public but they have done NOTHING but the opposite
- as they have aided and abetted the defendants as they have gone in slaughtering plaintiff's interests. The
- defendants with the support of the notorious Tigar and the cult of judges, have produced a complete and
- 26 utter desecration of Plaintiff's rights under the guise of "justice". Plaintiff will not stand these
- 27 abridgments and abuses of his rights and will implore the public into action against this kind of blind hatred
- and injustice emanating from these legal entities.
- 29 A. CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE SECTION 170-170.4
- 30 CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE SECTION 170-170.4 reads as follows:
- 31 170.1. (a) A judge shall be disqualified if any one or more of the following is true:
- (1) (A) The judge has personal knowledge of disputed evidentiary facts concerning the proceeding.
- 32 (6) (A) For any reason:

- 1 (i) The judge believes his or her recusal would further the interests of justice.
 - (ii) The judge believes there is a substantial doubt as to his or her capacity to be impartial.
- 2 (iii) A person aware of the facts might reasonably entertain a doubt that the judge would be able to be impartial. 3
 - (B) Bias or prejudice toward a lawyer in the proceeding may be grounds for disqualification.
 - 170.3. (a) (1) If a judge determines himself or herself to be disqualified, the judge shall notify the presiding judge of the court of his or her recusal and shall not further participate in the proceeding, except as provided in Section 170.4, unless his or her disqualification is waived by the parties as provided in subdivision (b).
 - (2) There shall be no waiver of disqualification if the basis therefor is either of the following:
 - (A) The judge has a personal bias or prejudice concerning a party.
 - (4) If grounds for disqualification are first learned of or arise after the judge has made one or more rulings in a proceeding, but before the judge has completed judicial action in a proceeding, the judge shall, unless the disqualification be waived, disqualify himself or herself, but in the absence of good cause the rulings he or she has made up to that time shall not be set aside by the judge who replaces the disqualified judge.
 - (c) (1) If a judge who should disqualify himself or herself refuses or fails to do so, any party may file with the clerk a written verified statement objecting to the hearing or trial before the judge and setting forth the facts constituting the grounds for disqualification of the judge. The statement shall be presented at the earliest practicable opportunity after discovery of the facts constituting the ground for disqualification. Copies of the statement shall be served on each party or his or her attorney who has appeared and shall be personally served on the judge alleged to be disqualified, or on his or her clerk, provided that the judge is present in the courthouse or in chambers.
 - 170.4. (a) A disqualified judge, notwithstanding his or her disqualification may do any of the following:
 - (3) A party may file no more than one statement of disqualification against a judge unless facts suggesting new grounds for disqualification are first learned of or arise after the first statement of disqualification was filed. Repetitive statements of disqualification not alleging facts suggesting new grounds for disqualification shall be stricken by the judge against whom they are filed
- 18 This challenge for cause seeking to disqualify judge Tigar convincingly presents the case for judicial
- 19 recusal under Code of Civil Procedure sections 170.1-170.4 above, specifically 170.1, subdivision
- 20 (a)(6)(C). n1 (Stats. 1984, ch. 1555.) This proceeding touches upon the core of the judicial process -- the
- 21 appearance of objectivity of the decision maker -- requiring a careful balancing of the affected interests. The
- 22 court must consider both the public's right to be assured of the fair, but yet efficient, resolution of disputes
- 23 and the parties' right to a decision based upon the court's objective evaluation of the facts and law. (See In
- 24 re United States (1st Cir. 1981) 666 F.2d 690, 694.) The tension between the appearance of fairness and
- 25 efficiency should be self-evident. The difference between the appearance of fairness generally and the
- 26 perception of fairness as seen by a party or his or her counsel should also be self-evident. With ever
- 27 mounting litigation, judicial disqualification has and will undoubtedly continue to increase as will those of
- 28 judicial disqualification during trial. This case is ripe for such ruling as you must understand judge Tigar's
- 29 conduct, actions and personality has "make a world of difference when it comes to rulings on evidence, the
- 30 temper of the courtroom, the tolerance for a proffered defense, and the like." (Chandler v. Judicial Council
- 31 (1970) 398 U.S. 74, 137 [26 L.Ed.2d 100, 137-138, 90 S.Ct. 1648] (dis. opn. of Douglas, J.).)

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- 1 Nonetheless the proper performance of judicial duties does require a judge to withdraw from a matter every
- 2 time an advocate positively asserts the objective and fair judge appears to be biased. The duty of a judge to
- 3 sit where not disqualified is equally as strong as the duty not to sit when disqualified. (See <u>Laird v. Tatum</u>
- 4 (1972) 409 U.S. 824 [34 L.Ed.2d 50, 93 S.Ct. 7] On the facts of this case, you must grant this writ.
- 5 B. Section 6068
- 6 Section 6068 obliges a judge and attorney to "support the Constitution and laws" (subd. (a)) and "maintain
- 7 the respect due to the courts of justice and judicial officers" (subd. (b)). Under section 6106, "any act
- 8 involving moral turpitude, dishonesty or corruption, whether the act is committed in the course of his
- 9 relations as an attorney or otherwise, . . . constitutes a cause for [a lawyer's] disbarment or suspension."
- 10 (Italics added.) We conclude that, under certain circumstances, an attorney's disobedience, even when he
- acts in a nonprofessional or personal capacity, violates section 6068, subdivisions (a) and (b), and
- 12 constitutes "moral turpitude" within the meaning of section 6106.
- 13 Multiple acts of misconduct involving moral turpitude and dishonesty warrant disbarment. (See std. 2.3,
- 14 Stds. for Atty. Sanctions for Prof. Misconduct, div. V, Rules Proc. of State Bar; compare <u>Dixon v. State</u>
- 15 Bar (1982) 32 Cal.3d 728, 739, 740 [187 Cal.Rptr. 30, 653 P.2d 321].) Tigar's pattern of serious, recurrent
- misconduct is a factor in aggravation. (Garlow v. State Bar (1988) 44 Cal.3d 689, 711 [244 Cal.Rptr. 452,
- 17 749 P.2d 1307].)
- 18 It is evident that Tigar has no appreciation for the fair, just and proper administration of justice, nor equity
- under the law and is totally at odds with the judicial and legal professional standards of this state and
- country. Disqualification as a judge and disbarment as an attorney would thus be necessary to protect the
- public, and preserve confidence in the profession, and maintain high professional standards. (Ainsworth v.
- 22 State Bar (1988) 46 Cal.3d 1218, 1235 [252 Cal.Rptr. 267, 762 P.2d 431].)
- Dishonest acts in court are a basic violation of a judge or attorney's role, oath, and duties. (Bus. & Prof.
- Code, § 6068, subds. (a), (b), (d); State Bar Rules Prof. Conduct, rule 7-105.) We have condemned such
- conduct in the strongest terms. (E.g., <u>Davis v. State Bar</u> (1983) 33 Cal.3d 231, 239-240 [188 Cal. Rptr.
- ²⁶ 441, 655 P.2d 1276]; Olguin v. State Bar (1980) 28 Cal.3d 195, 199-200 [167 Cal. Rptr. 876, 616 P.2d
- 27 858].)
- 28 C. The Canons of the Code of Judicial Conduct
- In the Canons of the Code of Judicial Conduct. Although these canons do not have the force of law or
- regulation, "they reflect a judicial consensus regarding appropriate behavior" for California judges. (
- 31 *Kloepfer v. Commission on Judicial Performance* (1989) 49 Cal. 3d 826, 838, fn. 6 [264 Cal. Rptr. 100,

- 1 782 P.2d 239, 89 A.L.R.4th 235]; see Cannon v. Commission on Judicial Qualifications (1975) 14 Cal. 3d
- 2 678, 707, fn. 22 [122 Cal. Rptr. 778, 537 P.2d 898].) The failure of a judge to comply with the canons
- 3 "suggests performance below the minimum level necessary to maintain public confidence in the
- 4 administration of justice." (*Kloepfer v. Commission on Judicial Performance*, supra, 49 Cal. 3d at p. 838,
- 5 fn. 6.)
- An impartial and independent judiciary is indispensable to our legal system. Of equal importance is
- 7 public confidence in the independence and integrity of the judiciary, because the effective functioning of our
- 8 legal system is dependent upon the public's willingness to accept the judgments and rulings of the courts.
- 9 (Cal. Code Jud. Conduct, com. to canon 1.) Plaintiff argues that Tigar's conduct and actions described
- herein violate Cannons 1, 2, 2A, 2B(2), 3B(2), 3B(4), 3B(5) and 3B(8) and the court can not allow this type
- of willful misconduct in office and conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice (moral turpitude,
- 12 corruption, and dishonesty) that brings the judicial office into disrepute. (Art. VI, § 18, subd. (c).)
- 13 D. Tigar is A Litigant- A Defendant, A Co-Defense Counsel
- 14 Tigar's actions are void of any legal basis, moral conviction, ethical reason nor merit as Tigar has failed and
- 15 refused to provided the truth of his statements and actions nor any information sought relative thereto and
- has fostered his relationship, involvement and business with Defendants CSAA, and their defense counsel
- 17 Ropers Majeski, a law firm with six offices and 200 lawyer, as they represented his interest BEFORE
- 18 HIMSELF as judge in their opposition to his staged recusal in April 2007 allowing him to continue as
- 19 judge in this matter. They have mutually curried each others favor, and Tigar has subsequently ruled in
- 20 favor of the the defense counsels, underlying defendants Rescue Rooter, City of Oakland, and the defense
- 21 counsel in the underlying case of Rescue Rooter, yet has offered no explanation whatsoever for any of the
- 22 false statements, through this denial asserts he had no obligation to advise Plaintiff of the truth even though
- 23 he was aware of the misrepresentations. On July 26, 2007 defendants, in a brazen move, decided to remove
- 24 any veil of their alliance with Tigar and submitted a two page letter citing CCP 170.4 and 1209 threatening
- 25 to file a motion to enjoin Plaintiff from filing any challenges, to dismiss the suit and ask Plaintiff be held
- 26 for contempt! (See letter attached under **Exhibit "C"**) This effort is clearly their assertion of their
- influence over the case that they have exercised over the years and why so many judges have been found to
- 28 have been tainted in this case. These are very difficult circumstances for defendants and defendant judge
- 29 Tigar to explain away and for Plaintiff to overcome.
- 30 The end cannot be assumed based on the notion of Tigar's and defendants dogmas, which cannot replace
- 31 truth to explain the facts of human reality. When facts live in denial, dogmas construct dark illusions to
- 32 assert the defendants judicial agenda for encroachment of human rights, dignity and being made whole.

Plaintiff's search for justice itself confirms the preexistence of bias and injustice. Justice, fairness and 1 societal harmony cannot be preached in the name of "litigation" which is illegal in fact and nature and 2 systematic torture of Plaintiff, his family, clients, business, community and the citizens of this nation. 3 Targeted victims such as these look to human conscience to stop the continued insurance defense and 4 5 judicial cruelty, violations of human rights and travesty of justice. Those whose lives have been destroyed by the false official claims of defendants and defendant judge Tigar and their incestuous relationship ask 6 the living and THINKING People of the globe, could there be two distinct orders of truth? 7 8 Tigars actions and conduct is criminal and motivated by invidious bias, prejudice, disdain and bigotry toward Plaintiff and particular groups not only harm individual victims but send a powerful message of 9 intolerance and discrimination to all members of the group to which the victim belongs. This type of 10 conduct can be characterized as a hate crime and is done to intimidate and disrupt entire communities and 11 vitiate the civility that is essential to a healthy judicial and democratic fair process. All these parties are 12 lawyers in the United States of America where as such, they have all taken an oath obligating them to 13 defend the Constitution and the rule of law. We believe the defendants, defendant judge Tigar and the court 14 15 administration has committed numerous offenses against the Constitution and have violated federal laws and obstructed constitutional oversight. 16 Plaintiff was already called on the U.S. Attorney General whom has authorized a criminal investigation that 17 Plaintiff has continued with the congressional offices of Barbara Lee, and Charles Rangel to provide the 18 documents and findings to House Judiciary Chairman John Conyers and Senate Judiciary Chairman 19 20 Patrick Leahy to launch hearings into the possibility that crimes have been committed by these defense parties, the judges involved in this case since 1999, the court administration in both Superior and the 21 Appellate Court levels in violation of the Constitution advocating the investigations to go where they must, 22 including into the offices of all those involved. The majority of lawyers and people in this country 23 understand that this type of conduct has really gone off the page of constitutional rights and off the page of 24 25 fundamental rights, and this Congress is willing to push to restore those rights. These congressmen are dismayed that a case like this can exist and has failed while the defendants and court has been given a 26 "pass" on key illegalities that intimate secret special programs that foretells scandal and the minimal that 27 absolutely is needed to get us back on the page of law is to have serious investigative hearings that go up 28 the chain of command and figure out who is responsible for what. Plaintiff and these Congressmen 29 30 acknowledge even with regard to the US Attorney General's continuing minimal investigation that was never

will not fail to enforce these actions. These Congressmen do not feel that just announcing that

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- 2 subpoenas by issuing contempt citations. Congress has a constitutional duty to oversee the activities of
- 3 these types of individuals and our entire system of government is threatened by this when Congress simply
- 4 folds before an obstinate guilty party. Issuing contempt citations against these parties will be Congress's
- 5 first order of post trial business in this matter. This is a vital effort by those charged with defending our
- 6 constitution, it's a way of Congress saying 'we have some fortitude and integrity, we need to have a serious
- 7 investigation, wherever it might go, on these issues that really have taken the United States out of the
- 8 mainstream of human rights. It's absolutely critical to shut the door to illegality and have accountability on
- 9 those illegalities or we're going to be facing a very bleak future in which fundamental rights will not really
- 10 be obeyed.
- 11 Tigar's representation by the defendants has the unfortunate consequence of making the judge a litigant,
- obliged to the defense and their counsel by leaving his defense to one of the litigants appearing before him
- in the same case. (Kerr v. United States District Court, supra, 426 U.S. at pp. 402-403 [48 L.Ed.2d at p.
- 14 732].) Judges should be umpires rather than players.

15 **Judge Tigar is Gulity of:**

16 1. Willful Misconduct

- 17 This pleading contains allegations suggesting serious unjudicial conduct, including bias against Judge
- 18 Tigar, and attributes statements to him that suggest that he has prejudged contested issues in the matter
- 19 pending before him and that an appearance of impropriety has arisen and that the fairness of the
- proceedings has been fundamentally and irreparably compromised. Therefore, and because the interests of
- 21 justice require that the trial proceed free of questions concerning fundamental fairness to all concerned, the
- 22 Court must determined that the proceedings should not continue before the current judge, and that a new
- 23 judge be appointed by this Court, and should proceed to hear and take evidence thereon.
- Judge Tigar's conduct, actions and orders tends to incite dissension, provoke retaliation for retaliation, is
- against constitutional principles of comity between the court and parties, and disturb that fundamental
- equality of civil rights and due process which is the basis of justice and the Constitution itself.
- 27 Tigar engaged in conduct that violated canon 2A of the Code of Judicial Ethics, which requires that judges
- respect and comply with the law, and canon 3B(2), which requires that judges be faithful to the law.
- 29 Accordingly, the court will find that Judge Tigars' orders and conduct reflects a purpose other than the
- 30 faithful discharge of judicial duty, and was at minimum improper action within the meaning of article VI,
- section 18, subd. (d)(3) of the California Constitution, and his false and misleading assertions were in
- violation of the Code of Judicial Ethics, canons 1, 2, 2A and 2B; was willful misconduct in office, persistent

- 1 failure or inability to perform his duties in a fair and just manner, conduct prejudicial to the administration
- 2 of justice that brings the judicial office into disrepute, or improper action within the meaning of article VI,
- 3 section 18(d), of the California Constitution providing for removal, censure, or public or private
- 4 admonishment of a judge or former judge.
- 5 Judge Tigar is charged with willful misconduct in office, conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice
- 6 that brings the judicial office into disrepute and improper action within the meaning of article VI, section 18
- 7 of the California Constitution providing for removal, censure, or public or private admonishment of a judge
- 8 to wit:
- 9 A: In these cases where he withheld issuing the orders until he knew Plaintiff was away and then acted on
- 10 the orders after the applicable deadlines for Plaintiff to legally and properly respond, thus forcing Plaintiff
- to forfeit his civil rights and right to due process. Tigar's conduct violated the Code of Judicial Ethics,
- 12 canons 1, 2A, 3A, and 3B(8).
- B: There are statements at bench that Tigar has made under oath at every hearing, affidavits Tigar signed in
- 14 response to Plaintiff' Challenges for Cause were and are intentionally false while each order has been
- 15 replete with willful and intentional prejudicial error. On each occasion, he signed his Reply to Plaintiff's
- 16 Challenges for Cause, certifying under penalty of perjury that the information was true and correct, when he
- knew that it was not, thus having made false statements under penalty of perjury, and engaged in
- inappropriate activity to cover it up in violation of the Code of Judicial Ethics, canons 1, and 2A.
- 19 C: Tigar's lying under oath; calling Plaintiff a lair without any substantiation or justification; entitling
- 20 orders for his convenience to deny them and avoid appellate review; entitling orders for his convenience to
- deny them and issues sanctions; irresponsible failure as a judge to read, interpret, and apply the applicable
- 22 laws "goes beyond mere negligence"; conduct falls into the category of misconduct by a judge as arising
- out of conduct which is done in bad faith violated the Code of Judicial Ethics, canons 1, 2A, 3A, and 3B(8).
- D: At the bench, he said words to the effect of, "You will not get what you want" "you have attacked
- 25 **judges**" and knew it is not appropriate to state, inquire or comment as to why Plaintiff exercised a 170.1
- 26 challenge. His conduct in response to the filing of the challenges was improper and violated the Code of
- 27 Judicial Ethics, canons 1 and 2A.
- 28 E: His comments in open court regarding the fact that plaintiff had filed a peremptory challenge against him
- and other judges under Code of Civil Procedure section 170; instructing Plaintiff not to mention his perjury
- or to speak his own truth; and threatened retaliation to charge him with contempt when plaintiff refused to
- 31 back off his charges of the judges perjury, deceit, and willful misconduct; violated the Code of Judicial
- 32 Ethics, canons 1, 2A, 3A, and 3B(8).

- 1 The charges assert such behavior violated canons 1 and 2A. As we display, there is clear and convincing
- 2 evidence Judge Tigar threatened to find Plaintiff in contempt. When a 170.1 challenge is properly and
- 3 timely filed, a judge must truthfully and competently answer in a timely manner or accept the
- 4 disqualification without inquiry. (McCartney v. Commission on Judicial Qualifications (1974) 12 Cal.3d
- 5 512, 531-532.) Judge Tigar can not dispute the validity of Plaintiff's 170.1 challenges and the charges
- 6 prove he again violated canons 1 and 2A as he failed to maintain the high standard of conduct required of a
- 7 judge and acted without integrity.
- 8 All three elements of willful misconduct within the meaning of Article VI, section 18(d) of the California
- 9 Constitution are present. Judge Tigar's conduct was:
- 10 1) unjudicial and
- 11 2) committed in his judicial capacity;
- 12 3) he committed an act he knew was beyond his lawful power and thus acted in bad faith. (See Broadman v.
- 13 Commission on Judicial Performance (1998) 18 Cal.4th at p. 1091.) This concludes there was willful
- 14 misconduct under the Broadman standard.
- 15 Plaintiff request this order that Judge Tigar be removed from this matter because of his dishonesty in
- 16 connection with his lying under oath; deceit in addressing the issues of his evasive and non responsive
- answers to the challenges for cause; his ongoing willful abuse of process with the issuing and serving of
- orders; calling Plaintiff a lair without any substantiation or justification; entitling orders for his convenience
- 19 to deny them and avoid appellate review; entitling orders for his convenience to deny them and issues
- sanctions; withholding orders to deny Plaintiff's civil rights and right to due process; misapplying the rule
- of law; not reading, interpreting, applying and therefore not abiding by the law; his comments in open court
- 22 regarding the fact that plaintiff had filed a peremptory challenge against him and other judges under Code
- 23 of Civil Procedure section 170, instructing Plaintiff not to mention his perjury or to speak his own truth and
- 24 threatened retaliation to charge him with contempt when plaintiff refused to back off his charges of the
- 25 judges perjury, deceit, willful misconduct and bad faith.
- He gave dishonest testimony evasive answers and provided materially false information concerning many
- issues raised in his challenges and from the bench in open court. Based on his deceitful conduct, one must
- 28 concluded that Judge Tigar's lack of candor and falsehoods create the appearance that he rules and
- administer and probably fostered and procured his judicial office by deceit. At a minimum, Judge Tigar's
- 30 challenge-related nondisclosures and misrepresentations are of the same import and create a similar
- 31 appearance; they also require the same result. Particularly relevant here is the courts conviction that
- 32 'deception is antithetical to the role of a Judge who is sworn to uphold the law and seek the truth'

- 1 [citations]." (668 N.Y.S.2d at 999.) The deception practiced by Judge Tigar during these events, as well as
- 2 his specious actions before this Plaintiff on every occasion, are equally antithetical to, and inherently
- 3 incompatible with, his duties to uphold the law and the search for truth.
- 4 Honesty is a minimum qualification for every judge. (Kloepfer v. Commission on Judicial Performance
- 5 (1989) 49 Cal.3d 826, 865 (Kloepfer).) If the essential quality of veracity is lacking, other positive qualities
- 6 of the person cannot redeem or compensate for the missing fundamental. (Ibid.)
- 7 2. Willful Misconduct, or at a Minimum Prejudicial Misconduct
- 8 You must agree that Judge Tigar's conduct and actions constitute willful misconduct, or at a minimum,
- 9 constitute prejudicial misconduct. One of the requirements for willful misconduct that the misconduct
- 10 occur while the judge is acting in a judicial capacity is clear in this case. He violated the Act, including by
- 11 knowingly signing false statements under penalty of perjury in his judicial capacity.
- 12 "A judge is acting in a judicial capacity while performing one of the functions, whether adjudicative or
- administrative in nature, that are associated with the position of a judge or when the judge uses or attempts
- 14 to use the authority of the judicial office for an improper purpose." (Broadman v. Commission on Judicial
- 15 Performance (1998) 18 Cal.4th at p. 1104, citing Dodds, supra, 12 Cal.4th at p. 172.)
- 16 Judge Tigar's misconduct is willful misconduct within the meaning of the California Constitution. At best,
- 17 it is "unjudicial conduct committed in bad faith by a judge acting in a judicial capacity." (Broadman, supra,
- 18 Cal.4th at pp. 1092-1093 and Doan, supra, 11 Cal.4th at p. 312.)
- 19 In this context, bad faith means a culpable mental state beyond mere negligence and consisting of either
- 20 knowing or not caring that the conduct being undertaken is unjudicial and prejudicial to public esteem. In
- sum, to constitute prejudicial conduct, a judge's actions must bring "the judicial office into disrepute," that
- 22 is, the conduct would appear to an objective observer to be prejudicial to "public esteem for the judicial
- office." [Citation.] (Broadman, supra, 18 Cal.4th at p. 1093.)
- 24 In my previous explanation that Judge Tigar's violations also violated the canons of judicial ethics (pp. 16-
- 25 17, ante), you must reach the conclusion that the judge has brought the judiciary into disrepute and that his
- 26 conduct is prejudicial to public esteem for the judiciary and that Judge Tigar's irresponsible failure as a
- 27 judge to read, interpret, and apply the applicable laws "goes beyond mere negligence" within the meaning
- of Broadman. Based on the quoted legal standards, Judge Tigar has committed prejudicial willful
- 29 misconduct or at least prejudicial misconduct when he violated the Act as described herein, including when
- 30 he swore to the accuracy of the affidavits he knew were false.
- 31 3. Prejudicial Misconduct
- The herein conduct constitute prejudicial misconduct within the meaning of article VI, section 18(d) of the Plaintiff's Fourth Challenge of Judge Tigar Page 63

- 1 California Constitution. The Supreme Court has defined this category of misconduct by a judge as arising
- 2 out of conduct which is not done in bad faith, "but which nevertheless would appear to an objective
- 3 observer to be not only unjudicial conduct but conduct prejudicial to the public esteem for the judicial
- 4 office...." (Broadman, supra, 18 Cal.4th at p. 1092, citing Doan, supra, 11 Cal.4th at p. 312.) This conduct
- 5 by Tigar fits within this definition and it is prejudicial to public esteem for the judicial office.
- 6 The court and the judge has to admit he did not disclose the truth and signed the statements under penalty
- 7 of perjury knowing each of them contained false information, and the concomitant false representation of
- 8 the judge are highly material because his misconduct subverts a core purpose of the law.
- 9 Tigar violated canon 1 by failing to maintain a high standard of conduct when he failed to read, interpret and
- apply the law governing Plaintiff's motions and then violated them. He also violated the provision of canon
- 2A requiring judges to promote public confidence in the judiciary. Public confidence in the judiciary is
- seriously impacted when the public learns a judge, one who is entrusted to apply the rule of law, does not
- 13 read, interpret, apply and therefore does not abide by the law. The public can have no confidence in a judge,
- and hence a judiciary, that is required to know and respect the law but does neither.
- 15 4. Violations of the Code of Judicial Ethics
- 16 Plaintiff charges Judge Tigar with violating canon 1, which requires a judge to uphold and preserve the
- 17 integrity of the judiciary and to do so by maintaining high standards of personal conduct. You must adopt
- 18 the following conclusions that Judge Tigar violated this canon as well as canon 2A, which requires a judge
- 19 to respect and comply with the law and to act at all times in a manner that promotes public confidence in the
- 20 integrity and impartiality of the judiciary:
- 21 By lying under oath; calling Plaintiff a lair without any substantiation or justification; entitling orders for
- 22 his convenience to deny them and avoid appellate review; entitling orders for his convenience to deny them
- 23 and issues sanctions; withholding orders to deny Plaintiff's civil rights and right to due process; Tigar
- 24 failed to observe high standards of conduct. His conduct exhibited a complete lack of concern for the rights
- of others, an inability to control his impulses and poor judgment, thereby seriously injuring the integrity of
- 26 the judiciary in the eyes of the public.
- 27 This same conduct reflects his lack of respect for and compliance with the law in violation of canon 2A.
- 28 <u>5.</u> <u>Unfaithful Discharge of Judicial Duty</u>
- 29 Accordingly, the court will find that Judge Tigars' orders and conduct reflects a purpose other than the
- 30 faithful discharge of judicial duty, and was at minimum improper action within the meaning of article VI,
- section 18, subd. (d)(3) of the California Constitution, and his false and misleading assertions were in
- 32 violation of the Code of Judicial Ethics, canons 1, 2, 2A and 2B; was willful misconduct in office, persistent

- 1 failure or inability to perform his duties in a fair and just manner, conduct prejudicial to the administration
- 2 of justice that brings the judicial office into disrepute, or improper action within the meaning of article VI,
- 3 section 18(d), of the California Constitution providing for removal, censure, or public or private
- 4 admonishment of a judge or former judge.
- 5 <u>6.</u> No Mitigation
- 6 Despite his many self touted achievements and rank in the legal community, it does not mitigate or excuse
- 7 Tigar's willful or prejudicial misconduct. (Ibid.; accord, Kloepfer, supra, 49 Cal.3d at p. 865 [lack of
- 8 honesty cannot be mitigated or excused by other positive characteristics].)
- 9 It makes more unbelievable his claim that he somehow did not know what the ex-parte motions were about,
- and has always failed to read and follow the law governing the issues before him. This continued failure as
- an "appalling lack of common sense" and something a judge could never satisfactorily explain. You too
- will also find his claimed ignorance to be feigned and that he was fully aware of the issues surrounding the
- motions and the law governing them despite his rulings is more consistent with his false character, self
- marketed image and self portrayed description of judge as a jurist who was thoroughly versed in the law.
- 15 Moreover, his self cultivated "good reputation for legal knowledge and administrative skills" and ardent
- desire for an Appellant appointment "does not mitigate willful or prejudicial misconduct. (Kloepfer, supra,
- 17 49 Cal.3d at p. 865.)
- 18 7. Deception is Fraud
- 19 The judge's deception is fraud and overwhelms other considerations and compels removal. Judge Tigar
- 20 engaged in deceit and misrepresentations to keep his position as judge in this case. He also has dissembled
- 21 before the court with excuses in an attempt to minimize fault, thereby demonstrating a lack of acceptance of,
- and accountability for, his wrongdoing. He demonstrated extreme lack of judgment mentioning Plaintiff's
- 23 disqualification of him and other judges, calling plaintiff a lair, knowing the impropriety of doing so, and
- 24 his conduct of threatening plaintiff with contempt for speaking the truth, and for not abstaining from
- 25 addressing his many transgressions during the hearing demonstrates an alarming disrespect for the
- authority of justice in presiding over the case, the people of the County of Alameda, and other court
- 27 personnel. His actions show the serious degree to which he is unable to control his behavior. That inability
- 28 to exercise self-restraint, including the other charges herein, is convincing there is a strong likelihood he will
- 29 reoffend in the future. You cannot run that risk and still fulfill your constitutional mandate to protect the
- 30 public and the reputation of the judiciary.
- 31 8. Gross Lack of Judicial Temperament
- The indication of any pattern of behavior similar to that contained in this Writ reflects a gross lack of Plaintiff's Fourth Challenge of Judge Tigar Page 65

- 1 judicial temperament and is utterly irreconcilable with the minimum standards expected of a judge. The
- 2 Court will find "particularly egregious" the judge's conduct at every hearing. The judge's lying can not
- 3 be reconciled with canon 1 or canon 2A, or with the standard that honesty is a "minimum qualification"
- 4 expected of every judge.
- 5 In addition, the Court will find "reprehensible" Judge Tigar's conduct in repeatedly invoking his judicial
- 6 office and favored standing as a panel member of various judicial and legal committees, commissions,
- 7 associations, and groups, including the Judicial Council panel that reviews challenges for cause of judges
- 8 for disqualification, in an effort to attest to the fact that he otherwise receives preferential treatment. His
- 9 attitude is clearly that he is above the law and will not be overruled on appeal nor censured by the Council
- 10 or Commission that he dutifully serves. "Ours is a government of laws." See Am. <u>Civil Liberties Union v.</u>
- 11 <u>Dep't of Def.</u> ("ACLU I"), 339 F. Supp. 2d 501, 502 (S.D.N.Y. 2004). "No one is above the law: not the
- executive, not the Congress, and not the judiciary." *Id.* The Court and Tigar must recognize that all of
- Judge Tigars's wrongdoing arose out of many lapses of judgment, not one, but note that this lapses are no
- more excusable than a similar mistake made by any other judge.
- 15 Tigar's veracity and integrity has been seriously impugned, and his attempts to impart the fact that he
- obtains preferential treatment are unsuccessful. The Court must note that there was on-bench misconduct,
- and a direct adverse effect on the administration of justice per se.
- 18 9. Atmosphere of Unfairness
- 19 It must be stipulated that Judge Tigar's conduct violated canons 1, 2A, and 2B(2), and constituted
- prejudicial misconduct. Judge Tigar treated Plaintiff in a rude and demeaning manner, in violation of canons
- 21 1, 2A, and 3B(4). He berated, scolded, threatened, and belittled plaintiff even called him a liar. These
- improper references of Plaintiff's character and as being untruthful, coupled with his perjury regarding the
- discovery matters and categorical denial of every discovery issue raised before him reflected a prejudgment
- of plaintiff's discovery claims and a lack of impartiality, contrary to canon 3B(5). Judge Tigar's abusive
- conduct must draw harsh criticism from the Court in this decisions arising out of these charges of the
- ²⁶ "atmosphere of unfairness" created by the judge's denial of plaintiff's civil rights, right of due process,
- biased administration of justice, erroneous rulings, lies, deception, threats, retaliation, and caustic,
- condescending remarks of the plaintiff. (People v. Urias (July 31, 2006, G035179 [2006 WL 2128631]
- 29 [nonpub. opn.]).)
- He must be reminded of the consequences of making inappropriate remarks, and of a judge's duty to be
- patient, dignified and courteous to those with whom the judge deals in an official capacity.

1 10. High Probability" He Would Continue Unethical Behavior

- 2 The Court will find that the uncontroverted facts in the current matter showed a persistent pattern of
- 3 unjudicial, abusive and demeaning conduct that is seriously at odds with the canons and expected judicial
- 4 temperament, and that neither good conscience nor repeated cautions on behalf of plaintiff had caused the
- 5 judge to reform his intemperate judicial demeanor. The adverse impact of the judge's misconduct on the
- 6 judicial system had been substantial, jeopardizing the parties' right to a fair trial and, in this case,
- 7 contributing to the reversal of a civil trial judgment. Based on Judge Tigar's "persistent mistreatment" of
- 8 plaintiff appearing before him and his inability to control his behavior despite the requirements of fairness
- 9 and justice, the Court of Appeal must determined that there is a "high probability" he would continue his
- unethical behavior if he were to sit in a judicial capacity in the future. The Court therefore must concluded
- that he is unfit to serve in this matter and recusal is necessary for the protection of the public and the
- 12 reputation of the judiciary. The court must also consider and issues a referral to the Commission for his
- 13 review for a public censure and possible bar.

14 **21.** Misconduct in Misstating the Evidence

- 15 Plaintiff contends Tigar committed misconduct on several occasions by wrongfully entitling, misstating and
- 16 mischaracterizing the evidence of the orders and motions. Although judges have wide latitude to draw
- inferences from the evidence presented at trial, mischaracterizing the evidence is misconduct. (People v.
- 18 Avena (1996) 13 Cal. 4th 394, 420 [53 Cal. Rptr. 2d 301, 916 P.2d 1000]; see also People v. Lucas (1995)
- 19 12 Cal. 4th 415, 472 [48 Cal. Rptr. 2d 525, 907 P.2d 373] [failure to object forfeited claim of misconduct
- for misstating facts].) A prosecutor's "vigorous" presentation of facts favorable to his or her side "does not
- excuse either deliberate or mistaken misstatements of fact." (People v. Purvis (1963) 60 Cal. 2d 323, 343
- 22 [33 Cal. Rptr. 104, 384 P.2d 424].) (1c) Although the line between permissible and impermissible conduct
- 23 may sometimes appear unclear, Tigar, as we explain, crossed this line many times.
- As is clear, Tigar again blatantly, grossly and categorically mischaracterized the factual record to bolster a
- critical weakness in his strategy and to gloss over inconsistencies in the evidence of wrongfully entitling
- orders and motions unfavorable to his desired result to deny and sanction Plaintiff and avoid appellate
- 27 review. His actions added to the growing mountain of deceit and unethical behavior thus constituted
- 28 misconduct.

22. Judicial Misconduct In Limine Motions

- Clearly, the defendants and defendant judge Tigar's questionable granting of limine motions in support of
- defense theory concerning the alleged 1991 backup, the inclusion of the recession of the insurance contract,

- 1 the determination of the "sick home" effect and the complete exclusion of all materials and references to
- 2 the vacated Insurance Appraisal "as if it never happened" was to be lethal to Plaintiff's case and assumed
- 3 facts not in evidence -- the existence of such evidence procured through the appraisal that can no longer be
- 4 used -- thereby establishing a paradoxical and unwarranted but nevertheless prejudicial nexus of the facts in
- 5 the collective mind of the defense, Tigar and jury between the defendant's defense theories for recession, the
- 6 cross complaint, the recession letter and the exclusion of all matters investigated, discovered, alleged, and
- 7 plead during and as a result of the insurance appraisal. The asking of that question, then, does eliminate all
- 8 possible defense theories while it legally confirms the existence of the insurance contract without the
- 9 possibility of raising the issue of recession, and voids any issue of the 1991 backup as ALL the evidence,
- 10 testimony and information was procured during and as a result of the insurance appraisal. Any attempt by
- defendants or defendant judge Tigar to circumvent this limine motion is certainly prejudicial misconduct.
- 12 (See, e.g., <u>People v. Blackington</u> (1985) 167 Cal.App.3d 1216 [213 Cal.Rptr. 800].)

13 **23.** Objections

- 14 There is a well-recognized exception to this general rule as there is no need for an objection and request for
- admonition in order to preserve a charge of misconduct for appellate review in those instances where the
- 16 misconduct is of such an egregious nature that no amount of intervention by the court would serve to
- insulate the jury from the prejudicial impact of the misconduct. (People v. West (1932) 215 Cal. 87, 96 [8]
- P.2d 463].) Any review of the record as a whole in this case would convince anyone that this exception
- certainly does apply here.
- 20 Plaintiff will move for a mistrial if Tigar attempts to circumvent the current insurance appraisal ruling
- granted as a pretrial motion in limine, assigning misconduct on the ground that Tigar's ruling had
- 22 improperly and prejudicially assumed facts not in evidence and once it was discovered it totally denied
- 23 nearly every defense matter on which the defendants and defendant judge had bet ALL their chips, the
- defendants and Tigar had to rescind the effect of the order and modify it's impact on the trial. The court
- 25 must grant the motion for a mistrial with respect to imputing any evidentiary value to the granted motion in
- 26 question.

24. The Issue Is Preserved for Appellate Review

- At the threshold, the court and Tigar can not contend Plaintiff forfeited appellate review of his claims of
- misconduct, because as to each claim Plaintiff interject a timely and specific objection. As a general rule a
- party may not complain on appeal of misconduct unless in a timely fashion--and on the same ground--the
- party made an assignment of misconduct and requested that the court acknowledge the impropriety. (

- 1 People v. Berryman (1993) 6 Cal. 4th 1048, 1072 [25 Cal. Rptr. 2d 867, 864 P.2d 40].)" (Samayoa, supra,
- 2 15 Cal. 4th at p. 841.)

- 3 The foregoing, however, is only the general rule. A party will be excused from the necessity of either a
- 4 timely objection and/or a request for admonition if either would be futile. (People v. Arias (1996) 13 Cal.
- 5 4th 92, 159 [51 Cal. Rptr. 2d 770, 913 P.2d 980]; People v. Noguera (1992) 4 Cal. 4th 599, 638 [15 Cal.
- 6 Rptr. 2d 400, 842 P.2d 1160].) In addition, failure to request the admonishment or acknowledgment does
- 7 not forfeit the issue for appeal if " 'an admonition would not have cured the harm caused by the
- 8 misconduct.' " (People v. Bradford (1997) 15 Cal. 4th 1229, 1333 [65 Cal. Rptr. 2d 145, 939 P.2d 259],
- 9 quoting People v. Price (1991) 1 Cal. 4th 324, 447 [3 Cal. Rptr. 2d 106, 821 P.2d 610] (hereafter Price).)
- Finally, the absence of a request for a curative admonition does not forfeit the issue for appeal if "the court
- immediately overrules an objection to alleged prosecutorial misconduct [and as a consequence] the
- defendant has no opportunity to make such a request." (People v. Green (1980) 27 Cal. 3d 1, 35, fn. 19
- 13 [164 Cal. Rptr. 1, 609 P.2d 468] (hereafter Green); <u>People v. Pitts</u> (1990) 223 Cal. App. 3d 606, 692 [273
- Cal. Rptr. 757]; <u>People v. Lindsey</u> (1988) 205 Cal. App. 3d 112, 116, fn. 1 [252 Cal. Rptr. 96]; see also
- People v. Noguera, supra, at p. 638 [must request curative admonition "if practicable"].)
- Although Plaintiff has objected to some of the instances of misconduct, he did not do so in all cases and
- some times did not state the grounds of his objection or declined to request Tigar to admonish himself.
- Nevertheless, Plaintiff was subjected to a constant barrage of Tigar's unethical conduct including threatened
- charges of contempt, lying under oath, propounding outright falsehoods, wrongfully entitling motions and
- orders, misstating the evidence, deception, bias, sarcastic and critical comments demeaning Plaintiff, and
- prejudice. With a few exceptions, all of Tigar's misconduct occurred in hearings. His continual misconduct,
- coupled with his failure to rein in his excesses, created a hearing and trial atmosphere so poisonous that
- Plaintiff is thrust upon the horns of a dilemma. On the one hand, he must and will continually speak and
- demand the truth and to object to Tigar's misconduct and risk repeatedly provoking Tigar's wrath, which has
- already taken the form of comments before the court making false allegations against plaintiff; calling
- plaintiff a liar without providing a shred of proof; labeling plaintiff as someone whom "attacks judges" in
- open court; the threatened incarceration of plaintiff with contempt for speaking the truth while recently
- suggesting Plaintiff was an obstructionist, delaying a hearing with objections. These comments and such
- conduct from the bench run the obvious risk of prejudicing the court and anyone within ear shot of the
- hearings towards Plaintiff. On the other hand, Plaintiff could decline to object, thereby forcing Plaintiff to
- suffer the prejudice caused by Tigar's constant misconduct and threats of charges of contempt if he does.

- 1 Plaintiff will NEVER decline to object and will ALWAYS DEMAND that Tigar be honest and truthful at
- 2 all times in this case! Under these unusual circumstances, you must conclude Plaintiff must be excused
- 3 from the legal obligation to continually object, state the grounds of his objection, and ask the court and jury
- 4 be acknowledged of the wrong doing or be admonished. On this record, you must be convinced any
- 5 additional attempts on Plaintiff's part to do so would have been futile and counterproductive. (See <u>People v.</u>
- 6 Arias, supra, 13 Cal. 4th at p. 159; People v. Noguera, supra, 4 Cal. 4th at p. 638.)

7 25. Tigar's Pretext For a Charge of Contempt Against Plaintiff

- 8 It is without doubt that Tigar's structuring of the record was pretextual to his forming the basis for a
- 9 charge of contempt against Plaintiff. He knows he needs the record to reflect that he has given the
- admonition to plaintiff as the record is all that will be reviewed, not the actual challenges that contain the
- allegations and embody the facts to establish Tigar has repeatedly lied under oath, is dishonest, deceiving,
- unbiased, nor therefore competent. What Tigar must address is that the charge of contempt must be based
- on the admonition of being his being dishonest as an untruth. Therein lies his problem as Plaintiff has and
- will uncategorically state on the record the lies he has uttered under oath as his own words and writings will
- bear witness against him. Tigar can not silence the truth with a threat of jail for contempt. If he has lied and
- it is clearly established that he has, he can not hide behind some perceived judicial litigation privilege to
- avoid it and incarcerate plaintiff for arguing that fact! He again can not simply order a lie to be the truth, or
- hide behind the veil provided to him by a colleague to do so! That challenge will be met and that
- confrontation inevitable as Tigar has made himself a defendant of his actions in this trial that now has a
- fourth element that will be brought to the attention of the jury at every turn.

21 **26.** The Immaculate Deception

- The individual is handicapped by coming face to face with a conspiracy so monstrous he cannot
- believe it exists".

J. Edgar Hoover, former head of the FBI

- Plaintiff exposed the "staged recusal" as part of a more grandiose plan to use judge Tigar in a "stand-alone,
- ²⁶ " "off-the-shelf," covert capacity that would act throughout the proceeding while evading judicial review
- with the protection of others higher up in the judiciary.
- Plaintiff's accusations are correct that Tigar had distorted the facts, evidence and the publics intelligence to
- rationalize his actions and the decisions.
- What has emerged is a defendant judge fixated on finding ways to shackle Plaintiff's case and avoiding the
- charges that he's playing a key a role in suppressing contrary evidence and testimony that would demand
- his recusal while advocating for his defendants.

- 1 "The details suggest Tigar is a deputy defense counsel and a defendant in a shadow operation as the judge.
- 2 He had his own source of evidence, facts, and advice that lead to his legal "findings and orders". He had
- 3 his own source of access to and is making his own decisions for the defendants.
- 4 Plaintiff writes that Tigar had written he had not discovered any evidence that Plaintiff was diligent in his
- 5 efforts also asserted that the court willfully ignored his pleadings and findings.
- 6 Plaintiff mentioned the unsubstantiated claim of non-diligence by Tigar and he disavowed the assertion
- 7 even after Plaintiff's criticism.
- 8 The disclosure of the Challenges by Plaintiff can lead to a federal investigation into why Tigar or Superior
- 9 Court administration officials deliberately included this information in his sworn affidavit to prejudice the
- 10 reviewer of this challenge with inadmissible evidence. The challenge for cause is classified and it is a crime
- to knowingly disclose classified information to anyone. Tigar is charged with lying under oath or perjury,
- misconduct, deception, conduct prejudicial, prejudice, bias, and obstructing justice.
- 13 Plaintiff suggests that the defendants motion to vacate Tigar's order disqualifying himself under CCP
- 14 170.6 was all staged and hinted at by Tigar in his opening statement to the parties when he first called the
- case on April 27, 2007. This choreographed act was done at Tigar and the court's behest and that Tigar had
- surely had his conclusions about the result well before the hearing because there are more reasons now to
- 17 disqualify Tigar than ever before.
- 18 Plaintiff feels that Tigar's mission was suggested by the defendants or members of the court but authorized
- 19 by others in response to inquiries made about the course of action and direction of this case with the
- 20 exposure and liability they are all sure to have.
- 21 Tigar should not be surprised to find Plaintiff was not backing off the words that Tigar is a liar and
- dishonest that he had been defending. Plaintiff is sure it wasn't the first time Tigar spoke of his position in
- 23 the Judicial and legal community, especially the Judicial Council, with great certainty, only to find that the
- 24 truth had changed it and nobody had bothered to let him know.
- 25 Plaintiff also described steps that Tigar took to use parts of a judicial challenge for cause, a classified
- 26 document, as part of his negative assessment of Plaintiff's strategic capabilities, to rebut Plaintiff. Among
- 27 those not informed about this lying Tigar's maneuver, were the reviewer of the Challenge for Cause and the
- 28 public.
- 29 What is interesting is what appears to be the total involvement of Tigar and his legal research attorney
- 30 named Adrienne or Angela and the court staff as if they are down to micromanaging every response, motion
- and order at that level, that is quite astounding.
- While these judges and defendants holds Plaintiff, his family, clients, business and community under a ten

- 1 year legal occupation with their having also seized occupation of the legal system and their manipulating
- 2 control over it.
- 3 There can be no reasonable explanation for the latest insane actions of Tigar whose continued perjury,
- 4 corrupt misconduct, bias, prejudicial misconduct, deception, and undefined relationship with parties is only
- 5 matched by his record for denying plaintiff his basic rights to due process and justice. If evidence is needed
- 6 then look no further than the latest rulings in this case, Plaintiff's challenges and Tigar's affidavit and
- 7 orders striking challenges without bias or prejudice of a colleagues review.
- 8 As Plaintiff has documented the transgressions of Tigar, his colleagues and the defendants and expresses
- 9 the corruption and solidarity of these people, he has become perceived as is the problem; it is this attitude
- which has induced Tigar, his colleagues and the defendants to preface any reference to Plaintiff with the
- bane of "he attacks judges" and consequently being one to issue an order to eliminate "the problem".
- 12 Plaintiff having this label as one who attacks judges and regarded as a problem by the Judicial
- 13 Administration and the various hugely powerful attorneys lobby is therefore, in the simplistic, black and
- white world of the legal community, a legal leper to be despised and isolated and anyone who shows
- solidarity with Plaintiff must be a traitor as this black comedy is being played out in court of public opinion
- as well which will see some of the finest judicial and legal elite in the dock.
- 17 Facing trumped up charges by the defendants and their judicial supporters and a judicial system so warped
- and twisted by Tigar, his colleagues and allies in the Superior and Appellate Courts, Plaintiff assures scores
- of people will be interested in the legal brawl in the courtroom with journalist to witness the unfolding farce
- 20 before leading civil rights campaigners... while the court may be in the daft belief if no one could see the
- 21 injustice they might go away quietly. Plaintiff assures that none will denied full and complete access to the
- 22 unfiltered information from the proceedings and many have expressed that interest.
- 23 Tigar is a desperate man, with the "judicial and named defendants" clinging on to the last vestiges of
- 24 power in a white knuckle drama the public has seen played out so many times recently across the globe by
- 25 corporate-controlled authorities who have oppressed their own people without mercy.
- 26 This latest disgraceful chapter in the ruling life of Tigar and the judicial and named defendants will be
- 27 exposed when the judges and other parties in this matter are ruled that all charges brought by the
- 28 defendants against Plaintiff were groundless; the product of fraud upon the court and law; corruption and
- 29 conflict of interest; subornation and solicitation of perjurious testimony; spoliation of evidence; unclean
- 30 hands; conduct prejudicial; bias and prejudice; and was racially, religiously and politically motivated.
- 31 Plaintiff and the people are not taken in by this disinformation. The fact is the court must concede that
- 32 Tigar, his colleagues and the defendants are some "slick operators" who feel they can fool anyone with their

- 1 legal machinations and have cover from their cronies in the Superior and Appellate Courts whom they are
- 2 closely allied with. This top of the line judges and attorney's whom are posed as "leaders" have constructed
- 3 and fabricated the system to manipulate it to their ends, under the pretense that it represents justice is used
- 4 to misdirect the people.
- 5 The defendants and their judicial supports are "a force that's defeated, a force that is frustrated." They have
- 6 attempted to subject plaintiff and his family to condition that are "killing them." Plaintiff, his family, clients,
- business and community are firm in their resolve to prevail over all these "judicial and named defendants".
- 8 Tigar and the defendants have routinely lied under oath, and fabricated evidence and stories about plaintiff
- 9 in their effort to effect their spin of events to "brainwash" some that they are fighting "evil" in the form of
- plaintiff as the wicked stories are without substance and less believable. They have long claimed that they
- would break the back of plaintiff and family as these "leaders" continue their attempt at fooling the
- 12 American people with their brand of "justice".
- 13 Even more interesting, the defendants supported by "judicial defendants" have come up with the nefarious
- 14 claim that plaintiff has committed fraud in the application and attempts to use this as a "legal defense
- shield." The "judicial and named defendants" proffer the idea that plaintiff, his family, business and
- 16 community are not human, have no families, and as such are immune to their torment and torture as they
- 17 have occupied their lives for ten years.

18 **27.** Tigar's Impartiality Beyond Recovery

- As has been clearly demonstrated in this Statement of Disqualification, plaintiff is certain that this
- 20 judge has exhibited this misconduct herein that is so drastic and serious so as to impair the judge's
- 21 impartiality beyond recovery, that it is not possible that a fair trial can be held before him, and he must be
- 22 disqualified.
- 23 The standards of conduct to which judges are held are reflected in part in the canons of the Code of
- 24 Judicial Conduct. Although these canons do not have the force of law or regulation, "they reflect a judicial
- 25 consensus regarding appropriate behavior" for California judges. (Kloepfer v. Commission on Judicial
- 26 Performance (1989) 49 Cal. 3d 826, 838, fn. 6 [264 Cal. Rptr. 100, 782 P.2d 239, 89 A.L.R.4th 235]; see
- 27 Cannon v. Commission on Judicial Qualifications (1975) 14 Cal. 3d 678, 707, fn. 22 [122 Cal. Rptr. 778,
- 28 537 P.2d 898].) The failure of a judge to comply with the canons "suggests performance below the
- 29 minimum level necessary to maintain public confidence in the administration of justice." (*Kloepfer v*.
- 30 *Commission on Judicial Performance*, supra, 49 Cal. 3d at p. 838, fn. 6.)
- An impartial and independent judiciary is indispensable to our legal system. Of equal importance is

- public confidence in the independence and integrity of the judiciary, because the effective functioning of our
- 2 legal system is dependent upon the public's willingness to accept the judgments and rulings of the courts.
- 3 (Cal. Code Jud. Conduct, com. to canon 1.) Plaintiff argues that the court can not allow this type of willful
- 4 misconduct in office and conduct prejudicial to the administration of justice (moral turpitude, corruption,
- 5 and dishonesty) that brings the judicial office into disrepute. (Art. VI, § 18, subd. (c).)
- 6 By his actions, Judge Tigar has violated the Canons of the Code of Judicial Conduct, which requires that
- 7 judges conduct themselves "at all times in a manner that promotes public confidence in the integrity and
- 8 impartiality of the judiciary." The judge's actions, brash comments and statements were manifested in bad
- 9 faith while they was acting in their judicial capacity. (Spruance v. Commission on Judicial Qualifications
- 10 (1975) 13 Cal. 3d at p. 796.) Their actions therefore constitute willful misconduct.
- 11 If "a judge who should disqualify himself or herself refuses or fails to do so," the party seeking the
- disqualification must file a verified, written statement with the clerk of the court objecting to the hearing or
- trial before the judge and "setting forth the facts constituting the grounds for disqualification." (§ 170.3,
- subd. (c)(1).) The judge can either consent to the disqualification or file a verified answer admitting or
- denying the allegations in the challenger's statement and adding any additional facts material "to the
- question of disqualification." (§ 170.3, subd. (c)(3).) Unless there is a recusal by the challenged judge, the
- 17 question of disqualification must be heard and "determined" by another judge agreed to by the parties. (§
- 18 170.3, subd. (c)(5).) That determination may be based on the challenger's statement and the answer filed by
- 19 the challenged judge, or by evidence presented at a hearing. (§ 170.3, subd. (c)(6).) Thus, when a judge's
- 20 disqualification is contested, the challenging party must establish the facts supporting its claim of bias or
- 21 prejudice to the satisfaction of a neutral judge, who is to determine whether there is "cause" for
- 22 disqualification.
- 23 If a judge refuses to recuse himself or herself, "the question of disqualification shall be heard and
- 24 determined by another judge agreed upon by all the parties who have appeared or, in the event they are
- 25 unable to agree within five days of notification of the judge's answer, by a judge selected by the chairperson
- of the Judicial Council " (§ 170.3, subd. (c)(5).) "The judge deciding the question of disqualification
- 27 may decide the question on the basis of the statement of disqualification and answer and such written
- arguments as the judge requests, or the judge may set the matter for hearing as promptly as practicable. If a
- 29 hearing is ordered, the judge shall permit the parties and the judge alleged to be disqualified to argue the
- question of disqualification and shall for good cause shown hear evidence on any disputed issue of fact." (§
- 31 170.3, subd. (c)(6).) The judge's answer did not address those issues raised in the challenge and fails to
- 32 admit or deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar

- 1 recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation
- 2 of the law and/or must be disqualified.

3 **28.** The Aggregate Prejudicial Effect

- 4 The court's threatened chastising of Plaintiff is bias to Plaintiff and the jury. Moreover, due respect for
- 5 Plaintiff's rights would suggest the court make clear to the jury that the jury should rely on the evidence
- 6 presented and not be swayed by the arguments of the court or counsel. By failing to take control of the
- 7 courtroom, "the trial judge instigated and allowed the trial to be conducted at an emotional pitch which is
- 8 destructive to a fair trial." (<u>People v. Bain</u> (1971) 5 Cal. 3d 839, 849 [97 Cal. Rptr. 684, 489 P.2d 564].)
- 9 The individual instances of misconduct was itself prejudicial, for each contributed to the general
- acrimonious atmosphere that threatened Plaintiff's right to a fair hearing and trial. I reiterate, however, that
- such "offensive personality" as Tigar's is not appropriate from a representative of the state's interests. (
- 12 People v. Kelley, supra, 75 Cal. App. 3d at p. 690.)
- 13 Plaintiff's hearings, as seen, was far from perfect. In the circumstances of this case, the sheer number of
- instances of prejudicial misconduct and other legal errors raises the strong possibility the aggregate
- prejudicial effect of such errors was greater than the sum of the prejudice of each error standing alone. (Cf.
- 16 People v. Roberts (1992) 2 Cal. 4th 271, 326 [6 Cal. Rptr. 2d 276, 826 P.2d 274] [concluding "the whole"
- of the trial errors "did not outweigh the sum of their parts"].)
- 18 Plaintiff claims the cumulative prejudice of Tigars actions requires reversal of this decision. If you have
- considered each claim on the merits, they both singly and cumulatively establish prejudice requiring
- disqualification and the reversal of the decisions. You must believe that these transgression, their
- seriousness and number, and relatively egregious and overwhelming, created such a cumulatively prejudicial
- impact that it was a gross abuse of discretion to have found otherwise in considering the matters
- complained about before this court. You can not escape the fact Plaintiff was forced to suffer constant and
- outrageous misconduct by Tigar. A judge or prosecutor commits misconduct under state law if he or she
- uses "deceptive or reprehensible methods" in an attempt to persuade the jury. (Samayoa, supra, 15 Cal. 4th
- at p. 841; People v. Espinoza, supra, 3 Cal. 4th at p. 820; People v. Strickland (1974) 11 Cal. 3d 946, 955
- ²⁷ [114 Cal. Rptr. 632, 523 P.2d 672].) Tigar's actions and methods were, at times perjurious, deceptive,
- reprehensible, unethical, childish, unprofessional, outrageous and betrayed his trust as a judge.
- You cannot ignore the overall prejudice to Plaintiff's case and his rights to a fair trial caused by Tigar's
- pervasive campaign to deny and destroy Plaintiff's litigation theory and evidence on key legal points, as
- well as his unceasing denigration and threats of contempt to Plaintiff. It is true that, some of Tigar's acts of

- 1 misconduct, Plaintiff objected but Tigar ignored the objections, thereby establishing the prejudice flowing
- 2 from those particular instances of misconduct. Given, however, the onslaught of the misconduct that
- 3 occurred in this case, it became increasingly impossible for Tigar or Plaintiff to remain impartial. "IT HAS
- 4 BEEN TRULY SAID: 'You can't unring a bell.' " (People v. Wein (1958) 50 Cal. 2d 383, 423 [326 P.2d
- 5 457] (dis. opn. of Carter, J.).) Here, the jury heard not just a bell, but a constant clang of erroneous law and
- 6 fact.
- 7 The sheer number of the instances of misconduct, together with the other material errors, is profoundly
- 8 troubling. Considered together, you must conclude they created a negative synergistic effect, rendering the
- 9 degree of overall unfairness to Plaintiff more than that flowing from the sum of the individual prejudice and
- 10 errors. Considering the cumulative impact of Tigar's misconduct together with the errors you will conclude
- 11 Plaintiff was deprived of that which the state was constitutionally required to provide and he was entitled to
- 12 receive: a fair hearing and trial. Plaintiff is thus entitled to the disqualification of Tigar, a reversal of the
- rulings and orders, and a trial free of these defects.

14 **29.** Judicial Immunity Inapplicable

- 15 Plaintiff argues that Tigar's conduct was so serious that absolute judicial immunity principles are therefore
- inapplicable to the events that occurred and he is exposed to liability for a suit for damages as he engaged in
- 17 the misconduct while involved in the exercise of a judicial function. (Falls v. Superior Court (1996) 42 Cal.
- 18 App. 4th 1031, 1036 [49 Cal. Rptr. 2d 908]; Tagliavia v. County of Los Angeles, supra, 112 Cal. App. 3d at
- p. 761.) Moreover, not only was the basis for the initial challenge for conduct that occurred while Tigar was
- in the courtroom but not sitting on the bench, there have been previous cases that involve allegations of
- 21 extremely serious judicial misconduct involving lying under oath; perjury; deception; making false
- 22 allegations against plaintiff; calling plaintiff a liar without providing a shred of proof; labeling plaintiff as
- someone whom "attacks judges" in open court; has been guilty of illegal ex-parte communications;
- 24 malicious misuse of the power to issue subpoenas; the threatened incarceration of plaintiff with contempt
- for speaking the truth; and conspiracies among judicial officers to deny a plaintiff the right to litigate.
- 26 <u>United States v. Stanley</u> (1987) 483 U.S. 669, 680 [107 S. Ct. 3054, 3062, 97 L. Ed. 2d 550] ["...
- 27 no holding can be broader than the facts before the court"]
- Title 18 United States Code section 242 provides: "Whoever, under color of any law, statute, ordinance,
- regulation, or custom, willfully subjects any person in any State, Territory, Commonwealth, Possession, or
- District to the deprivation of any rights, privileges, or immunities secured or protected by the Constitution
- or laws of the United States, or to different punishments, pains, or penalties, on account of such person
- being an alien, or by reason of his color, or race, than are prescribed for the punishment of citizens, shall be Plaintiff's Fourth Challenge of Judge Tigar Page 76

- 1 fined under this title or imprisoned not more than one year, or both; and if bodily injury results from the
- 2 acts committed in violation of this section or if such acts include the use, attempted use, or threatened use of
- a dangerous weapon, explosives, or fire, shall be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than ten
- 4 years, or both; and if death results from the acts committed in violation of this section or if such acts include
- 5 kidnapping or an attempt to kidnap, aggravated sexual abuse, or an attempt to commit aggravated sexual
- 6 abuse, or an attempt to kill, shall be fined under this title, or imprisoned for any term of years or for life, or
- 7 both, or may be sentenced to death."
- 8 Plaintiff argues that immunity from an action for damages is unavailable because defendant was not acting
- 9 in a judicial capacity when speaking in the courtroom. The most recent California case to synthesize federal
- authority in terms of the scope of the absolute judicial immunity from a suit for damages was authored by
- Associate Justice Walter Croskey, in Howard v. Drapkin, supra, 222 Cal. App. 3d at page 851, footnote 3
- where he wrote: "Immunity exists for "judicial" actions; those relating to a function normally performed
- by a judge and where the parties understood they were dealing with the judge in his official capacity.
- 14 [Citations.]' (Olney v. Sacramento County Bar Assn. (1989) 212 Cal. App. 3d 807, 811) Thus, the
- line is drawn 'between truly judicial acts, for which immunity is appropriate, and acts that simply happen to
- have been done by judges. Here, as in other contexts, immunity is justified and defined by the functions it
- protects and serves, not by the person to whom it attaches.' (Forrester v. White (1988) 484 U.S. 219, 227.
- 18 ...) Acts and decisions which are not judicial or adjudicative, i.e., acts and decisions performed and made by
- 19 a judge which are administrative or legislative, 'even though they may be essential to the very functioning of
- the courts, have not . . . been regarded as judicial acts.' (Id. at p. 228)" In Taliaferro v. County of
- Contra Costa, supra, 182 Cal. App. 2d at pages 592-593, the Court of Appeal described the scope of the
- absolute judicial immunity from a damage suit as follows: "As Justice White pointed out in Frazier v.
- Moffatt [(1951)] 108 Cal. App. 2d 379, ... 386 . . .: '... the test of immunity from a civil suit for damages
- on the part of a judicial officer is not whether he committed an error of judgment in acting as he did, but the
- question of judicial immunity must be determined on the basis of whether the act in question was within the
- general scope of the officer's judicial powers and whether he acted in an honest belief that he was legally
- warranted in doing it.' "
- ²⁸ '[Absolute immunity] does not apply to or include any publication of defamatory matter before the
- commencement, or after the termination of the judicial proceeding (unless such publication is an act
- incidental to the proper initiation thereof, or giving legal effect thereto); nor does it apply to or include any
- publication of defamatory matter to any person other than those to who, or in any place other than that in

- which, such publication is required or authorized by law to be made for the proper conduct of the judicial
- 2 proceedings.' Buckley, 509 U.S. at 277 n. 8 . . . (citing Veeder, Absolute Immunity in Defamation: Judicial
- 3 Proceedings, 9 Colum.L.Rev. 463, 489 (1909)(footnotes omitted)). See also, New Alaska Development
- 4 Corporation v. Guetschow, 869 F.2d 1298 (9th Cir.1989) (holding that while a receiver appointed by the
- 5 court to manage an estate was entitled to judicial immunity from suit claiming mismanagement, receiver was
- 6 not absolutely immune from allegations that he stole assets or slandered the plaintiff). [P] In <u>Harris v.</u>
- Harvey, the Fifth Circuit ruled that a judge was not immune from liability stemming from allegedly
- 8 slanderous statements made to the news media accusing the plaintiff of criminal conduct. 605 F.2d 330 (6th
- 9 Cir. 1979).
- 10 **30**. In OPPOSITION to the selection of the Honorable Judge Jon Tigar, I now state and allege that:
- 11 A . Judge Tigar's Verified Answer Does Not Address The Allegations Contained In Plaintiff's Statement
- 12 Avoiding Facts Material or Relevant To The Disqualification
- Because Tigar was aware of al-Hakim's challenge, he was required to address the charges contained in the
- challenge in order to prove that al-Hakim's allegations was false, otherwise Tigar is guilty of contempt and
- evasion. Tigar had no such responses in his answer. A charge of judicial misconduct herein the answer by
- the judge is unsupported by facts, constitutes contempt and is a groundless attack upon the integrity al-
- Hakim, a slap in the face of all judicial officers, and is on its face contemptuous. (See <u>Lamberson v.</u>
- Superior Court, supra, 151 Cal. at pp. 463-464.) Tigar is required to do more than simply ignore the
- charges of judicial misconduct, coupled with the fact he does not answer the questions posed in the
- challenge, his response is unsupported by fact and is false, and falls within contempt and demonstrates an
- attitude of bias toward Plaintiff.
- It is clear that Tigar's answer and allegation toward al-Hakim are false, it can be held that an order of
- contempt is sufficient with respect to his answer and allegation since the answer does not set forth facts
- necessary to uphold the answer and is contemptuous, but rather the answer incorporates statements that
- require further answers in contempt for al-Hakim's right to due process.
- Tigar's answer should have been stricken as facially inadequate. Tigar fails to admit or deny Plaintiff's
- allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the
- interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the law and/or
- must be disqualified.
- B. Judge Tigar Is Tainted With Inadmissible Evidence From His Challenge and Is Disqualified
- California law requires that a judge be honest, unbiased and competent. Plaintiff has presented evidence that

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- 1 Tigar is not honest, unbiased, nor therefore competent and does not meet any of these requirements.
- 2 Additionally, he is tainted, lacks disinterestedness, is biased and prejudiced as Plaintiff has informed Judge
- 3 Tigar of the many transgressions of the respective judges in this case, the defendants, and defense counsels
- 4 in his Statement of Disqualification and as a matter of law can Tigar not be impartial due to this Challenge,
- 5 his dismally evasive Answer and non response to Plaintiff's Reply in this matter.
- 6 Plaintiff's direct charges to Judge Tigar exposed, corrupted and impregnated him by the interjecting and
- 7 introduction of illegal, inadmissible, irrelevant and prejudicial evidence at the April 30, 2007 hearing, the
- 8 Challenge, the Reply and since his order on the peremptory challenge that will improperly influence Tigar
- 9 and he can not expect to be unblemished, to serve as a disinterested third party, fair, impartial and without
- 10 bias after this exposure. Again, defendants, knowing that Tigar will retaliate against Plaintiff, want to retain
- 11 Tigar in their continuing effort to curry the courts favor, to seek and establish an illegal, unfair advantage,
- thus further establishing this need for Tigar to recuse from this trial.
- 13 It is beyond dispute that Tigar has personal knowledge of evidentiary facts crucial to this case and must be
- 14 disqualified. (Code of Civil Procedure Section 170.1(a)(1) [mandatory disqualification of judge who has
- personal knowledge of evidentiary facts]; <u>Catchpole v. Brannon</u> (1995) 36 Cal.App.4th 237, 249-253
- 16 [advocacy for a party is judicial misconduct]
- 17 These conflicts are a direct pecuniary interest and clear evidence which casts considerable doubt on Tigar's
- ability to act impartially and that he can never be allowed to be considered as the judge now. Plaintiffs'
- 19 uncontradicted evidence on this point is more than ample to satisfy the "impression of possible bias" test. (
- 20 <u>Betz v. Pankow</u> (1993) 16 Cal. App. 4th 919, 924 [20 Cal. Rptr. 2d 834] and decisions cited.)
- 21 Knowing this makes it very difficult for any objective person to contemplate how Judge Tigar can serve in
- 22 this matter and smacks of collusion and corruption! As a matter of law, if Tigar does not recuse himself,
- 23 Plaintiff is therefore entitled to an order disqualifying Tigar from acting as the judge in this matter rather
- 24 than proceeding to trial in a matter that would surely be appealed and be vacated. Tigar fails to admit or
- deny Plaintiff's allegations as required by § 170.3, subd. (c)(3). Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse
- 26 himself in the interest of justice as per Code of Civil Procedure §170.1(a)(6)(A), and (B) in violation of the
- 27 law and/or must be disqualified.
- 28 C. Judge Tigar Must Recuse Himself In The Interest Of Justice or Plaintiff Is Entitled To An Order To
- 29 <u>Disqualify</u>
- California, like the federal courts have recognized that misconduct, bias or prejudice on the part of a judge,
- may deprive one of due process by depriving him of the right to a fair and impartial trial. (See, e.g., United

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States v. Navarro-Flores (9th Cir. 1980) 628 F.2d 1178, 1182; Corbett v. Bordenkircher (6th Cir. 1980)
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     615 F.2d 722, 723.)
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     The objective test is whether a reasonable member of the public at large, aware of all the facts that plaintiff
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     has brought before the court in the motion to disqualify, would fairly entertain doubts as to the judge's
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     impartiality (Briggs v. Superior Court (2001) 87 Cal. App. 4th 312, 318-319, 104 Cal. Rptr. 2d 445; Ng v.
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     Superior Court (1997) 52 Cal. App. 4th 1010, 1024, 61 Cal. Rptr. 2d 49]. Code Civ. Proc. §170. 1 (a) (6)
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     is broader than the former Code Civ. Proc. § 170(a)(5) which provided for disqualification when it
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     appeared probable that, by reason of bias or prejudice on the part of the judge, a fair and impartial trial
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     could not be had before that judge [see Ensher, Alexander & Barsoom v. Ensher (1964) 225 Cal. App. 2d
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     318,322-323, 37 Cal. Rptr. 327].
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     In consideration of the gravity of the issues leveled here of possible cronyism, collusion, inappropriate ex
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     parte communications, friendship and favoritism displayed towards certain parties, and considering
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     specifically, Code of Civil Procedure section 170 provides in pertinent part: "(a) No justice or judge shall sit
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     or act as such in any action or proceeding: [para.] . . . [para.] (5) When it is made to appear probable that,
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     by reason of bias or prejudice of such justice or judge a fair and impartial trial cannot be had before that
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     justice or judge." Plaintiff request that Judge Tigar recuse himself in the interest of justice as per Code of
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1	<u>CONCLUSION</u>					
2	JUDGE TIGAR SHOULD DISQUALIFY HIMSELF					
3	When the herein named judge fails to disqualify himself after service of this motion and after he has					
4	repeatedly lied, failed and refused to respond to the allegations contained in the challenge for cause, acted					
5	with misconduct; conduct prejudicial; racism; bias; prejudice; bad faith; suggested denial of due process;					
6	suggested obstruction of justice; preference, and favoritism displayed towards certain parties; disdain					
7	exhibited toward a party by said judge and as such; impress on those their fixed opinion and a judicial					
8	imprimatur of the defense's position; again expressing his fixed opinion and establishing a blatant hostility					
9	and willful misconduct are grounds for removal. [re Kreling v. Superior Court (1944) 25 Cal. 2d 305, 312-					
0	313, 153 P.2d 734, <i>Keating v. Superior Court</i> (1955) 45 Cal. 2d 440, 444, 289 P.2d 209; <i>Briggs v.</i>					
1	Superior Court (1932) 215 Cal. 336, 343, 10 P.2d 1103, Evans v. Superior Court (1930) 107 Cal. App.					
12	372, 382-383, 290 P. 662]					
13	Plaintiff has appropriately presented this motion pursuant to applicable legal authorities and for the					
4	reasons set out above, accordingly, plaintiff is requesting that Judge Jon Tigar recuse himself from this					
15	proceeding.					
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17	Respectfully submitted this 11th day of February 2008.					
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9	ABDUL-JALIL al-HAKIM					
20	Plaintiff in Pro Per					
21	VERIFICATION					
22	I, Abdul-Jalil al-Hakim, am the plaintiff in the above-entitled action. I have read the foregoing written					
23	statement for the disqualification for cause of the Honorable Judge Jon Tigar as judge and know the contents thereof. The same is true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters which are therein stated					
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25	on information and belief, and as to those matters, I believe it to be true. I declare under the penalty of					
26	perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.					
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28 29	Executed this 11th day of February, 2008, at Oakland, California.					
30	ABDUL-JALIL al-HAKIM					
31	Plaintiff in Pro Per					