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IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS Calendar, 23
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, DOMESTIC RELATIONS DIVISION 15586062

| IN RE THE FORMER MARRIAGE OF: |) | |
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| PETER MATT, |) | No. 2016 D 9534 |
| Petitioner, and |) | Cal. 23 |
| MEGAN MATT, Respondent. |) | |

MOTION TO WITHDRAW

NOW COMES THE I attorneys at law, licensed to practice before this Court, pursuant to Illinois Supreme Court Rule 13 and the relevant Illinois Code of Professional Responsibility, and presents this *Motion to Withdraw* as attorney for the Respondent, MEGAN MATT n/k/a MEGAN MASON (hereinafter "MEGAN"), in this cause, and as reasons for the same states as follows:

- 1. are presently the attorneys of record for the Respondent, MEGAN MATT n/k/a MEGAN MASON.
- 2. Pursuant to Rule 1.16 of the Illinois Code of Professional Responsibility, an attorney may withdraw from a representation of a client under various circumstances, which are present here, but for professional reasons,

 cannot elaborate on those circumstances.
- 3. Irreconcilable philosophical differences have arisen between and the Respondent. It would be impracticable and not in the best interests of the Respondent to continue with this attorney-client relationship.
 - 4. Illinois Supreme Court Rule 13 provides:

[&]quot;An attorney may not withdraw his appearance for a party without leave of and notice to all parties of record, and, unless, another attorney is substituted, he must give reasonable notice of the time and place of presentation of the motion for leave to withdraw, by personal service, or by certified mail at

his last known business or residence address. Such notice shall advise said party that to ensure notice of any action in said cause, he should retain other counsel therein or file with the clerk of the court, within 21 days of the entry of the order to withdraw, his supplementary appearance stating therein an address at which service of notices or other papers may be had upon him."

| 5. | Proper | notice | has | been | sent | to : | all | parties | notifying | them | that | this | Motion | to | Withdraw |
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| would be prese | ented on | this da | te. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

| 6. | | | | | | has | given | its | client |
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- 7. has complied with Supreme Court Rule 13 and the relevant rules of the Illinois Code of Professional Responsibility.
- 8. This *Motion to Withdraw* is not interposed for purposes of delay or harassment, and it is not inequitable on any party to this action.

WHEREFORE, the undersigned attorney prays that this Honorable Court grant an order of court allowing leave to withdraw as attorneys of record for the Respondent,

Respectfully submitted,