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**IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
COUNTY DEPARTMENT, DOMESTIC RELATIONS DIVISION**

IN RE THE FORMER MARRIAGE OF:)
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PETER MATT,)
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 Petitioner,)
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 and)
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MEGAN MATT,)
 n/k/a MEGAN MASON,)
)
 Respondent.)

Case No. 2016 D 009534

Affidavit by Megan Mason Regarding November 7, 2022 Court Appearance

I, Megan Mason, respondent pro se in case 2016 D 9534, which was closed on September 25, 2017 when I divorced petitioner Peter Matt by mutual agreement. On this date this court approved of a marital settlement agreement and parenting plan both parties freely and mutually entered into. As of this writing there are no actions pending to modify the parenting plan and no actions pendang to modify the divorce. Nevertheless I have been ordered by Judge Robert Johnson to attend a court appearance on November 7, 2022 described as an “in-person evidentiary hearing” for a previously entered motion by petitioner Peter Matt requesting a Section 215 Examination.

Judge Johnson ruled on Mr. Matt’s Motion for a Section 215 Exam on October 7, 2022 at an ex parte meeting which did not include me or anyone representing my beneficial interest. Mr. Matt’s motion for a Section 215 Exam was granted and on this same date I was ordered to submit to an examination coordinated by Ms. Monica Allen, Court Services Manager at The Administrative Office of The Illinois Clerks.

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I complied with Judge Johnson's order and emailed Ms. Allen on October 18, 2022 to schedule this assessment. However, Ms. Allen called me on October 19, 2022 to inform me that Judge Johnson had no legal standing to order a Section 215 Examination. Ms. Allen explained that a Section 215 exam is appropriate when there is a legal matter before a court where a party's mental or physical well being has been called into question by other medical evidence. Ms. Allen stated that she could not conceive of a basis for an exam here and that it would be literally impossible for her to schedule the exam because of its inherent illegality under Illinois law.

Ms. Allen stated during this first call that she intended to call Judge Johnson. Ms Allen called me again within the hour and told me she had spoken to Judge Johnson. Ms. Allen stated to me that Judge Johnson agreed with her that the order could not be enforced and agreed to vacate it. As of this writing Judge Johnson has to my knowledge not vacated the order.

Having received an order to attend a court appearance on November 7, 2022 it is my intent to comply with the law and attend to represent my legal interest in this matter. However, under no means will I testify in a hearing unless there is a foundation and legal basis for me to do so. As of this writing, there is simply no basis for me to testify and I will not. Petitioner's Motion for a Section 215 Examination was submitted with no facts or evidence and so I am unable to testify regarding any facts or evidence. As of this writing I have not been presented with a pending motion - the previous request for a Section 215 having been granted on October 7, 2022- nor have I been presented with any evidence that would indicate I have any testimony to provide on this matter.

In addition to the specific facts that make this court appearance unsupported by law, and any request for me to testify unsupported by law, this and all other actions in the court is tainted until Judge Johnson disqualifies himself. Judge Johnson continues to violate all judicial norms and

standards of decency in our courts by refusing to disqualify himself from case 2016 D 9534. As of this writing, Judge Johnson has been named by me as a target in two ongoing federal whistleblower investigations related to his prior acts of corruption and conspiracy to hide money laundering and tax evasion. As of this writing Robert Johnson is being sued personally in federal case 1:22-CV-2315 in which case he is a defendant and I am plaintiff. Attorney Erin Walsh filed an appearance on behalf of Robert Johnson in this case on July 8, 2022 and she continues to act as his attorney in this case in which I am plaintiff and Mr. Johnson is a defendant.

Robert Johnson's stubborn refusal to disqualify himself from a case where he so obviously has a conflict of interest is a shameful taint on the court. I again ask him to cease.

I do not believe there is a legal basis for me to appear on November 7, 2022 but I must of course comply with a court order and will do so. There is no foundation for me to act as a witness and I will not testify.

Respectfully Submitted,

/S/ Megan Mason

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