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5 IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
6 OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, IN AND FOR CARSON CITY

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8 JED MARGOLIN, an individual,
9 Plaintiff,

10 vs.

Case No. 09 OC 00579 1B

Dept. No. I

11 OPTIMA TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION, a
12 California corporation, OPTIMA
13 TECHNOLOGY CORPORATION, a Nevada
14 corporation, REZA ZANDIAN aka
15 GOLAMREZA ZANDIANJAZI aka GHOLAM
16 REZA ZANDIAN aka REZA JAZI aka J. REZA
17 JAZI aka G. REZA JAZI aka GHONONREZA
18 ZANDIAN JAZI, an individual, DOE Companies
19 1-10, DOE Corporations 11-20, and DOE
20 Individuals 21-30,

Defendants.

21 **DECISION OF ARBITRATION COMMISSIONER REMOVING MATTER**
22 **FROM MANDATORY ARBITRATION**

23 Plaintiff filed a Second Supplemental Request for Exemption from Arbitration based on
24 the assertion that the amount in controversy exceeds \$50,000. No opposition to the exemption
25 request was filed.

26 The Nevada Arbitration Rules set forth by the Supreme Court of the State of Nevada and
27 the rules of the First Judicial District Court provide a maximum recovery in arbitration of
28 \$50,000. In this case, it appears that a probable jury award in favor of plaintiff would exceed
\$50,000 exclusive of interest and costs and regardless of comparative liability.

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1 It is therefore the decision of the Arbitration Commissioner that there is good
2 cause to remove this matter from mandatory arbitration. Furthermore, both parties shall
3 share any costs incurred in this matter by the appointed arbitrator.

4 DATED this 21st day of May, 2012.

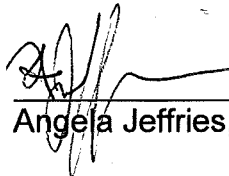
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8 ARBITRATION COMMISSIONER
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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

2 Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of the Office of the First Judicial
3 District Court Arbitration Commissioner and that on this 21st day of May, 2012, I caused to be
4 served by depositing for mailing in the U.S. Mail a true and correct copy of the foregoing
5 **DECISION OF ARBITRATION COMMISSIONER REMOVING MATTER FROM MANDATORY**
6 **ARBITRATION** postage prepaid and addressed to:

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