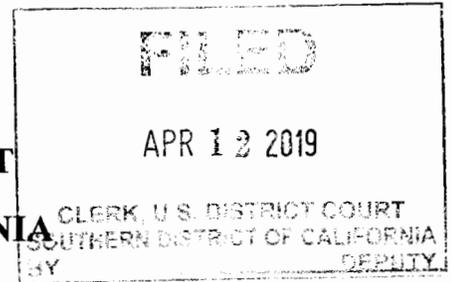


UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA



In the matter of)
)
GENERAL CONSENT TO)
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE)
JUDGE IN SOCIAL SECURITY)
CASES)
_____)

General Order No. 707

All cases in which a plaintiff seeks review, pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 405(g), of a decision by the Commissioner of Social Security, will be randomly assigned to a United States Magistrate Judge, and District Judges who have elected to accept such cases, provided, however, that the Chief Judge may direct the reassignment of cases as necessary to assure a more equitable distribution of the Court's caseload.

I. The United States has informed the Court of its general consent to Magistrate Judge jurisdiction in cases of this nature, subject to a reservation of the right to withdraw the consent in unusual cases, and a reservation of the right to withdraw its general consent in the future. Upon the filing of all such cases, the Clerk of Court will direct a Notice of Social Security Case Assignment to all parties that:

- a. Identifies the Magistrate Judge to whom the case is assigned;
- b. Confirms that any withdrawal of consent by the United States must be filed no later than the date the United States files the administrative record;
- c. Notifies plaintiff and plaintiff's counsel of plaintiff's right to consent to Magistrate Judge jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c);
- d. Provides a *consent/declination* form for plaintiff to complete and advises plaintiff that the executed form must be received by the Clerk of Court within 21 days of the date of the notice; and

- e. Advises the parties as to the Court's procedure as set forth below in the absence of plaintiff's consent.

II. If a plaintiff timely consents, and if the United States does not timely withdraw consent, the case will be deemed assigned to the Magistrate Judge for all purposes without the necessity of an order of referral. If a plaintiff does not timely consent, or if the United States timely withdraws its consent, the Clerk of Court will reassign the case to a United States District Judge. Reassigned cases will be referred, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(B), without further order, to the same Magistrate Judge who was initially drawn to conduct preliminary proceedings, including all pretrial, non-dispositive matters, and to issue a Report and Recommendation to the assigned District Judge, unless the District Judge directs otherwise.

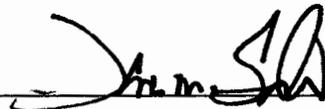
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IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: 04/12/2019



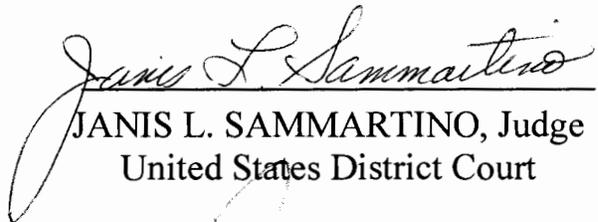
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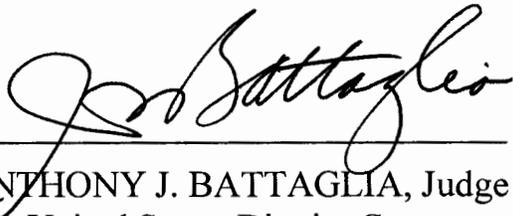
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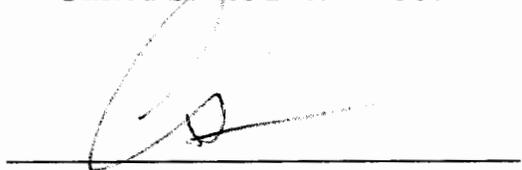
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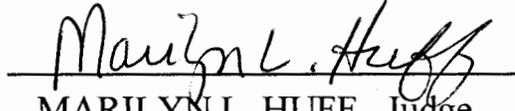
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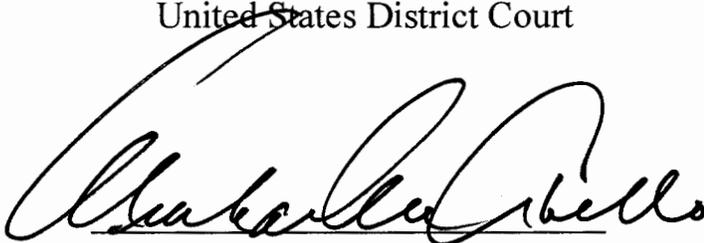
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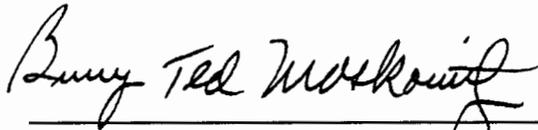
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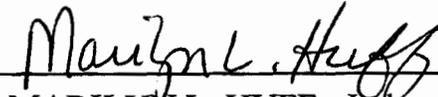
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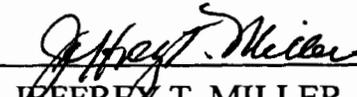


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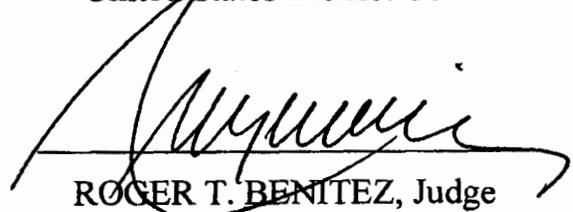
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San Diego, CA 92101

Re: Consent to Magistrate Judge Jurisdiction in Social Security 405(g) appeals

Dear Judge Burns,

I write to confirm that the United States intends, going forward, to consent to Magistrate Judge jurisdiction pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c) in 42 U.S.C. § 405(g) social security disability appeals filed in this District. The United States reserves the right to withhold consent in particular cases, or to withdraw this consent in its entirety in the future. Please do not hesitate to contact me to discuss this further.

Sincerely,


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United States Attorney