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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA
RENO, NEVADA

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RICHARD W. LEWIS, PhD.,)
vs.)
LINDA DUFF and TYRONE DUFF.)

CV-N-99-0386-ECR (RAM))
DEPUTY)
MINUTES OF THE COURT)
DATE: MAY 1, 2003)

PRESENT: EDWARD C. REED, JR. U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE

Deputy Clerk: JERRY RIES Reporter: NONE APPEARING

Counsel for Plaintiff(s) NONE APPEARING

Counsel for Defendant(s) NONE APPEARING

MINUTE ORDER IN CHAMBERS

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the motion to strike (#280), filed by plaintiff on April 4, 2003, is **GRANTED**. The motion of Defendants Duffs to dismiss (#279) is stricken. The defendants' motion is not timely. The time period for filing such motions has long since passed and the defendants offer no reason why such motion should be considered at this late stage in the proceedings.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the settlement of the pretrial order is referred to the Magistrate Judge pursuant to motion by plaintiff, filed on April 4, 2003 (#281).

The Defendants Duffs are cautioned that if they do not participate in the further proceedings, a default judgment may be entered against them. The Court suggests that they do reconsider their decision not to participate further in the case.

LANCE S. WILSON, CLERK

By Jerry Ries
Deputy Clerk

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