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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS EL PASO DIVISION

# IN THE MATTER OF § ENTRIES OF APPEARANCE § AND SUBSTITUTIONS OF COUNSEL §

ALL CASES

# STANDING ORDER REGARDING ENTRIES OF APPEARANCE AND SUBSTITUTIONS OF COUNSEL

In addition to complying with all applicable provisions of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, and the Local Rules, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that counsel shall file an Entry of Appearance and any Substitution as follows:

A. CIVIL

Counsel shall file an Entry of Appearance in all civil cases, except that counsel who files a complaint, answer, motion to dismiss, or notice of removal shall not be required to file a separate Entry of Appearance and will automatically be entered as counsel of record.

#### B. CRIMINAL

Counsel shall file an Entry of Appearance in all criminal cases unless counsel has been appointed as counsel of record (CJA).

Counsel seeking to substitute as counsel of record shall file a motion specifying the reasons for substitution and shall include the following three signatures: the defendant, outgoing counsel, and incoming counsel.

## IT IS SO ORDERED.

SIGNED ON THIS

DAY OF 1,2017.

FRANK MONTALVO United States District Judge

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United States District Judge

KATHLEEN CARDONE United States District Judge

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DAVID BRIONES Senior United States District Judge