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DISTRICT COURT  
SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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In the Matter of the Contest of General  
Election held on November 4, 2008  
for the purpose of electing a United States  
Senator from the State of Minnesota,

No. 62-CV-09-56

**STIPULATED ORDER OF  
DISMISSAL OF CONTESTANTS'  
CLAIMS REGARDING  
MAPLEWOOD PRECINCT 6 AND  
ST. PAUL WARD 3, PRECINCT 9**

Cullen Sheehan and Norm Coleman,

Contestants,

v.

Al Franken,

Contestee.

THIS MATTER came on regularly before the Court on the filing of the proposed Stipulated Order of Dismissal of Contestants' Claims Regarding Maplewood Precinct 6 and St. Paul Ward 3, Precinct 9.

Contestants have concluded that, with respect to the election held on November 4, 2008, there was no break in the proper chain of custody in Maplewood Precinct 6 and therefore wish to withdraw the claim set forth at Paragraph 12(b) of Contestants' Notice of Contest and identified in the first paragraph of Exhibit E, under "Maplewood Precinct 6" ("Maplewood Precinct 6 Claim"). Contestee has no objection to Contestants' request to withdraw this claim.

Contestants likewise wish to withdraw their claims relating to St. Paul Ward 3, Precinct 9 and therefore wish to withdraw the claim set forth at Paragraph 12(b) of Contestants' Notice of

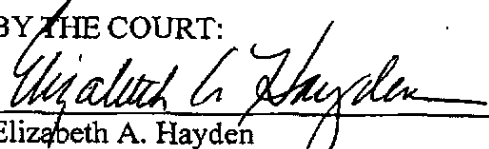
Contest and identified in the second paragraph of Exhibit E, under "St. Paul Ward 3, Precinct 9" ("St. Paul Ward 3, Precinct 9 Claim"). Contestee has no objection to Contestants' request to withdraw this clam.

The Court being fully advised concludes that it is appropriate to dismiss Contestants' Maplewood Precinct 6 Claim and St. Paul Ward 3, Precinct 9 Claim.

Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED that Contestants' Maplewood Precinct 6 Claim and St. Paul Ward 3, Precinct 9 Claim be, and hereby are, DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE. Costs, if any, will be addressed at a later date.

Dated: January 30, 2009.

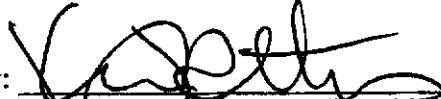
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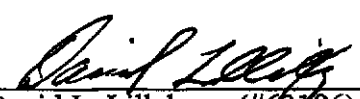
  
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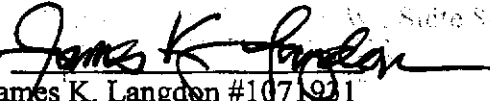
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