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VIA E-FILE AND E-SERVE

July 26, 2017

The Honorable Kevin W. Eide
Judge of the District Court
Carver County Justice Center
604 East 4th Street
Chaska, MN 55318

Re: In re the Estate of Prince Rogers Nelson
Court File No. 10-PR-16-46

Dear Judge Eide:

We write on behalf of Holland & Knight LLP (“H&K”) to seek reconsideration of the Court’s July 24, 2017 “Findings of Fact, Conclusions of Law & Order Regarding Holland & Knight Documents Filed Under Seal” (the “July 24, 2017 Order”).

As the Court is aware, H&K previously represented Tyka Nelson in these proceedings. A substitution of counsel for Ms. Nelson was filed on January 3, 2017. Following the filing of the substitution of counsel, H&K was no longer a counsel of record for any party to the action and therefore removed itself from the e-filing system (for unknown technical reasons, this took several attempts to effectuate and for some period after its substitution, H&K continued to sporadically receive documents from the e-file system in error).

We understand based on our review of the July 24, 2017 Order that on April 11, 2017, the Court issued an order denying H&K’s request to file certain documents related to its Fee Motion under seal and requiring unredacted versions of certain other documents to be filed with the Court (the “April 11, 2017 Order”). However, the Notice of Filing of Order does not reflect that H&K was served with a copy of the April 11, 2017 Order by e-serve, mail or otherwise. A true and correct copy of the Notice of Filing of Order obtained from the Court is enclosed with this letter. We have also reviewed our files and H&K has no record of ever receiving the Court’s April 11, 2017 Order. Similarly, we were not served with the Court’s July 24, 2017 Order; it was forwarded to us yesterday. As a result, H&K had no notice that the Court was requiring additional information from H&K. Had H&K received the April 11, 2017 Order, H&K would have complied immediately.

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In addition, H&K had no reason to think the Court would require additional information from H&K as the Court had already resolved both Fee Motions, issuing Orders on the First Fee Motion on March 21, 2017 and the Second Fee Motion on April 5, 2017. Neither Order made any mention of potential additional requirements for the public court file. H&K therefore considered its involvement in the proceedings concluded with the Court's order on April 5.

Because H&K never received a copy of the April 11, 2017 Order and therefore was unaware of and unable to comply with its terms, we respectfully request that the Court reconsider its July 24, 2017 Order and the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, including the imposition of sanctions against H&K.

H&K will comply with the terms of the Court's July 24, 2017 Order by filing redacted versions of documents 924, 925, 1374, 1375 and 1469 consistent with the Court's findings no later than August 18, 2017.

Respectfully Submitted,

HOLLAND & KNIGHT LLP

/s/ Vivian L. Thoreen

Vivian L. Thoreen

Enclosure

cc: Robert Barton

State of Minnesota
Carver County

District Court
First Judicial District

Court File Number: **10-PR-16-46**

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For documents filed 10-10-16 to 2-1-17, see file number 10-PR-16-46B

For document filed on 2-2-17 and later, see file number 10-PR-16-46

You are notified that the following Order(s) was/were filed on this date:

- Second Amended Order For Submissions On Jeffers Petitions
- Order Denying Motion For Filing Documents Under Seal
- Order Granting Personal Representative's Motion To Dismiss

Dated: **April 11, 2017**

Kristen Trebil-Halbersma
Court Administrator
Carver County District Court
604 East Fourth Street
Chaska, MN 55318
952-361-1420

cc: See page 2.

A true and correct copy of this notice has been transmitted pursuant to Minnesota Rules of Civil Procedure, Rule 77.04.

All public orders may be accessed at:

<http://www.mncourts.gov/InReTheEstateofPrinceRogersNelson.aspx>

Confidential or sealed orders are enclosed for the appropriate party(ies).

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