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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF BERNALILLO SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

IN THE MATTER OF ELIZABETH WILLIAMS NAYLOR, Deceased.

No. D-202-PB-2011-00653

ORDER GRANTING ELIZABETH ANN NAYLOR OWENS' SECOND MOTION TO CONTINUE HEARING

This matter is before the Court upon Elizabeth Ann Naylor Owens (a/k/a Jan Black Owens) second "Expedited Motion to Continue Hearing Set for September 16, 2025," which was apparently filed on September 14 or 15, 2025 (the "Motion"). (The Court has not received an endorsed copy of the Motion.)

Being fully advised in this matter, and having read the Motion, the Court finds that the Motion should be granted and that the hearing set for September 16, 2025 on the May 1, 2025 Petition for Court Approval of Withdrawal of Counsel and Substitution of Counsel, filed by F. Vaughn Thomas (the "Petition to Withdraw"), should be vacated and reset.

The primary reason that Elizabeth Ann Naylor Owens seeks to again have the hearing vacated is to secure legal counsel. The Petition to Withdraw was filed on May 1, 2025, and Elizabeth Ann Naylor Owens filed an objection on May 6, 2025 – over four months ago. Elizabeth Ann Naylor Owens has had more than sufficient time to engage legal counsel and to prepare for a hearing on the Petition to Withdraw. Thus, the hearing on the Petition to Withdraw will not be vacated again at the request of Elizabeth Ann Naylor Owens absent agreement of the parties or truly extraordinary circumstances.

It is therefore ORDERED as follows:

1. The September 16, 2025 hearing on the Petition to Withdraw is hereby **VACATED**.

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2. This matter shall come before the Court for a hearing on the Petition to Withdraw, the objection, and the reply on November 18, 2025 at 11:00 a.m. with 45 minutes allotted. The hearing will be remote only, and all lawyers and parties must appear by Zoom at the following link:

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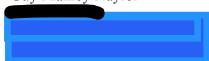
3. The hearing will not be reset at the request of Elizabeth Ann Naylor Owens absent agreement of all affected parties or truly extraordinary circumstances.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Joshua A. Allison
District Court Judge

This certifies that a true and correct copy of this Order was served upon counsel through Odyssey and upon others as follows:

Guy Makley Naylor



Dale W. Gunn, M.D.



Elizabeth Ann Naylor Owens

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