

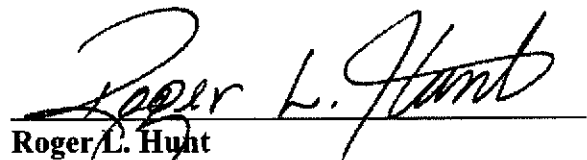
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

In re:)
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INMATE EARLY MEDIATION)
MEDIATION PROGRAM) GENERAL ORDER NO. 2010-03
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This Court conducted a pilot program for early mediation of Section 1983 cases filed by pro se inmates ("Inmate Early Mediation Program") pending in the unofficial northern division of the District of Nevada, beginning January 1, 2009. The Court appointed a panel of attorneys who volunteered to serve on a pro bono basis as mediators. Having reviewed the early mediation program and having appointed a panel of attorney-mediators, the Court finds the program has merit and is worthy of implementation as a permanent program in both the unofficial northern and southern divisions of the District of Nevada.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the inmate early mediation program is approved as a permanent program in both the unofficial northern and southern divisions of the District of Nevada.

Dated this 27th day of September, 2010.



Roger L. Hunt
Chief United States District Judge