UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

IN RE:

ADOPTING AMENDMENT TO LOCAL GENERAL RULE 4	) GENERAL ORDER NO. 10-06

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2071 and to Rule 83 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure it is hereby ORDERED that the following Local General Rule is amended as set forth in the attachment to this Order:

General Rule 4 - Photography, Televising, Broadcasting.

This amendment shall take effect immediately.

Dated this 18th day of November, 2010.

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ROBERT S. LASNIK
CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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PHOTOGRAPHY, TELEVISING, BROADCASTING

The taking of photographs or the electronic recording of proceedings in the courtroom or its environs in connection with any judicial proceeding, and the broadcasting of judicial proceedings by radio, television or other means is prohibited, except as authorized by the Judicial Conference of the United States or the Judicial Council of the Ninth Circuit.

As used herein, "judicial proceeding" means: (1) any trial, naturalization proceeding or ceremonial occasion in any United States District Court; (2) any proceeding before any bankruptcy judge or United States magistrate judge; (3) sessions of the grand jury; (4) any person participating in a judicial proceeding, including petit and grand jurors. "Courtroom" of a United States District Court means the foyer, witness room, and all space behind the double doors containing the courtroom number and the name of the judge. "Courtroom" of a United States magistrate judge means any place where a judicial proceeding is conducted.

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With the consent of the presiding judge or under such conditions as the presiding judge may prescribe, some variations of this rule may be allowed for ceremonial occasions.