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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Defendant.

Plaintiff,

Criminal No. 08-371 (JR) v.

UNDER SEAL

FILED STEWART NOZETTE

NANCY MAYER WHITTINGTON, CLERK U.S. DISTRICT COURT

ORDER

The Court has considered the motion filed by Preston Burton and Christopher M. O'Connell of Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP to withdraw as counsel of record for Defendant Dr. Stewart Nozette in the above-captioned action. The Court has also considered that this motion is unopposed by the government and Dr. Nozette, and that Dr. Nozette has secured other representation in this matter.

Upon consideration of the foregoing, and for good cause shown, it is hereby ORDERED that the Unopposed Motion of Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe, LLP, to Withdraw as Counsel for Defendant is GRANTED, and Preston Burton and Christopher M. O'Connell of the law firm Orrick, Herrington & Sutcliffe LLP are hereby allowed to withdraw as counsel for Dr. Nozette.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: April 4, 2009.

James Robertson

United States District Judge

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