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Sandra Kurt, Summit County Clerk of Courts

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STATE OF OHIO)	
COUNTY OF LUCAS) ss:	AFFIDAVIT OF GARY MONTO
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NOW COMES AFFIANT, Gary Monto, having first been sworn upon his oath, and states for his Affidavit as follows:

- 1. I am over 18 years of age, of sound mind, and otherwise competent to testify.
- 2. I served as a Patrolman for the Toledo Police Department for twenty years, retiring in 1986.
- 3. As part of my training for the Toledo Police Department I attended the Toledo Police Academy, where I received instruction in the investigation and documentation of motor vehicle collisions, including obtaining witness statements, diagramming crash scenes, and analyzing and applying Ohio traffic laws.
- 4. During my career as a Patrolman with the Toledo Police Department, I investigated approximately 2,500 to 3,000 motor vehicle, motorcycle and pedestrian collisions.
- 5. Since approximately 2014, I have performed investigative services for the law firm Kisling, Nestico and Redick ("KNR") as an independent contractor, and I am paid a flat rate for all services requested by KNR on a given case assigned to me. In addition to KNR, I have also worked as an investigator for another Toledo personal injury firm.
- 6. When I am assigned a case to investigate on behalf of KNR, in addition to meeting with a prospective client to obtain a signature on the KNR contingency fee agreement, I also perform the following tasks: obtain signatures on patient authorizations or Medicare "Proof of Representation" forms; interview the client about the collision and review the Ohio Traffic Crash report pertaining to the incident when available; identify the responsible party and any potential witnesses to the crash; obtain copies of any medical insurance information in the possession of the client; take photos of the client's vehicle when available and photos of any visible physical injuries; and collect and document any further information to pass along to the assigned attorney at KNR.
- 7. On a number of occasions after the original investigation is complete, I will be asked by KNR attorneys to perform additional services such as photographing the intersection of a crash, timing and documenting a traffic light sequence, obtaining additional property

damage photographs, picking up medical records or other documents, or other additional services.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.

GARY MONTO

STATE OF OHIO) ss: COUNTY OF LUCAS

On this <u>day</u> of May, 2019, Affiant Gary Monto, came before me and, having first been sworn upon his oath, attested that the fact set forth in this Affidavit are true and accurate to the best of his knowledge.

