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**STATE BAR COURT OF CALIFORNIA**  
**HEARING DEPARTMENT – LOS ANGELES**

In the Matter of ) Case No.: **98-O-01674, et al. (S185351)**  
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**STEVEN L. MAZZA** )  
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**Member No. 101076** ) **ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO**  
 ) **MODIFY PROBATION CONDITION**  
 ) **REGARDING RESTITUTION**  
A Member of the State Bar. )

On July 1, 2011, this court denied a motion in the nature of interpleader, in which respondent attempted to lodge with the court the restitution amounts owed Gerald Billington, deceased. As part of an earlier order, the court required respondent to make further efforts to locate any heirs of Mr. Billington. Respondent was able to locate Mr. Billington's sister, Joy Plackett, Mr. Billington's only heir. Respondent now requests that the probation condition requiring payment to Mr. Billington be modified to allow him to pay Joy Plackett instead. Respondent further requests that the amount owed be reduced by the amount of interest accrued after the date he contacted Ms. Plackett.

**GOOD CAUSE APPEARING THEREFOR**, the motion to substitute Joy Plackett for Gerald Billington in the probation conditions is **GRANTED**. However, the request to reduce the

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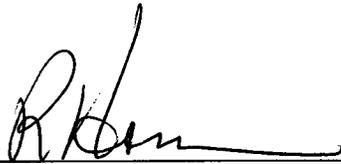
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amount owed to Joy Plackett is **DENIED**. Respondent must pay to Joy Plackett the full amount of principal and interest originally owed to Mr. Billington.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Dated: August 30, 2011

  
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RICHARD A. HONN  
Judge of the State Bar Court

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

[Rules Proc. of State Bar; Rule 5.27(B); Code Civ. Proc., § 1013a(4)]

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Cristina Potter  
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State Bar Court