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Re: No. 2013-05455; Carl Henry Brunsting, et al v. Candace L. Kunz-Freed, et al; In the 164th Judicial District Court of Harris County, Texas.

Dear Ms. Bayless:

Enclosed, please find the following:

- 1. Defendants' First Amended Objections and Responses to Plaintiff's First Request for Production; and
- 2. Defendant Candace L. Kunz' First Amended Objections and Answers to Plaintiff's First Set of Interrogatories.

Sincerely,

Cory S. Reed

/rg Enclosures

CAUSE NO. 2013-05455

CARL HENRY BRUNSTING, \$ IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR OF THE \$ ESTATES OF ELMER H. BRUNSTING \$ AND NELVA E. BRUNSTING, \$ Plaintiff, \$ V. \$ HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS \$ CANDACE L. KUNZ-FREED AND VACEK \$ & FREED, PLLC F/K/A THE VACEK LAW \$

Defendants.

FIRM, PLLC,

164TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

DEFENDANTS' FIRST AMENDED OBJECTIONS AND RESPONSES TO PLAINTIFF'S FIRST REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION

TO: CARL HENRY BRUNSTING, INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF ELMER H. BRUNSTING AND NELVA E. BRUNSTING, Plaintiff, by and through his attorney of record, Bobbie G. Bayless, Bayless & Stokes, 2931 Femdale, Houston, Texas 77098.

Pursuant to Rule 196, Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, Defendants CANDACE L. KUNZ-FREED AND VACEK & FREED, PLLC F/K/A THE VACEK LAW FIRM, PLLC hereby submits their First Amended Objections and Responses to Plaintiff's First Request for Production.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that pursuant to the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, on this the 4th day of March, 2014, a true and correct copy of this document has been forwarded by certified mail, facsimile and/or e-filing to counsel:

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Cory S. Reed

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 1: All agreements with Elmer Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 2: All agreements with Nelva Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 3: All agreements with Anita Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 4: All agreements with Amy Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 5: All agreements with Carole Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants object to

this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

<u>REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 6</u>: All joint defense agreements with any party concerning the Brunsting Trust dispute.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 7: All invoices for services provided or expenses incurred on behalf of Elmer and/or Nelva Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 8: All documents reflecting payments made on the invoices described in number 7 above.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 9: All invoices for services provided or expenses incurred on behalf of Anita and/or Amy Brunsting.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 10: All documents reflecting payments made on the invoices described in number 9 above.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 11: All invoices for services provided or expenses incurred on behalf of any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 12: All documents reflecting payments made on the invoices described in number 11 above.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 13: All correspondence, including emails, with Elmer and/or Nelva Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 14: All correspondence, including emails, with Anita Brunsting prior to the establishment, if any, of an attorney client relationship with her.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 15: All correspondence, including emails, with Amy Brunsting prior to the establishment, if any, of an attorney client relationship with her.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 16: All correspondence, including emails, with Carole Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 17: All correspondence, including emails, with Carl and/or Drina Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 18: All correspondence, including emails, with Carl Brunsting's daughter, Marta.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 19: All correspondence, including emails, with any third parties, other than your attorney, about Nelva Brunsting, any other member of the Brunsting family, and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 20: All drafts of documents prepared by Vacek & Freed for Nelva Brunsting's signature.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 21: Originals of all documents signed by Nelva, Elmer, Anita, Amy, Candy, Carole, or Carl Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced. The originals will be made available at the offices of Defendants' counsel at a reasonable and mutually agreeable date and time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 22: Originals of all documents notarized by Candace Freed involving Elmer, Nelva, Anita, Amy, Candy, Carole, or Carl Brunsting and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced. The originals will be made available at the offices of Defendants' counsel at a reasonable and mutually agreeable date and time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 23: Originals of all documents notarized or witnessed by anyone at Vacek & Freed, PLLC other than Candace Freed which involve Elmer, Nelva, Anita, Amy, Candy, Carole, or Carl Brunsting and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced. The originals will be made available at the offices of Defendants' counsel at a reasonable and mutually agreeable date and time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 24: All opinion letters or reports provided concerning Elmer, Nelva, Amy, Anita, Candy, Carole, or Carl Brunsting or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit. Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories, and thereby invades the work product privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 25: All opinion letters or reports sought or received from any third parties concerning Elmer, Nelva, Amy, Anita, Candy, Carole, or Carl Brunsting or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit. Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories, and thereby invades the work product privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 26: All joint representation or conflict of interest disclosures provided to Elmer, Nelva, Anita and/or Amy Brunsting.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause,

is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 27: All documents establishing your attorney/client relationship with Elmer and/or Nelva.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, and overbroad. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 28: All documents terminating your attorney/client relationship with Nelva.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 29: All documents establishing your attorney/client relationship with Anita, either individually or as trustee of any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 30: All documents terminating your attorney/client relationship with Anita, either individually or as trustee of any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause,

is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 31: All documents terminating your attorney/client relationship with Amy, either individually or as trustee of any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 32: All documents establishing your attorney/client relationship with Amy, either individually or as trustee of any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 33: All documents relating to any referrals of Anita and/or Amy, either individually or as trustees of any of the Brunsting Trusts, to other attorneys.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 34: All cell phone and/or long distance records and logs reflecting telephone calls with Anita, Amy, and/or Candy from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 35: All long distance records and logs reflecting faxes to Anita, Amy, and/or Candy from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 36: All logs reflecting faxes from Anita, Amy and/or Candy from July 1, 2010 to the present.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 37: All cell phone records reflecting calls with Nelva from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 38: All records reflecting 'faxes to or from Nelva from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 39: All cell phone records reflecting calls with Carl and/or Drina Brunsting from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 40: All records reflecting faxes to or from Carl and/or Drina Brunsting from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 41: All cell phone records reflecting calls with Carole Brunsting from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 42: All records reflecting faxes to or from Carole Brunsting from July 1, 2010 to the present.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 43: All investigators' reports relating to the Brunsting family and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and harassing. Defendants object to this request because it seeks information that is not relevant or reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of relevant evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request on the grounds that it is overbroad, exceeds the scope of permissible discovery, and requires Defendants to marshal their evidence. Tex. R. Civ. P. 192.5(c)(2). Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories, and thereby invades the work product privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 44: All tape recordings and/or video recordings involving any Brunsting family member and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and harassing. Defendants object to this request because it seeks information that is not relevant or reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of relevant evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request on the grounds that it is overbroad, exceeds the scope of permissible discovery, and requires Defendants to marshal their evidence. Tex. R. Civ. P. 192.5(c)(2). Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories, and thereby invades the work product privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 45: All photographs involving any Brunsting family member and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and harassing. Defendants object to this request because it seeks information that is not relevant or reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of relevant evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request on the grounds that it is overbroad, exceeds the scope of permissible discovery, and requires Defendants to marshal their evidence. Tex. R. Civ. P. 192.5(c)(2). Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories, and thereby invades the work product privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 46: All materials provided to Elmer and/or Nelva Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, harassing, and fails to specify those documents sought with reasonable particularity. Defendants object to the request as it is overly broad, calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, and is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it documents that are equally available to Plaintiff.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants could not possibly recall every material ever provided to Elmer and/or Nelva

Brunsting. Please see the responsive documents previously produced which Defendants specifically recall providing to them.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 47: All communications to beneficiaries of the Brunsting Trusts.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 48: All calendars reflecting legal work and/or meetings or telephone conferences with any member of the Brunsting family or with any third parties concerning Brunsting family issues and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

<u>RESPONSE</u>: Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 49: All source documents used to prepare any accountings relating to assets owned by Elmer Brunsting, Nelva Brunsting and/or any of the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Please see the responsive documents previously produced.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 50: All speeches, outlines and/or materials distributed at presentations made by Vacek & Freed attorneys or employees which were attended by Elmer or Nelva Brunsting.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, harassing, and fails to specify those documents sought with reasonable particularity. Defendants object to the request as it is overly broad, calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, and is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants object to this request because it is not limited in time.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants do not recall which presentations were attended by Elmer and/or Nelva Brunsting.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 51: All speeches, outlines and/or materials distributed at presentations made by Vacek & Freed attorneys or employees since January 1, 2008.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to the request as it is overly broad, calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, does not state with reasonable particularity what is being called for, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants will supplement related speeches, outlines and/or materials distributed at presentations in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 52: All pleadings from any cases in which you have been named as a party since January 1, 2008, other than those relating to the Brunsting Trusts.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request because it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, and harassing. Defendants also object to this request because it seeks information that is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks public information that is equally available to Plaintiff.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 53: All expert designations identifying attorneys at Vacek & Freed as experts in any cases since January 1, 2008.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 54: All opinions or expert reports concerning fiduciary or trust issues prepared by any attorney with Vacek & Freed since January 1, 2008.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit. Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories, and thereby invades the work product privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 55: All designations of experts, reports prepared by experts, and depositions of experts in cases in which you have been named as a party since January 1, 2008.

RESPONSE: Defendants object that this request is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, and harassing. Defendants object to the request as it calls for material wholly irrelevant to this cause, is a mere fishing expedition and is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Defendants object to this request because it assumes facts not in evidence. Defendants further object to this request to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege. Defendants object to this request to the extent it seeks confidential and private information of person(s) who are not parties to this lawsuit. Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories, and thereby invades the work product privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants have no documents responsive to this request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 56: All exhibits you plan to offer in the trial of this case.

RESPONSE: Defendants object to this request on the grounds that it is overbroad, exceeds the scope of permissible discovery, and requires Defendants to marshal their evidence. Tex. R. Civ. P. 192.5(c)(2). Defendants further object to this request because it seeks, on its face, the mental impressions, opinions, and legal theories of Defendants' counsel, and thereby invades the work product privilege.

Subject to the foregoing objection and without waiving the same, Defendants respond as follows: Defendants will timely supplement such documents in accordance with the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, if necessary.

164TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

CAUSE NO. 2013-05455

CARL HENRY BRUNSTING, § IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR OF THE § ESTATES OF ELMER H. BRUNSTING § AND NELVA E. BRUNSTING, § Plaintiff, § V. § HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS § CANDACE L. KUNZ-FREED AND VACEK § & FREED, PLLC F/K/A THE VACEK LAW § FIRM, PLLC, §

DEFENDANT CANDACE L. KUNZ' FIRST AMENDED OBJECTIONS AND ANSWERS TO PLAINTIFF'S FIRST SET OF INTERROGATORIES

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TO: CARL HENRY BRUNSTING, INDEPENDENT EXECUTOR OF THE ESTATE OF ELMER H. BRUNSTING AND NELVA E. BRUNSTING, Plaintiff, by and through his attorney of record, Bobbie G. Bayless, Bayless & Stokes, 2931 Ferndale, Houston, Texas 77098.

Pursuant to Rule 197, Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, Defendants CANDACE L.

KUNZ hereby submits her First Amended Objections and Answers to Plaintiffs' First Set of Interrogatories.

Defendants.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that pursuant to the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure, on this the 4th day of March, 2014, a true and correct copy of this document has been forwarded by certified mail, facsimile and/or e-filing to counsel:

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INTERROGATORIES

INTERROGATORY NO. 1: Provide any cell phone numbers you have had since July 1, 2010 and identify the company providing cell phone service for each such number.

ANSWER: Defendant further objects to the request on the grounds of undue burden, harassment, irrelevancy, and violation of confidentiality and rights of privacy of Defendant and it is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Further, it constitutes an unfair prejudicial invasion of Defendant's proprietary interest, personal, constitutional, and property rights absent probative value to the issues of this case. The unfairness far outweighs any probative value.

Subject to the foregoing objection and without waiving the same, Defendant answers as follows: Since July 1, 2010 my cell phone number has been (281) 217-0013.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 2</u>: Identify the company providing your long distance service both at work and at home since July 1, 2010.

ANSWER: Defendant further objects to the request on the grounds of undue burden, harassment, irrelevancy, and violation of confidentiality and rights of privacy of Defendant and it is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Further, it constitutes an unfair prejudicial invasion of Defendant's proprletary interest, personal, constitutional, and property rights absent probative value to the issues of this case. The unfairness far outweighs any probative value.

Subject to the foregoing objection and without waiving the same, Defendant answers as follows: Since July 1, 2010 the provider of my long distance service at home has been AT&T and at the office has been Cbeyond, Inc.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 3</u>: Provide all email addresses you have had since July 1, 2010 and identify the internet service provider for all such addresses.

ANSWER: Defendant further objects to the request on the grounds of undue burden, harassment, irrelevancy, and violation of confidentiality and rights of privacy of Defendant and it is not reasonably calculated to lead to the discovery of admissible evidence. Further, it constitutes an unfair prejudicial invasion of Defendant's proprietary interest, personal, constitutional, and property rights absent probative value to the issues of this case. The unfairness far outweighs any probative value.

Subject to the foregoing objection and without waiving the same, Defendant answers as follows: Since July 1, 2010 I have used Candace@vacek.com and freedcandace@sbcglobal.net.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 4</u>: If you contend Nelva Brunsting had capacity at each time after July 1, 2010 when she signed documents prepared by Vacek & Freed, state all actions you took to insure her capacity.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal its evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: As I do for all of my clients, I met with Ms. Nelva Brunsting in-person and discussed all of the documents prior to her signing them. Before she actually signed any of the documents I ensured they were properly drafted as she requested.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 5</u>: If you contend Nelva Brunsting lost capacity at some point after July 1, 2010, state when that occurred, how it was determined she lacked capacity, what documents it prevented her from signing, and all facts indicating her lack of capacity at that point.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: At no time before or after July 1, 2010 have I ever stated that Ms. Brunsting lost capacity.

INTERROGATORY NO. 6: Please indicate all steps taken to ensure that Nelva Brunsting was not unduly influenced by other parties in connection with documents prepared by Vacek & Freed after Elmer Brunsting's death.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: As I do for all of my clients, I met with Ms. Brunsting in-person and discussed all of the documents prior to her signing them. Before she actually signed any of the documents I ensured they were properly drafted as she requested. I do not think/believe Ms. Brunsting was influenced by other parties, because at no time were any material changes made in the disposition of her estate plan with respect to the beneficiaries.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 7</u>: Describe all steps taken after July 1, 2010 to ensure that the beneficiaries of the Brunsting Trusts were treated impartially.

ANSWER: Defendant objects that this interrogatory is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, unduly burdensome, and fails to specify the information sought with reasonable particularity. Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: Ms. Brunsting had a general power of appointment over the Survivor's Trust assets and a Limited Power of Appointment over the Decedent's Trust assets among the joint descedents of Elmer and Nelva. These power of appointments allowed her to include or exclude descendants of both Nelva and Elmer Brunsting from the assets. No notice is required to be given if she had exercised these limited and general powers of appointment. Notwithstanding, at one point in time, Ms. Brunsting requested that I draft documents removing one of her grandchildren as a remainder beneficiary. After further discussion, Ms. Brunsting decided not to sign the power of appointment.

INTERROGATORY NO. 8: Describe all steps taken to ensure that the beneficiaries of the Brunsting Trusts were properly informed concerning the terms and activities of the Brunsting Trusts after Elmer Brunsting died.

ANSWER: Defendant objects that this interrogatory is vague, ambiguous, overbroad, unduly burdensome, and fails to specify the information sought with reasonable particularity. Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: Ms. Brunsting had a general power of appointment over the Survivor's Trust assets and a Limited Power of Appointment over the Decedent's Trust assets. These powers of appointments allowed her to include or exclude descendants of both Nelva and Elmer Brunsting from the assets. No notice was required to be given if she had exercised these powers of appointment. Ms. Brunsting was the primary beneficiary of both the Decedent's Trust and the Survivor's Trust until her passing. Upon her death, I provided the Successor Trustees with a document titled "I'm a Trustee Now What." This document provided the Successor Trustees with information related to their fiduciary duties as an acting trustee and accounting requirements. It would be the Successor Trustee(s) responsibility to keep the beneficiaries informed of the terms and activities of the Trust according to the terms of the Trust.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 9</u>: Describe all steps taken to ensure that Nelva Brunsting's interests were protected both before and after she resigned as trustee.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: As I do for all of my clients, I met with Ms. Brunsting in-person and discussed all of the documents prior to her signing them. Before she actually signed any of the documents I ensured they were properly drafted as she requested. Specifically, I explained to Ms. Brunsting the effect of the resignation and that the resignation was revocable and could be reversed if she later desired. Also, as a matter of course, trustees are advised of their fiduciary duty to the beneficar(ies) and their duty to account for trust assets. Trustees are advised to be familiar with and defer to the trust documents.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 10</u>: Describe all steps taken to ensure that the assets of the Brunsting Trusts were preserved after July I, 2010.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: I did not take any steps to preserve the Trust assets. It is one of the duties of the Trusee(s) to preserve the assets of the trust.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 11</u>: Describe all steps taken to determine the nature and values of the assets owned by Elmer Brunsting, Nelva Brunsting, or by any of the Brunsting Trusts at the time of Elmer Brunsting's death and identify every person providing information concerning the value and existence of assets.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: After the death of a Grantor, the remaining trustee or successor trustee may engage my firm to assist in the identification of assets, titling, and if recommended or desired, implement tax planning and file federal estate tax return, if necessary. In this case, Ms. Brunsting did retain our firm to advise on the administration of the Trust and to implement the tax planning, including the funding of a credit shelter trust. In fact, I met with Ms. Brunsting a minimum of three times to discuss the value and existence of assets. Date of death values are/were obtained from brokers, appraisers, tax preparers, and banks, as well as the internet, evaluation programs and monthly account statements provided by Ms. Brunsting herself. These values are/were used to determine proper allocation among trusts and then are divided according to the terms of the trust agreement, State law and Trustee discretion. In this case, asset information was obtained from the following persons or companies:

Rich Rikkers
Bennie K. Jans, Broker at Jans Real Estate
Darlene at Edward Jones
Nelva Brunsting
Harris County Appraisal District
Anita Brunsting
Kelley Blue Book
John Hancock: Donna Vickers
Securian: Erin Nuccum
BNY Mellon
Computershare
Metlife: Clare Cook, Douglas Uhling
Ohio State Life Insurance Co
ChaseMellon Shareholder Services
Bank of America

BlueBonnett Credit Union

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 12</u>: Describe all steps taken to determine the nature and values of the assets owned by the Brunsting Trusts at the time of Nelva Brunsting's resignation as trustee and identify every person providing information concerning the value and existence of assets.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: I did not take any steps to determine the nature and value of the assets owned by the Trusts at the time of Ms. Brunsting's resignation as trustee, and I was requested or engaged to do so. One of the duties of the Successor Trustee would have been to determine the Trusts assets.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 13</u>: Describe all steps taken to determine the nature and values of the assets owned by Elmer Brunsting's estate, Nelva Brunsting, or by any of the Brunsting Trusts at the time of Nelva Brunsting's death, and identify every person providing information concerning the value and existence of assets.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks to limit future deposition and/or trial testimony by requesting Defendant to answer this question without any limitation when the information would be better elicited through deposition and/or trial testimony. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: After the death of a Grantor, the remaining trustee or successor trustee may engage my firm to assist in the identification of assets, titling, and if recommended or desired, implement tax planning and file federal estate tax return, if necessary. Date of death values are obtained from brokers, appraisers, tax preparers, and banks, as well as the internet, evaluation programs and monthly account statements. These values are used to determine proper allocation among trusts and then are to be divided according to the terms of the trust agreement. In this case, asset information was obtained from the following persons or companies:

Anita Brunsting
Amy Brunsting
Carol Brunsting
Candace Curtis
Bank of America Statements
Houston Association of Realtors
Harris County Appraisal District
BNY Mellon
Bluebonnett Credit union
Internal Revenue Services
Lincoln Financial Group
Edward Jones
Doug Williams
Kally Mouw, Certified Appraiser

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 14</u>: Specify the dates and locations of all meetings any representative of Vacek & Freed had with Nelva Brunsting after July 1, 2010 and identify all parties attending such meetings.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: I met with Ms. Brunsting in her residence on December 21, 2010. At this time I cannot recall everyone present, but believe remember Anita Brunsting, Amy Brunsting, and Carole Brunsting, along with a caregiver to have been present.

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 15</u>: Specify the date of every telephone conference any representative of Vacek & Freed had with Nelva Brunsting after July 1, 2010 and identify any other parties participating in each telephone conference.

<u>ANSWER</u>: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: The following conference calls were conducted between Ms. Brunsting and a representative of Vacek & Freed after July 1, 2010:

October 7, 2010 (am) - Candace Kunz-Freed and Nelva Brunsting. Carol Brunsting was on the telephone for part of the conversation.

October 7, 2010 (pm) - Candace Kunz-Freed and Nelva Brunsting.

October 11, 2010 - Summer Peoples and Nelva Brunsting.

October 11, 2010 - Candace Kunz-Freed, Susan Vacek, and Nelva Brunsting.

October 14, 2010 - Summer Peoples and Nelva Brunsting.

October 25, 2010 - Candace Kunz-Freed, Carol Brunsting, Anita Brunsting, Amy Brunsting, and Candace Curtis.

It is possible there more telephone calls, but these are all of the conference calls that I can recall based on my notes up to the time Nelva resigned.

INTERROGATORY NO. 16: Specify the date of every telephone conference any representative of Vacek & Freed had with Anita Brunsting after July 1, 2010 and identify any other parties participating in each telephone conference.

ANSWER: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: The following conference calls were conducted between Anita Brunsting and a representative of Vacek & Freed after July 1, 2010 and up to the time Nelva resigned:

July 20, 2010 – Candace Kunz-Freed and Anita Brunsting. October 6, 2010 – Candace Kuntz-Freed and Anita Brunsting. October 11, 2010 – Summer Peoples and Anita Brunsting. October 25, 2010 - Candace Kunz-Freed, Carol Brunsting, Anita Brunsting, Amy Brunsting, and Candace Curtis.

It is possible there more telephone calls, but these are all of the conference calls that I can recall based on my notes up to the time Nelva resigned.

INTERROGATORY NO. 17: Specify the date of every telephone conference any representative of Vacek & Freed had with Amy Brunsting after July 1, 2010 and identify any other party participating in the call.

<u>ANSWER</u>: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence. Defendant further objects to this interrogatory to the extent it seeks information protected by the attorney-client privilege.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: The following conference calls were conducted between Amy Brunsting and a representative of Vacek & Freed after July 1, 2010 and up to the time Nelva resigned:

October 25, 2010 - Candace Kunz-Freed, Carol Brunsting, Anita Brunsting, Amy Brunsting, and Candace Curtis.

It is possible there more telephone calls, but these are all of the conference calls that I can recall based on my notes up to the time Nelva resigned..

<u>INTERROGATORY NO. 18</u>: Specify the date of every telephone conference any representative of Vacek & Freed had with Carole Brunsting after July 1, 2010 until the present and identify any other party participating in the call.

<u>ANSWER</u>: Defendant objects to this interrogatory because it assumes facts not in evidence. Moreover, Defendant objects to this interrogatory for the reason it requires Defendant to marshal her evidence.

Subject to and without waiving the foregoing objects, Defendant answers as follows: The following conference calls were conducted between Amy Brunsting and a representative of Vacek & Freed after July 1, 2010:

October 7, 2010 (am) - Candace Kunz-Freed and Nelva Brunsting. Carol Brunsting was on the telephone for part of the conversation.

October 13, 2010 - Candace Kuntz-Freed and Carol Brunsting.

October 25, 2010 - Candace Kunz-Freed, Carol Brunsting, Anita Brunsting, Amy Brunsting, and Candace Curtis.

It is possible there more telephone calls, but these are all of the conference calls that I can recall based on my notes up to the time Nelva resigned.