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SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

DENNIS PRAGER, an individual, and SUSAN
PRAGER, an individual,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

CEDARS SINAI MEDICAL CENTER, (a
California private non-profit corporation),
BARLOW RESPIRATORY HOSPITAL, (a
California non-profit corporation), RANCHO
LOS AMIGOS NATIONAL
REHABILITATION CENTER, (a department
of the County of Los Angeles) and Does 1
through 100, inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 26SMCV01561

Judge: Hon. Edward B. Moreton, Jr.
Dept.: 205

DECLARATION RE TRIAL ATTORNEY

Action Filed: March 13, 2026
Trial Date: Not Set

I, LOUISE M. DOUVILLE, declare and state as follows:

1. I am an attorney at law duly licensed to practice before all of the courts of the State of California, and am a partner with the law firm of Fraser, Watson & Croutch, LLP.

2. That when this matter was assigned to this law firm, it was assigned to Louise M. Douville individually for all purposes, including trial. Consequently, only the declarant and no other attorney in this firm is authorized to try this case and could not therefore be prepared to do so.

3. Given the circumstances, this declarant and no other attorney in this firm will be available and prepared to try this case on the date set forth by the court.

5. I am making this declaration pursuant to California *Rules of Court*, Rules 3.1332(c) [grounds for continuance] and (d) [other factors to be considered]. Rule 3.1332(c)(3) allows continuance on the grounds that the unavailability of trial counsel because of excusable circumstances and Rule 3.1332(d)(8) allows the court to consider whether trial counsel is engaged in another trial, if presented with such a request to continue the trial in this action due to a conflict.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed this 9th day of July 2026 in Costa Mesa, California.

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF ORANGE

On July 9, 2026, I served true copies of the following document(s) described as **DECLARATION RE TRIAL ATTORNEY** on the interested parties in this action as follows:

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

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