## UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS EASTERN DIVISION

In re:	Case No. 17-13328-FJB Chapter 7
RMA STRATEGIC	Adv. Proc. No. 18-01019
OPPORTUNITY FUND, LLC,	
Debtor	 
MARK G. DEGIACOMO,	
CHAPTER 7 TRUSTEE FOR	İ
THE ESTATE OF RMA	İ
STRATEGIC OPPORTUNITY	İ
FUND, LLC,	
Plaintiff,	   
v.	
RAYMOND K. MONTOYA,	 
ET AL,	į
Defendants	   

## **Settlement Status Report**

Now come the plaintiff, Mark G. DeGiacomo, and defendants Raymond K. Montoya, Alma Montoya, Ross Montoya, and Ryan Montoya (together, "Defendants") and hereby file the following status report pursuant to the Court's order of 12/29/2020, Docket No. 149.

1. The parties reported the matter settled as of 9/29/2020, however, implementation of the agreement requires the notarized signature of Raymond K. Montoya, who is

- currently incarcerated in a Federal Bureau of Prisons facility, FCI Lompoc, located in Lompoc, CA.
- 2. Defendants have diligently sought to obtain a notarized signature, but this has not yet been accomplished. See prior status reports at Docket No. 145, 148.
- 3. Due to the COVID pandemic, FCI Lompoc is presently closed to visitors, including notaries. There has been no change in this since the previous status report. There is no notary available on the staff of the facility. The parties do not know when FCI Lompoc will re-open to visitors.
- 4. Whether there is any other means of obtaining the notarized signature has not been confirmed.

Wherefore, the parties request an additional 60 days to file the settlement approval motion or a further status report.

Respectfully submitted,

Plaintiff, By his attorney,

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