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4 **DISTRICT COURT**
5 **CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA**
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7 Irina Ansell,
8 Plaintiff(s)

9 vs.

10 Douglas Ansell,
11 Defendant(s)

Case No.: D-15-521960-D

Department: Unassigned

12 **ORDER DENYING MEDIA REQUEST AND ORDER ALLOWING CAMERA ACCESS**
13 **TO COURT PROCEEDINGS**

14 Please be advised that the Media Request and Order Allowing Camera Access to Court
15 Proceedings signed October 6, 2026 (see Exhibit A) is denied because the matter has been sealed since
16 May 25, 2018 and amended August 13 2019. The original Order, granted pursuant to a writing, stated
17 that everything was to be sealed (which would include proceedings and videos) with the exception of the
18 Complaint, and the Answer and Counterclaim.

19 The Amended Order Sealing the case, also granted pursuant to a written request, included further
20 exceptions to "(1) . . . explicitly allow production of discovery as required in other actions and
21 proceedings. (2) The sealing in this case shall not apply to the pleadings, the findings of the court, any
22 order made on motion as provided in Nevada Rules of Civil Procedure."

23 The initial May 25, 2018 Order sealing the case was granted pursuant to an unopposed motion
24 filed May 9, 2018 by Plaintiff after consideration by the Court of the case pleadings and circumstances.

25 Therefore, the Court hereby, respectfully upholds the Amended Order filed August 13, 2019.

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27 Dated October 12, 2026

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Hon. Cynthia Dianne Steel(Ret.)
Sr. District Court Judge

EXHIBIT A

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EIGHTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
CLARK COUNTY, NEVADA

IRINA ANSELL

PLAINTIFF

-VS-

DOUGLAS ANSELL

DEFENDANT

CASE NO: D-15-521960-D

DEPT. NO: SENIOR JUDGE

**MEDIA REQUEST AND ORDER ALLOWING
CAMERA ACCESS TO COURT PROCEEDINGS**

To ensure the request is processed as quickly as possible, please e-file
and email the completed form to the department and CC the Court PIO:

- DC(dept. number)Inbox@clarkcountycourts.us
- Cc: PIO@clarkcountycourts.us

ALEX FALCONI

(name), of

OUR NEVADA JUDGES, INC.

(media organization),

hereby requests permission to broadcast, record, photograph or televise proceedings in the above-entitled case in

Dept. No. N/A, the Honorable Judge CYNTHIA STEEL Presiding, on the 15 day of
OCTOBER, 20 26.

I hereby certify that I am familiar with, and will comply with Supreme Court Rules 229-246, inclusive. If this request is being submitted less than twenty-four (24) hours before the above-described proceedings commence, the following facts provide good cause for the Court to grant the request on such short notice:

N/A

It is further understood that any media camera pooling arrangements shall be the sole responsibility of the media and must be arranged prior to coverage, without asking for the Court to mediate disputes.

Dated this 6 day of OCTOBER, 20 26.

SIGNATURE: _____



PHONE: 702-374-3530

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

☐ The media request is **denied** because it was submitted less than 24 hours before the scheduled proceeding was to commence, and no "good cause" has been shown to justify granting the request on shorter notice.

☐ The media request is **denied** for the following reasons: _____

☐ The media request is **granted**. The requested media access remains in effect for each and every hearing in the above-entitled case, at the discretion of the Court, and unless otherwise notified. This order is made in accordance with Supreme Court Rules 229-246, inclusive, at the discretion of the judge, and is subject to reconsideration upon motion of any party to the action. Media access may be revoked if it is shown that access is distracting the participants, impairing the dignity of the Court, or otherwise materially interfering with the administration of justice.

☐ **OTHER:** _____

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that this document shall be made a part of the record of the proceedings in this case.

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20 _____.

DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on or about the date signed, a copy of this **ORDER**, was electronically served to all registered parties.

DATED this 12th day of October, 2026

Shantei O'Dell

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