



By the order of the court, Judge David A Wiseman

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6 **IN THE SUPERIOR COURT**  
7 **OF THE**  
8 **COMMONWEALTH OF THE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS**  
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10 **CHRISTINA-MARIE SABLAN** ) **Civil Action No. 09-0066E**  
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12 **Plaintiff,** )  
13 )  
14 **vs.** )  
15 ) **ORDER SETTING STATUS**  
16 **BENIGNO R. FITIAL, in his official** ) **CONFERENCE**  
17 **capacity as GOVERNOR of the** )  
18 **COMMONWEALTH OF THE** )  
19 **NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS,** )  
20 **ELOY INOS, in his official capacity as** )  
21 **SECRETARY OF FINANCE, and** )  
22 **GREGORY BAKA, in his official** )  
23 **capacity as ACTING ATTORNEY** )  
24 **GENERAL,** )  
25 **Defendants.** )  
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20 **THIS** matter came for a hearing on April 9, 2009, at 1:30 p.m. for a hearing on Plaintiff's  
21 Request for Production of Document pursuant to the Open Government Act. Counsel Brad Huesman  
22 appeared on behalf of Defendants. Ms. Christina-Maria Sablan appeared pro se.

23 At the hearing, Defendant objected to producing the following documents: 1) The Engagement  
24 Letter; 2) Billing documents and statements sent to CNMI for 903 Litigation and; 3) Payments made by  
25 CNMI to attorneys for 903 Litigation. By Order of this Court on April 14, 2009, Defendants were  
ordered to produce all other requested documents, except the three listed above, to Plaintiff within seven  
days of the date of the Order. Defendants were further ordered to file a privilege log with the court

1 within 10 days of the date of the Order and the Privilege Log was filed on April 24, 2009.

2 **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that a hearing on this matter be held on **May 14, 2009 at 1:30**  
3 **p.m. in Courtroom 223A.** The parties are ordered to appear and be prepared to discuss the enumerated  
4 items listed in the Privilege Log and to what extent the Open Government Act, specifically § 9919(a)(8)  
5 and § 9918(c), restricts the release of those documents.

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7 **SO ORDERED** this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2009.

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9 /s/  
10 David A. Wiseman, Associate Judge