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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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11	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	2:09-CV-02888-GEB-DAD
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12	Plaintiff,	)	<b>APPLICATION AND ORDER FOR</b>
		)	<b>PUBLICATION</b>
13	v.	)	
		)	
14	APPROXIMATELY \$31,650.56 IN U.S.	)	
	CURRENCY SEIZED FROM WELLS FARGO	)	
15	BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER 1358132429,	)	
	HELD IN THE NAME OF ANNA SKOTS AND	)	
16	ROMAN SKOTS DOING BUSINESS AS USKO	)	
	SHIPPING,	)	
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	Defendant.	)	
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19 The United States of America, Plaintiff herein, applies for an  
 20 order of publication as follows:

- 21 1. Rule G(4) of the Supplemental Rules for Admiralty or  
 22 Maritime Claims and Asset Forfeiture Actions (hereafter  
 23 "Supplemental Rules") provides that the Plaintiff shall cause  
 24 public notice of the action to be given in a newspaper of general  
 25 circulation or on the official internet government forfeiture site;
- 26 2. Local Rule 83-171, Eastern District of California,  
 27 provides that the Court shall designate by order the appropriate  
 28 newspaper or other vehicle for publication;

1           3.     The defendant Approximately \$31,650.56 in U.S. Currency  
2 seized from Wells Fargo Bank Account Number 1358132429, held in the  
3 name of Anna Skots and Roman Skots doing business as USKO Shipping  
4 (hereafter "the defendant funds") was seized in the city of Fair  
5 Oaks, in Sacramento County, California. The Internal Revenue  
6 Service published notice of the non-judicial forfeiture of the  
7 defendant funds on June 23, 30 and July 7, 2009, in The Daily  
8 Recorder.

9           4.     Plaintiff proposes that publication be made as follows:

- 10           a.     One publication;
- 11           b.     Thirty (30) consecutive days;
- 12           c.     On the official internet government forfeiture  
13 site [www.forfeiture.gov](http://www.forfeiture.gov);
- 14           d.     The publication is to include the following:
- 15                   (1)    The Court and case number of the action;
- 16                   (2)    The date of the seizure/posting;
- 17                   (3)    The identity and/or description of the property  
18 seized/posted;
- 19                   (4)    The name and address of the attorney for the  
20 Plaintiff;
- 21                   (5)    A statement that claims of persons entitled to  
22 possession or claiming an interest pursuant to Supplemental Rule  
23 G(5) must be filed with the Court and served on the attorney for  
24 the Plaintiff no later than 60 days after the first day of  
25 publication on the official internet government forfeiture site;  
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- 27                   (6)    A statement that answers to the Complaint or a  
28 motion under Rule 12 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure ("Fed.

1 R. Civ. P.") must be filed and served within 20 days after  
2 the filing of the claims and that, in the absence thereof, default  
3 may be entered and condemnation ordered.

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5 Dated: 10/16/09

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11 **ORDER**

12 IT IS SO ORDERED.

13 DATED: October 26, 2009.

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15 Dale A. Drozd  
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16 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

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