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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

SACRAMENTO DIVISION

ESTATE OF SALVADOR ROMERO and EMILIA ABEYTA,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

COUNTY OF SOLANO, SOLANO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, THOMAS FERRARA, DANI HUNT, EUGENE KIMBROUGH, WENDY GONZALEZ, JEREL ARCON, KRISTIAN DIAZ, CALIFORNIA FORENSIC MEDICAL GROUP dba WELLPATH, SENAIDA RANGEL, JORDAN ALARCON, and DOLORES GUMATAOTAO,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:23-cv-00523-JAM-AC

STIPULATION TO LIFT STAY; ORDER

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The Estate of Salvador Romero and Emilia Abeyta (collectively, "Plaintiffs"); the County of Solano, Solano County Sheriff's Office, Thomas Ferrara, Dani Hunt, Eugene Kimbrough, Wendy Gonzalez, Jerel Arcon, and Kristian Diaz (collectively, "County Defendants"); and California Forensic Medical Group, Inc. (erroneously sued as California Forensic Medical Group dba Wellpath, Inc.), Senaida Rangel, Jordan Alarcon, and Dolores Gumataotao ("CFMG Defendants") stipulate as follows.

WHEREAS, on November 20, 2024, the Court ordered this case stayed and administratively closed, based on the pendency of bankruptcy proceedings, ECF No. 35;

WHEREFORE, the bankruptcy proceedings have concluded, ECF No. 36; and

Now, THEREFORE, the parties STIPULATE to LIFT the STAY and to ADMINISTRATIVELY REOPEN this action.

Dated: October 21, 2025

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GOOD CAUSE APPEARING, the parties' stipulation is **GRANTED**.

The Court **LIFTS** the STAY and **ADMINISTRATIVELY REOPENS** this action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: January 09, 2026

JOHN A. MENDEZ,
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE