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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
9 SOUTHERN DIVISION

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11 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,) Case No.: SA CR 08-180-DOC
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12 Plaintiff,) STIPULATION VACATING
) REQUIREMENT FOR MENTAL
13 vs.) EVALUATION
)
14 IRENE PEMKOVA,)
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15 Defendant)
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17 Defendant, Irene Pemkova, by and through her attorney of record, Diane C. Bass, and the
18 United States by and through Assistant United States Attorney Lawrence Kole hereby stipulate
19 as follows:

- 20 1. On October 17, 2008 the court ordered that defendant submit to a psychological
21 evaluation as based on a stipulation of the parties herein.
22 2. On February 2, 2009, the court denied defendant's request to vacate this condition.
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2 3. Based on information contained in the declaration of counsel attached hereto, defense
3 counsel has indicated that a psychological evaluation is not appropriate or necessary in this case.
4 The parties hereby stipulate that the condition requiring a psychological evaluation shall be
5 vacated.

6 Dated: July 14, 2009

7 _____/s/
8 Diane C. Bass
9 Attorney for Defendant
10 Irene Pemkova

11 Dated: July 14, 2009

12 _____/s/
13 Lawrence Kole
14 Assistant United States Attorney
15 United States of America
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DECLARATION

I, Diane C. Bass, declare as follows:

1. I am an attorney at law duly licensed to practice in the Central District of California. I am the appointed attorney of record for the defendant in this case.

2. I spent a six hours with defendant on June 29, 2009. Defendant explained that she was raised by her grandparents in the Czech Republic. Because she was an allergic child, she was unable to socialize with children her own age. The only friends she had were her grandparents' friends and books. Defendant reports that she entered University in Moscow when she was a mere 13 years of age due to her advanced intellect. She obtained her first Ph.D. when she was 17 years old. Defendant also reports that she is from an aristocratic family.

3. Therefore, it is my opinion that what may have appeared to be mental instability is merely eccentricity based on a completely foreign background and extremely high level of intelligence.

Dated: July 14, 2009

/s/
Diane C. Bass

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14 Plaintiff,) [PROPOSED] ORDER VACATING
15) REQUIREMENT FOR MENTAL
16 vs.) EVALUATION
17)
18 IRENE PEMKOVA,)
19)
20 Defendant)

21 IT IS SO ORDERED THAT the previously ordered requirement that a mental health
22 evaluation be conducted is hereby vacated.

23 Dated: _____
24 HONORABLE DAVID O. CARTER