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20 **IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF
21 THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR CARSON CITY**

22 NATIONAL TAXPAYERS UNION, a non-
23 profit organization, and ROBIN L. TITUS,
24 MD,

25 Case No. 25OC001091B

26 Dept. No. 1

27 Plaintiff(s),

28 vs.

29 THE STATE OF NEVADA, ex rel.,
30 JOSEPH LOMBARDO, in his official
31 capacity as Governor of the State of
32 Nevada; ZACH CONINE, in his official
33 capacity as Nevada State Treasurer;
34 RICHARD WHITLEY, in his official
35 capacity as Director of the Nevada
36 Department of Health and Human
37 Services; SCOTT J. KIPPER, in his official
38 capacity as the Nevada Commissioner of
39 Insurance; and RUSSELL COOK, in his
40 official capacity as Executive Director of
41 the Silver State Health Insurance
42 Exchange,

43 Defendant(s).

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45 **NOTICE OF APPEARANCE**

46 Defendants Joseph Lombardo, in his official capacity as Governor of the State of
47 Nevada; Zach Conine, in his official capacity as Treasurer of the State of Nevada; Richard
48 Whitley, in his official capacity as Nevada Department of Human Services; Stacie Weeks,

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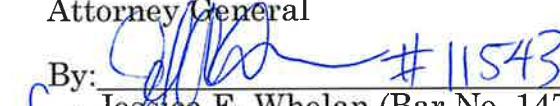
1 in her official capacity as Director of the Nevada Health Authority; Ned Gaines, in his
2 official capacity as Acting Commissioner of the Division of Insurance; and Janel Davis, in
3 her official capacity as Acting Executive Director of Silver State Health insurance
4 Exchange (“State Defendants”), by and through counsel, request the Court enter the
5 appearance of Jessica E. Whelan, Chief Deputy Solicitor General – Litigation, in the above-
6 referenced matter. It is requested that all future pleadings and notices also be served on
7 Chief Deputy Solicitor General Jessica E. Whelan.

8 **AFFIRMATION**
9 **(Pursuant to NRS 239B.030)**

10 The undersigned does hereby affirm that the foregoing document does not contain
11 the social security number of any person.

12 Dated: October 8, 2025.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I am an employee of the Office of the Attorney General, State of Nevada, and that on October 8, 2025, I deposited for mailing in the United States Mail, first-class postage prepaid, at Las Vegas, a true and correct copy of the foregoing document, addressed to the following:

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