IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

CONRAD VARGAS,

MEMORANDUM

v.

10-cv-814-wmc

PETER GAVIN, MATTHEW FIDDLE, DREW NIELSON, JEREMY LEIRMO, LUKE FULLMER, LARRY DILLENBERG, WILLIAM SWIEKATOWSKI and JOHN and JANE DOES¹,

Defendants.

Plaintiff,

Pursuant to an informal service agreement between the Wisconsin Department of Justice and this court, the Department has agreed to accept electronic service of documents on behalf of the defendants it represents. The Department has indicated that it will represent defendants Larry Dillenberg, Matthew Fiddle, Luke Fullmer, Peter Gavin, Jeremy Leirmo, Drew Nielson and William Swiekatowski in this case. This means that for the time being, plaintiff does not have to send a paper copy of each document he files with the court to the Department or defendants Larry Dillenberg, Matthew Fiddle, Luke Fullmer, Peter Gavin, Jeremy Leirmo, Drew Nielson and William Swiekatowski. The Department will access the document through the court's electronic filing system.

Once the identities of the John and Jane Doe defendants have been ascertained, the Department will decide whether to accept service on behalf of those defendants. If the Department decides to represent those defendants, you will not have to send a paper copy of

¹I have amended the caption to to correct the spelling of Drew Nielson as identified in the Acceptance of Service.

each document to those defendants. If the Department does not accept service, you will have to send those defendants a paper copy of each document.

Finally, discovery requests or responses are an exception to the electronic service rule. Usually, those documents should be sent directly to counsel for the opposing party and do not have to be sent to the court. Discovery procedures will be explained more fully at the preliminary pretrial conference.

Entered this 12th day of September, 2011.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER Magistrate Judge