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IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LYON

AFSAR ALI.

Petitioner,

V.

PADONDA LENELL ALI,

Respondent.

JUDGMENT

This matter comes before this court on Minden Lawyers, LLC's, Motion to Adjudicate and Enforce Attorney's Lien, filed April 20, 2018. The motion was duly served on both parties and upon Karlon Kidder, Esq., Respondent's attorney of record. The court conducted a hearing on July 12, 2018. Minden Lawyers, LLC ("Minden Lawyers"), appeared through its principal Charles Scott Zumpft, Esq. Asfar Ali "Petitioner" appeared telephonically. Both testified and exhibits were admitted into evidence. Based upon the pleadings and papers on file herein, and the evidence and argument adduced at the hearing, the court hereby finds, concludes and enters judgment in favor of judgment creditor, Minden Lawyers and against judgment debtor Asfar Ali as follows:

1. Petitioner engaged Minden Lawyers to assist him with a decree enforcement issue against Respondent. The court found Respondent liable to Petitioner for the amount of \$23,984.25. The court order filed December 5, 2017, required Respondent to deposit that sum with Mr. Kidder. Thus, Petioner was a prevailing party.

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- 2. Minden Lawyers served its notice of attorney's lien claiming unpaid attorney's fees against Petitioner and asserting its lien. Minden Lawyers perfected its lien by serving it on Petitioner, Respondent, and Mr. Kidder by certified mail, return receipt requested, as required by NRS 18.015(3), on January 2, 2018 as to the parties; and on January 4, 2018 as to Mr. Kidder.
- 3. NRS 18.015 confers upon a court the jurisdiction to adjudicate attorney/client fee matters as part of the underlying action. Minden Lawyers properly and timely moved this court to adjudicate the lien and reduce it to judgment as contemplated by the statute.
- 4. Minden Lawyers has complied with NRS 18.015 in all respects and is entitled to confirmation of its lien, and entry of judgment against Afsar Ali.
- 5. The lien attaches to all property of the Petitioner, including but not limited to those monies, if any, deposited by Respondent with her counsel, Mr. Kidder, and held by him on or after January 4, 2018.
- 6. Minden Lawyers has complied with Brunzell v. Golden Gate Nat'l Bank, 85 Nev. 345, 455 P.2d 31 (1969). The court finds that the fees and costs claimed by Minden Lawyers to be fair and reasonable. Specifically, Minden Lawyers charged Mr. Ali \$243.75, hourly, which rate the court finds to be reasonable and well within the range of rates of attorney's practicing in Northern Nevada and Lyon County, and in this court. The experience of the attorneys who handled the work is ample. The character of the work to be done was of average difficulty and intricacy. The work actually performed by Minden Lawyers is reflected on the exhibits admitted into evidence and mentioned in paragraph 1 above.
- 7. The parties entered into a written fee agreement, a copy of which was admitted into evidence. The other exhibits detailed the work performed by Minden Lawyers and time spent. Many time entries were recorded as "no charge" to Mr. Ali. The court finds that Minden Lawyers' performed its efforts competently and efficiently.
 - 8. The contract interest rate for unpaid sums is 1.5% per month, compounded monthly.

JUDGMENT

1. Judgment is entered in favor of judgment creditor Minden Lawyers, LLC, and against Petitioner Afsar Ali, judgment debtor, in the amount of \$4,454.72, which includes principal of

\$3,984.19, and prejudgment interest at the contract rate of 1.5% per month in the amount of \$470.53 through June 30, 2018. This judgment amount reflects all offsets and payments.

2. This judgment shall earn post judgment interest at the contract rate of 1.5%, compounded monthly, until paid. Minden Lawyers is also entitled to claim and recover all reasonable costs of collection, including attorney's fees.

Dated this 25 day of July, 2018.

DISTRICT JUDGE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of the law office of Minden Lawyers, LLC and that on the <u>Iloth</u> day of July, 2018, I served a true and correct copy of the preceding document entitled Judgment addressed to:

Karlon J. Kidder, Esq. 620 N. Rock Blvd. Sparks, NV 89431

Ms. Padonda Ali 3607 Summit Oaks Dr. Green Cove Springs, FL 32043

Afsar Ali 200 Belmont Ave., Apt. 314 Seattle, WA 98102

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The document to which this certificate is attached is a full, true and correct copy of the original on file and of record in my office. Date: August 13, 2018

Tanya Sceirine, Court Administrator

Third Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, in and for Lyon County.

By Victoria Tovar

Deputy