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9 **LEO JOSEPH HAMEL**

10 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
11 **SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**  
12 **(HONORABLE BERNARD G. SKOMAL)**

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14	UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	Criminal Case No. 19-cr-4768-GPC-2
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16	Plaintiff,	)	<b>DECLARATION OF</b>
17		)	<b>MICHAEL PANCER</b>
18	v.	)	<b>RE: AMENDED MOTION TO</b>
19		)	<b>MODIFY CONDITIONS OF BOND</b>
20	LEO JOSEPH HAMEL,	)	<b>(DOCKET NO. 56)</b>
21		)	
22	Defendant.	)	
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22 TO: ROBERT S. BREWER, JR., U.S. ATTORNEY,  
23 ANDREW HADEN, ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY,  
24 NICHOLAS PILCHAK, ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY, and  
25 MARCIA FLORES, U.S. PRETRIAL SERVICES OFFICER.

26 Now comes Michael Pancer and states that he is the attorney of record  
27 for Leo Joseph Hamel in the above-entitled matter.

1                   On December 30, 2019, your Declarant e-filed Mr. Hamel's Amended  
2 Motion to Modify Conditions of Bond (Docket No. 56). This motion moved the  
3 Court to allow Mr. Hamel to travel to Pretoria, South Africa, from January 7, 2020 to  
4 January 16, 2020 and moved the Court to return Mr. Hamel's passport. This motion  
5 included as exhibits the signed approval of the two sureties on Mr. Hamel's bond.

6                   The Assistant U.S. Attorneys assigned to this case, Andrew Haden  
7 and Nicholas Pilchak, and Mr. Hamel's U.S. Pretrial Services Officer Marcia Flores  
8 are aware of this travel and have no objections as indicated by their electronic  
9 signatures below.

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12 Dated: January 2, 2020

Respectfully submitted,

S/Michael Pancer

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Attorney for Defendant Leo Hamel

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16 We are aware of the above travel, and we do not object:

17 S/Nicholas Pilchak

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Assistant U.S. Attorney

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21 S/Andrew Haden

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Assistant U.S. Attorney

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24 S/Marcia Flores

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26 U.S. Pretrial Services Officer