UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

United States District Court Southern District of Texas ENTERED

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David J. Bradley, Clerk of Court
By Deputy Clerk

IN THE MATTER OF THE	§	
APPOINTMENT OF UNITED	§	GENERAL ORDER NO. 2016-2
STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE	§	
DENA ELIZABETH PALERMO	§	

ORDER OF APPOINTMENT

Under the authority of 28 U.S.C. § 631 et seq., with the approval of the Court, and after compliance with the requirements established by the Judicial Conference of the United States, it is

ORDERED that Dena Elizabeth Palermo be, and she is hereby appointed as United States Magistrate Judge with official station at Houston, Texas, at the salary fixed by law. Magistrate Judge Palermo shall enter upon the performance of her duties on March 9, 2016, provided that, prior to the commencement of such duties, she shall take the oath or affirmation as prescribed by 28 U.S.C. §§ 453 and 631(g).

Magistrate Judge Palermo is to hold the office for a term of eight (8) years from the date she assumes office, unless sooner removed pursuant to the provisions of 28 U.S.C. § 631(I).

The Clerk of Court will furnish certified copies of this Order to the several divisions of this court, to United States Magistrate Judge Palermo, and to the Director of the Administrative Office of the United States Courts, as provided by 28 U.S.C. § 631(h).

ORDERED this 25th day of February, 2016.

RICARDO H. HINOJOSA

CHIEF JUDGE