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January 30, 2017

Honorable Wendy J. Olson United States Attorney District of Idaho Washington Group Plaza IV 800 Park Boulevard, Suite 600 Boise, Idaho 83712

Dear Ms. Olson:

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 543 and a request from your office, effective February 6, 2017, Mr. Bryan J. Wheat, Prosecuting Attorney, Bingham County Prosecuting Attorney's Office, is hereby appointed as a Special Assistant United States Attorney for your district subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The appointee will assist with drug cases that have state and federal interest.
- 2. The appointment expires on February 5, 2019, unless extended.
- 3. The appointee will report to and act under your direction or the direction of any Assistant United States Attorney you may designate with regard to any matter handled.
- 4. This appointment is without compensation.
- 5. During the term of this appointment, the appointee will be subject to the same laws, regulations, and policies as are applicable to all Federal employees. These include the Standards of Ethical Conduct for Employees of the Executive Branch, 5 C.F.R. Part 2635 et seq.; federal conflict of interest laws, 18 U.S.C. §§ 207, 208, and 209; laws restricting the disclosure of certain confidential governmental information, 18 U.S.C. § 1905, and the Freedom of Information and Privacy Acts, 5 U.S.C. §§ 552 and 552a; and political activity restrictions, 5 U.S.C. § 7321 et seq.
- 6. This appointment may be terminated at any time without cause or notice.

Please ensure that the appointee executes the enclosed Appointment Affidavit containing the oath of office, returns it within 14 days to the Attorney Hiring Staff, and acknowledges assent to the terms and conditions of this appointment by signature below. Please also ensure that the appointee executes the enclosed statement of appointment conditions, which will serve to support a waiver of the background investigation requirement, and return it within 14 days to Nicole West, SAUSA Program Assistant, Operations Division.

A copy of this letter must be filed with the Clerk of the District Court to evidence this appointment.

Sincerely,

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Valarie D. Mulcahy Assistant Director Human Resources Staff Operations Division

Enclosures

The foregoing terms and conditions are hereby agreed to and accepted:

Bryan J. Wheat

Date: 2.6.17