

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS  
EASTERN DIVISION**

MICHAEL L. SHAKMAN, et al.,	)	
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Plaintiffs,	)	
	)	No. 69 C 2145
v.	)	
	)	Hon. Sidney Schenkier
COUNTY OF COOK, et al.,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**MOTION TO AMEND  
COOK COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS' EXEMPT LIST**

Defendant, COOK COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS (“Recorder”) by its attorney, Anita Alvarez, State’s Attorney of Cook County, through her assistants, Lisa M. Meador, Thomas E. Nowinski, and Scott Golden, pursuant to Section XI.c. of the Employment Plan, respectfully requests that this Court enter an Order approving the Recorder’s Exempt List. In support of its motion, the Recorder of Deeds states as follows:

1. On September 14, 2010, this Court granted final approval of the SRO. Section II.G of the SRO provides that the Parties may amend the Exempt List from time to time.
2. On November 30, 2015, the Recorder provided the Director of Compliance with a Motion to Amend Cook County Recorder of Deeds’ Exempt List, proposed Order, and proposed Exempt List seeking to make the following modifications to the Recorder’s Exempt List attached as Exhibit A:
  - A. Add the title Chief of Human Resources, PID 9501876;
  - B. Add the title Special Assistant to the Recorder – Community Affairs, PID 0903543.

3. The job descriptions for these positions previously were prepared by the Recorder with the input and approval of the Recorder Compliance Administrator and Plaintiffs' counsel and provided to the Director of Compliance.

4. On December 1, 2015, the Director of Compliance advised the Recorder, the Recorder Compliance Administrator, and Plaintiffs' counsel that he had no objection to the proposed amendments.

5. On December 1, 2015, Counsel for the Recorder then provided these documents to the Recorder Compliance Administrator's Office and Plaintiffs' counsel and advised each of the approval by the Director of Compliance.

6. The Recorder Compliance Administrator and Plaintiffs' counsel have no objections to the proposed amendment.

4. The positions enumerated in the Recorder's Exempt List shall be filled pursuant to the Exempt List Hiring Process of the Recorder's Employment Plan.

WHEREFORE, for the foregoing reasons, the Recorder of Deeds respectfully requests that this Court enter the attached Order to Amend the Recorder's Exempt List.

Respectfully submitted,

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