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<b>SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES</b> STREET ADDRESS: 111 North Hill Street MAILING ADDRESS: 111 North Hill Street CITY AND ZIP CODE: Los Angeles, CA 90012 BRANCH NAME: Central District	
PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: TAMARA REASONER  DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: BDS NATURAL PRODUCTS, INC., et al.	CASE NUMBER: <b>BC676646</b>  JUDICIAL OFFICER: <b>HON. KENNETH FREEMAN</b>
<b>NOTICE OF RELATED CASE</b>	DEPT.: <b>310</b>

Identify, in chronological order according to date of filing, all cases related to the case referenced above.

1.
  - a. Title: TAMARA REASONER v. BDS NATURAL PRODUCTS, INC., et al.
  - b. Case number: BC680577
  - c. Court:  same as above  
 other state or federal court (name and address):
  - d. Department: 45
  - e. Case type:  limited civil  unlimited civil  probate  family law  other (specify):
  - f. Filing date: October 20, 2017
  - g. Has this case been designated or determined as "complex?"  Yes  No
  - h. Relationship of this case to the case referenced above (check all that apply):
    - involves the same parties and is based on the same or similar claims.
    - arises from the same or substantially identical transactions, incidents, or events requiring the determination of the same or substantially identical questions of law or fact.
    - involves claims against, title to, possession of, or damages to the same property.
    - is likely for other reasons to require substantial duplication of judicial resources if heard by different judges.
    - Additional explanation is attached in attachment 1h
  - i. Status of case:
    - pending
    - dismissed  with  without prejudice
    - disposed of by judgment
  
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  - a. Title:
  - b. Case number:
  - c. Court:  same as above  
 other state or federal court (name and address):
  - d. Department:

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- e. Case type:  limited civil  unlimited civil  probate  family law  other (specify):
- f. Filing date:
- g. Has this case been designated or determined as "complex?"  Yes  No
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4.  Additional related cases are described in Attachment 4. Number of pages attached: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: January 10, 2018

Radhika Sood  
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 (TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF PARTY OR ATTORNEY)



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 (SIGNATURE OF PARTY OR ATTORNEY)

PLAINTIFF/PETITIONER: TAMARA REASONER	CASE NUMBER: BC676646
DEFENDANT/RESPONDENT: BDS NATURAL PRODUCTS, INC., et al.	

**PROOF OF SERVICE BY FIRST-CLASS MAIL  
NOTICE OF RELATED CASE**

**(NOTE: You cannot serve the Notice of Related Case if you are a party in the action. The person who served the notice must complete this proof of service. The notice must be served on all known parties in each related action or proceeding.)**

1. I am at least 18 years old and **not a party to this action**. I am a resident of or employed In the county where the mailing took place, and my residence or business address is *(specify)*:
  
2. I served a copy of the *Notice of Related Case* by enclosing it in a sealed envelope with first-class postage fully prepaid and *(check one)*:
  - a.  deposited the sealed envelope with the United States Postal Service.
  - b.  placed the sealed envelope for collection and processing for mailing, following this business's usual practices, with which I am readily familiar. On the same day correspondence is placed for collection and mailing, it is deposited in the ordinary course of business with the United States Postal Service.
  
3. The *Notice of Related Case* was mailed:
  - a. on *(date)*:
  - b. from *(city and state)*:
  
4. The envelope was addressed and mailed as follows:

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| <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>a. Name of person served:</li> <br/> <li>Street address:</li> <br/> <li>City:</li> <br/> <li>State and zip code:</li> <br/><br/> <li>b. Name of person served:</li> <br/> <li>Street address:</li> <br/> <li>City:</li> <br/> <li>State and zip code:</li> </ol> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>c. Name of person served:</li> <br/> <li>Street address:</li> <br/> <li>City:</li> <br/> <li>State and zip code:</li> <br/><br/> <li>d. Name of person served:</li> <br/> <li>Street address:</li> <br/> <li>City:</li> <br/> <li>State and zip code:</li> </ol> |
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Names and addresses of additional persons served are attached. *(You may use form POS-030(P).)*

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date:

(TYPE OR PRINT NAME OF DECLARANT)	▶	(SIGNATURE OF DECLARANT)
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1 **PROOF OF SERVICE**

2 *Tamara Reasoner v. BDS Natural Products, Inc.*  
3 *Los Angeles Superior Court Case No. BC676646*

4 I am employed in the County of Orange, State of California. I am over the age of 18 and  
5 not a party to the within action; my business address is Rutan & Tucker, LLP, 611 Anton  
6 Boulevard, Fourteenth Floor, Costa Mesa, California 92626-1931.

7 On January 10, 2018, I served the following described as:

8 **NOTICE OF RELATED CASE**

9 I served the above document(s) on the person(s) below as follows:

10 **SEE ATTACHED SERVICE LIST**

11  **(BY U.S. MAIL)** I enclosed the above document(s) in an envelope or package addressed  
12 to the person(s) set forth above, or on the attached service list and placed the envelope for  
13 collection and mailing, following our ordinary business practices. I am readily familiar with the  
14 business's practice for collecting and processing correspondence for mailing. On the same day  
15 that correspondence is placed for collection and mailing, it is deposited in the ordinary course of  
16 business with the United States Postal Service, in a sealed envelope with postage fully prepaid.

17  **(BY MESSENGER)** I enclosed the above document(s) in an envelope or package  
18 addressed to the person(s) set forth above, or on the attached service list and provided the  
19 envelope to a professional messenger for service between the hours of 8am and 6pm. (The  
20 original declaration of service signed by the messenger is attached to our file copy of the above  
21 document(s), and can be provided upon request.)

22  **(BY FAX TRANSMISSION)** Based on an agreement of the parties to accept service by  
23 fax transmission, I caused the above document(s) to be faxed to the person(s)/fax number(s) set  
24 forth above, or on the attached service list. The fax number from which I caused the document(s)  
25 to be served is 714-546-9035. No error was reported by the fax machine and I caused the fax  
26 machine to print a record of the transmission, a copy of which is attached to our file copy of the  
27 above document(s), and can be provided upon request.

28  **(BY E-MAIL)** Based on a Court order or an agreement of the parties to accept electronic  
service, I caused the above document(s) to be sent to the person(s) at the e-mail address(es) set  
forth above, or on the attached service list.

**(BY OVERNIGHT DELIVERY)** I enclosed the above document(s) in an envelope or  
package provided by an overnight delivery carrier, addressed to the person(s) set forth above, or  
on the attached service list. I placed the envelope or package for collection and overnight delivery  
at an office or a regularly utilized drop box of the overnight delivery carrier.

**(STATE)** I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that  
the foregoing is true and correct.

EXECUTED on January 10, 2018, at Costa Mesa, California.



Pat Seward

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**SERVICE LIST**

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