**Electronically Filed** 7/18/2018 8:50 AM Steven D. Grierson **INFM** 1 **CLERK OF THE COURT** ADAM PAUL LAXALT 2 **Attorney General** Alissa Engler (Bar No. 11940) 3 Senior Deputy Attorney General State of Nevada 4 Office of the Attorney General 555 E. Washington Ave., Ste. 3900 5 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101-1068 6 P: (702) 486-5531 F: (702) 486-0660 aengler@ag.nv.gov Attorneys for the State of Nevada 8 9 **DISTRICT COURT** 10 CLARK COUNTY, STATE OF NEVADA 11 STATE OF NEVADA. Case No.: C-18-333369-1 12 Plaintiff, Dept. No.: 28 13 v. LORI JEAN ALLEN-COOK, ID #1177983 14 a.k.a. Lori Jean Cook, 15 Defendant. 16 17 **INFORMATION** 18 ADAM PAUL LAXALT, Attorney General for the State of Nevada, in the name and by the 19 authority of the State of Nevada, informs the Court: 20 The above-named defendant, LORI ALLEN-COOK, has committed the crime of one (1) count of 21 THEFT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,500 OR MORE, a category "B" felony in violation of NRS 205.0832. 22 All of the acts alleged herein have been committed or completed on or between October 11, 2013, and 23 August 14, 2014, by the above-named defendant, within the County of Clark, State of Nevada, in the 24 following manner: 25 **COUNT 1** THEFT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,500 OR MORE 26 Category "B" Felony - NRS 205.0832 27 The defendant, LORI ALLEN-COOK, in the County of Clark, State of Nevada, committed the 28 crime of Theft by knowingly acting without lawful authority to control the property of another person with

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the intent to deprive that person of the property; and/or did convert, make an unauthorized transfer of an interest in, or control property of another person placed in her possession for a limited, authorized use, to wit:

On or between October 11, 2013, and August 14, 2014, the Defendant, as operator of Nevada Short Sale Services, LLC and/or Citywide Closing Services, facilitated a short sale of real property located at 5132 Mountain Foliage in Clark County, Nevada, between buyer, LV Homes, LLC; sellers, Christopher and Yun Coyer; and the holders of mortgage notes secured by said property, Countrywide and Wells Fargo Bank. Countrywide and its successor in interest, Bank of New York Mellon, contracted with Select Portfolio Servicing for purposes of closing escrow. As the operator of Nevada Short Sale Services, LLC and/or Citywide Closing Services, Defendant received escrow funds of approximately \$854,599.50, of which \$3,500.00 or more lawfully belonged to Christopher and Yun Coyer and/or Select Portfolio Servicing and/or Countrywide and/or Bank of New York Mellon, with said funds to be held in the Bank of George account ending in 1156 pending the close of escrow of a said real property. Rather than distributing said funds; however, Defendant converted \$773,337.76 from the bank account, of which \$3,500.00 or more belonged to Christopher and Yun Coyer, and/or Select Portfolio Servicing and/or Countrywide and/or Bank of New York Mellon and used the money to fund a series of personal transactions, thereby depriving Christopher and Yun Coyer, and/or Select Portfolio Servicing and/or Countrywide and/or Bank of New York Mellon of the money.

All of which constitutes the crime of THEFT IN THE AMOUNT OF \$3,500.00 OR MORE, a category "B" felony in violation of NRS 205.0832(1).

Said Complainant makes this declaration under penalty of perjury.

DATED this 18th day of July, 2018.

SUBMITTED BY: ADAM PAUL LAXALT Attorney General

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