CAUSE NO. 2017-25871

3S Real Estate Investments, LLC,	§	IN THE DISTRICT COURT
Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
v.	§	OF HARRIS COUNTY, TEXAS
	§	
Richard Hernandez a/k/a Rick Hernandez,	§	
Defendant.	§	165th JUDICIAL DISTRICT

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Before me, the undersigned notary, on this day personally appeared Barry M. Hammond, Jr., the affiant, whose identity is known to me. After I administered an oath, affiant testified as follows:

- 1. "My name is Barry M. Hammond, Jr. I am over 18 years of age, of sound mind, and capable of making this affidavit. The facts stated in this affidavit are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.
 - 2. "I am the attorney for the Plaintiff in this case.
- 3. "I acquired personal knowledge of these facts by representing the Plaintiff in the abovecaptioned case.
- 4. "I have read Plaintiff's Second Motion for Substitute Service of Process, and the facts stated in it are within my personal knowledge and are true and correct.
 - 5. "The Defendant in the suit is Richard Hernandez.
- 6. "Defendant cannot be located. Several diligent attempts have been made to locate and personally serve Defendant but all attempts have been unsuccessful. In an effort to be diligent in searching for Defendant, Plaintiff attempted service at recent work locations, offices, suspected home addresses and Plaintiff's agents spoke to Defendant by phone but were unable to locate Defendant."

Barry M. Hammond, Jr.

Sworn to and subscribed before me by Barry M. Hammond, Jr. on Dec 26th, 2018.

Notary Public in and for

the State of Texas