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UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY APPELLATE PANEL OF THE NINTH CIRCUIT

CV18-10675-RGK

In re: VERITY HEALTH SYSTEM OF CALIFORNIA, INC., *et al.*, Debtors and Debtors In Possession.	BAP. No. CC-18-1322 Bk. No. 2:18-bk-20151-ER **APPELLEE VERITY HEALTH SYSTEM OF CALIFORNIA, INC.'S STATEMENT OF ELECTION TO TRANSFER APPEAL TO THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**
OFFICIAL COMMITTEE OF UNSECURED CREDITORS OF VERITY HEALTH SYSTEM OF CALIFORNIA, INC., et al., Appellant, v. VERITY HEALTH SYSTEM OF CALIFORNIA, INC., et al., Appellees.	

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 158(c)(1), Rule 8001 of the Federal Rules of Bankruptcy Procedure, and Local Bankruptcy Rule 8001-1, Verity Health System of California, Inc., and its affiliated entities (Debtors and "Appellees"), hereby files its Statement of Election to transfer this Appeal from the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel of the Ninth Circuit (the "BAP") to the United States District Court for the Central District of California.

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The Debtors hereby elect to transfer this appeal to the United States District Court for the Central District of California.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 19, 2018, I electronically filed the foregoing documents entitled: **APPELLEE VERITY HEALTH SYSTEM OF CALIFORNIA, INC.'S STATEMENT OF ELECTION TO TRANSFER APPEAL TO THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA** with the Clerk of the Court for the Bankruptcy Appellate Panel for the Ninth Circuit by using the CM/ECF system.

I further certify that parties of record to this appeal who either are registered CM/ECF users, or who have registered for electronic notice, or who have consented in writing to electronic service, will be served through the CM/ECF system.

I declare that I have been retained by a member of the bar of this Court at whose direction this service was made.

I hereby certify under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on December 19, 2018, at Los Angeles, California.

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