

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT**

STATE OF WASHINGTON, et al.

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

v.

DONALD J. TRUMP, President of the
United States, et al, Defendant-Appellants

No: 17-35105

D.C. No. 2:17-cv-00141-JLR
Western District of Washington

**TECHNOLOGY START-UPS *AMICI* JOINDER
IN PROPOSED *AMICI CURIAE* BRIEF
FILED BY THE TECHNOLOGY COMPANIES**

The technology and other start-up entities listed below (the “Start-Ups *Amici*”) respectfully join as supplemental *Amici* in the *Amici Curiae* Brief filed by the Technology Companies and Other Businesses at Docket 19-1 in support of Appellees:

- Alta Plana Corporation
- Amitree Inc.
- Bright Idea Energy Solutions Inc.
- Cognitive Computing Consortium
- iCouldBe.Org Inc.

- Indico Inc.
- JP Linguistics Inc.
- Lending Robot Inc.
- Loop AI Labs Inc.
- The Kitchens Inc., DBA Forkable
- The Social Edge Inc.
- TwoToTango Inc.
- Unitive Inc.
- Vital AI LLC

Start-up companies contribute substantially to this country's economic prosperity and growth potential and for reasons similar to those already set forth by the Technology Companies in their *Amici* Brief, start-ups are especially affected by the immigration order at issue. Many start-up companies are founded by, and rely heavily on the hard work of immigrants. Orders of the type at issue here cause immediate harm to technology companies, their employees and their families, and the competitiveness of the United States in the global market for innovation. In many instances, the technological innovation driven by U.S. start-ups contributes not only to the national prosperity but also to the national security. Implementation of the immigration order at issue thus has the potential to harm the country's security as well as its prosperity. Accordingly, the Start-Ups *Amici* join the

Technology Companies *Amici* in their Brief filed in support of Appellees in the above captioned proceeding and respectfully urge this Court to uphold Judge Robart's ruling.

Pursuant to 26.1(a) and 29(a)(4)(A), the Start-Ups *Amici* respectfully provide their corporate disclosure statement in the attached Exhibit 1.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT 1

CORPORATE DISCLOSURE OF TECHNOLOGY AND OTHER START-UPS *AMICI*

1.	Alta Plana Corporation has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
2.	Amitree Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
3.	Bright Idea Energy Solutions Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
4.	Cognitive Computing Consortium has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
5.	iCouldBe.Org, Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
6.	Indico Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
7.	JP Linguistics Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
8.	Lending Robot Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
9.	Loop AI Labs Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
10.	The Kitchens Inc, DBA Forkable, has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
11.	The Social Edge Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
12.	TwoToTango Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
13.	Unitive Inc. has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.
14.	Vital AI LLC has no parent corporation and no publicly held corporation owns 10% or more of its stock.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court for the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit by using the appellate CM/ECF system on February 7, 2017. Participants in the case who are registered CM/ECF users will be served by the appellate CM/ECF system.

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*On behalf of Start-Ups
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