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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

Juweiya Abdiaziz ALI; A.F.A., a minor; Reema
Khaled DAHMAN; G.E., a minor; Ahmed
Mohammed Ahmed ALI; E.A., a minor; on
behalf of themselves as individuals and on
behalf of others similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

v.

Donald TRUMP, President of the United States
of America; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE;
Tom SHANNON, Acting Secretary of State;
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND
SECURITY; John F. KELLY, Secretary of
Homeland Security; U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND
IMMIGRATION SERVICES; Lori
SCIALABBA, Acting Director of USCIS;
OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF NATIONAL
INTELLIGENCE; Michael DEMPSEY, Acting
Director of National Intelligence,

Defendants.

Case No.: 2:17-cv-00135-JLR

**DECLARATION OF AZIN SAFARI
IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS**

1 I, Azin SAFARI, declare under penalty of perjury as follows:

2 1. I am a United States citizen and I moved to the United States on July 3, 2011 on an
3 immigrant visa through marriage when I was 23 years old from Iran. I became a U.S. citizen on
4 May 28, 2015. I currently live in Westminster, Colorado and work as a programmer for a
5 marketing company.

6 2. My parents live in Iran and miss us terribly every day. They once went through getting a
7 tourism visa and came to visit us in 2013. Due to the fact that there is no U.S. embassy in Iran, it
8 cost my parents thousands of dollars to travel to Austria, stay in a hotel, and go for their
9 interview. After 18 months of waiting for the application processing, they finally got their
10 visitor's visa to come to the U.S. and visit us for 3 months.

11 3. When they were returning back to Iran, my father humbly told me that he really could not
12 afford these kinds of pressures at this age financially and emotionally. Because the whole
13 process of traveling would be so exhausting and frustrating for them to go through again, my
14 father was hesitant to visit again.

15 4. After my naturalization on May 28, 2015, I decided to immediately apply for my parents'
16 green cards so they could travel one last time and they could remain in the U.S. with me. I sent
17 my petition to USCIS in July, 2015.

18 5. We received their welcome letters from NVC in January 2016. This time, my mother
19 was referred to the Emirates embassy and my father was referred to Turkey embassy for a
20 consular interview. Since they didn't want to travel separately, I had to request for both to be
21 interviewed in one country/embassy. It took another 5 months for the National Visa Center to
22 change the location and update my mother's location of interview to Ankara, Turkey.

23 6. My parents were scheduled for a consular interview in Ankara, Turkey on September 30,
24 2016. My mother got her visa immediately after the interview. However, they requested for 2
25 supporting documents from my father to issue his visa which is still under processing.

7. Although my mother had a valid visa issued on October 6, 2016, she bought her ticket for March 7, 2017 with the hope that my father can get his visa during this time and join her. Her immigrant visa expiration date was noted as March 28, 2017 so we were certain she had plenty of time. She was so excited every single day to finally see us.

8. A week after their interview, I realized I'm pregnant. I decided to surprise my parents when they arrive here so I kept it a secret. We were certain that at least my mother will be with us to help us when the baby arrives. Hence, we put all our life plans based on her arrival by March 2017.

9. On Friday, January 29, 2017, we heard the cruel news. My mother's visa was revoked. After 2 years of waiting and fighting to make everything work, with a baby on the way, it ruined our entire life plan. After 90 days of suspension, her visa will expire and all the hard work will turn into ashes.

10. After a few shocking hours, I started calling Custom and border Protection and Denver international airport to see if the order is effective yet or if we had some time left. I was willingly ready to do whatever I could to bring her here before the executive order became effective.

11. CBP informed that they don't have any order yet and Denver Airport informed us that they haven't heard the news yet and they will process all valid visas since they currently are not advised about any order. Also Lufthansa airline cooperated and changed my mother's ticket to Saturday 1/30. She packed a baggage and got ready to go to the airport in 2 hours.

12. But at the airport, they informed her that her ticket is voided by Lufthansa airline and all flights from Iran to the U.S. are blocked by the airlines because *they JUST received the order.*

13. My parents still don't know that they have a grandchild on the way. The great news will be a sad one for them now since they know they are not able to see the baby anytime soon.

14. All the joy in our lives is gone by an immature decision and a rolling pen on a paper.

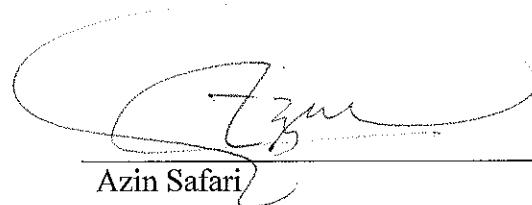
I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is

1 true and correct to the best of my information, knowledge, and belief.
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3 Executed on this 2nd day of February, 2017, in Westminster, Colorado.
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