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 8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 9 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 MELINDA AVILA, GRETTEL LORENZO, )  
 11 ALFREDO LORENZO, and JOSE )  
 LORENZO, )

CASE NO.: 1:15-cv-00996-JAM-GSA

12 Plaintiffs, )

13 v. )

14 STATE OF CALIFORNIA; COUNTY OF )  
 15 MADERA; RICHARD GONZALES; )  
 16 PAUL VARNER; GUY RICH and DOES )  
 3 through 100, inclusive, )

**REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL OF  
 PLAINTIFFS' FOURTH CAUSE OF  
 ACTION IN ITS ENTIRETY AND  
 FIFTH CAUSE OF ACTION AS TO  
 THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA AND  
 THE COUNTY OF MADERA; AND  
 ORDER THEREON**

17 Defendants. )

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 19 **TO THE ABOVE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, THE CLERK OF THE**  
 20 **COURT IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED ACTION AND ALL PARTIES HEREIN:**

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 22 Plaintiffs MELINDA AVILA, GRETTEL LORENZO, ALFREDO LORENZO, and  
 23 JOSE LORENZO request dismissal of the Fourth Cause of Action of their Third Amended  
 24 Complaint in its entirety and dismissal of the Fifth Cause of Action of their Third  
 25 Amended Complaint as against defendants, State of California and County of Madera,  
 26 only. The remainder of the Fifth Cause of Action remains as alleged against CHP Officer  
 27 Paul Varner and Deputy Sheriff Richard Gonzales.

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 Request for Dismissal of Plaintiffs' Fourth COA in Its Entirety and Fifth COA  
 As Against the State of California and County of Madera Only

