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12 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
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15 **RICHARD M. GILMAN, et al.,** )

16 Plaintiffs, )

17 v. )

18 **ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, et** )  
 19 **al.,** )

20 Defendants. )

No. Civ. S 05-830 LKK GGH

**ORDER TO SEAL DOCUMENTS**

**Judge: Hon. LAWRENCE K. KARLTON**


21 On April 6, 2011, the Court ruled orally on Plaintiffs' request to seal documents (CR  
 22 #333). This order memorializes that ruling. The request is GRANTED as to Pages BPH 75  
 23 to 3555, because the Court finds a compelling reason that outweighs the general history of  
 24 access and the public policies favoring disclosure, namely, that the documents include  
 25 sensitive medical records such as psychological evaluations. See, e.g., BPH 160-168, 205-  
 26 206, 235-245, 258, 564-572, 774-776, 821-831, 1118-1120, 1423-1435, 1595-1607. The  
 27 Clerk of the Court is directed to file and maintain these documents under seal indefinitely,  
 28 permitting access only to officers and employees of the court, and court reporters where

1 disclosure is necessary.

2 No compelling reasons, however, were presented to support the sealing of Pages  
3 BPH 1-69, which are training materials regarding petitions for advance hearings, and  
4 therefore the request to seal as to those pages is DENIED. Excerpts from these pages shall  
5 be filed in the public docket as Exhibits 38 to 42.

6 Dated: April 13, 2011

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8 Approved as to form:

  
LAWRENCE K. KARLTON  
SENIOR JUDGE  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

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