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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
SACRAMENTO DIVISION

**THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**  
  
Plaintiff,  
  
v.  
  
**THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA; EDMUND  
GERALD BROWN JR., Governor of  
California, in his official capacity; and  
XAVIER BECERRA, Attorney General of  
California, in his official capacity,**  
  
Defendants.

Case No. 2:18-cv-00490-JAM-KJN

**ORDER GRANTING STIPULATED  
REQUEST TO UNSEAL DOCUMENTS**

Judge: Honorable John A. Mendez

1 After consideration of the Stipulated Request to Unseal Documents and all documents  
2 submitted therewith, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Stipulated Request is **GRANTED**. The  
3 Court finds that there are no compelling reasons to keep the documents attached as Exhibits M  
4 through S of the Amended Declaration of Cherokee Melton in Support of Defendants' Opposition  
5 to Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction (ECF No. 83-2) under seal in their entirety. On  
6 October 12, 2018, California lodged with the Court a set of Exhibits M through S with agreed-  
7 upon redactions by the parties. The Court finds that there are compelling reasons to keep  
8 confidential the following sensitive or private information, which should be redacted:

- 9 • The name, phone number, and email address for an individual who is not a signatory,  
10 set forth at Exhibit S at p. 380<sup>1</sup> (Bates No. USvCA\_Homan\_Depo001361)
- 11 • Sensitive law enforcement information regarding firearms, body armor, and security,  
12 set forth at Exhibit O at pp. 138-39 (Bates No. USvCA\_Homan\_Depo001242-  
13 1243); Exhibit Q at p. 251 (Bates No. USvCA\_Homan\_Depo001017-1018); Exhibit  
14 S at p. 385 (Bates No. USvCA\_Homan\_Depo001366)
- 15 • Proprietary information, set forth at Exhibit N at pp. 37-38, 40; Exhibit R at pp. 253-  
16 54, 258, 297-379 (Bates No. USvCA\_Homan\_Depo001421-001422, 001432,  
17 001590)

18 The Court also orders Defendants to file a Second Amended Declaration of Cherokee  
19 Melton in Support of Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiff's Motion for Preliminary Injunction  
20 with Exhibits M through S unsealed and redacted consistent with this order.

21 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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23 Dated: 10/15/2018

23 /s/ John A. Mendez  
24 The Honorable John A. Mendez  
25 United States District Judge

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28 <sup>1</sup> The page numbers referenced in connection with each exhibit refers to the page numbers reflected on the original documents submitted to the Court under seal on May 4, 2018.