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11 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
12 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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15 **THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,**

16 **Plaintiff,**

17 v.
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19 **THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA; EDMUND**
20 **GERALD BROWN JR., Governor of**
California, in his official capacity; and
21 **XAVIER BECERRA, Attorney General of**
California, in his official capacity,

22 **Defendants.**
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Case No. 2:18-cv-00490-JAM-KJN

**DECLARATION OF DIANA CARBAJAL
IN SUPPORT OF DEFENDANTS'
OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S
MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY
INJUNCTION**

Judge: Honorable John A. Mendez
Action Filed: March 6, 2018

1 I, Diana Carbajal, declare as follows:

2 1. I am a resident of the State of California. I have personal knowledge of the facts
3 set forth in this declaration. If called as a witness, I could and would testify competently to the
4 matters set forth below.

5 2. I am familiar with Senate Bill 54 ("SB 54"), California Government Code section
6 7282 *et seq.*, which I understand is being challenged in this case. Moreover, I have reviewed the
7 Amended Declaration of Thomas Homan filed in this matter on April 2, 2018 (ECF No. 46-2). I
8 recognize his description of events in paragraph 78 of his Amended Declaration to refer to a
9 request for extradition that was made by Los Angeles County. My declaration provides a true and
10 accurate account of the events connected with that request.

11 3. I am currently employed as a Deputy District Attorney, Extradition Services
12 Coordinator at the Los Angeles District Attorney's Office. I have served as a Deputy District
13 Attorney in that section for over thirteen (13) years, and have served as Coordinator of that
14 section for three (3). My responsibilities as Coordinator include making and supervising
15 extradition requests to the Office of International Affairs ("OIA") within the United States
16 Department of Justice for fugitives to be extradited to the United States to face prosecution for
17 charges pending in Los Angeles County. Over the course of my career, I have made hundreds of
18 requests for extradition to OIA.

19 4. Based on my experience, after a foreign country orders the extradition of a foreign
20 national fugitive to the United States, OIA then requests parole entry for that individual from
21 Homeland Security Investigations in Immigration and Customs Enforcement ("ICE/HSI") within
22 the Department of Homeland Security.

23 5. On April 6, 2017, an attorney with Los Angeles County submitted an extradition
24 request to OIA for a Guatemalan national ("Charged Individual") who my office charged with
25 multiple counts of child abuse. On July 28, 2017, the Charged Individual was arrested in
26 Guatemala pursuant to Los Angeles County's request for provisional arrest. The Los Angeles
27 County District Attorney was notified immediately thereafter. On September 30, 2017, I began to
28 personally handle this request for extradition.

1 6. On August 15, 2017, Los Angeles County received confirmation that the Charged
2 Individual consented to extradition. The Charged Individual's surrender to the United States was
3 later scheduled for December 7, 2017.

4 7. On December 5, 2017, I was informed by a representative with OIA that ICE/HSI
5 would not grant parole entry for the Charged Individual unless Los Angeles County provided
6 written assurances that Los Angeles County would comply with an ICE detainer on the Charged
7 Individual. This was the first time in my career that I was ever asked to provide any assurances in
8 order for a request for extradition to be granted. [REDACTED]

9 [REDACTED]
10 8. [REDACTED]
11 [REDACTED]
12 [REDACTED] On December 11, 2017, I similarly signed a letter to ICE/HSI directly requesting parole
13 entry for the Charged Individual, and offering to make all efforts to cooperate with ICE/HSI to
14 return the person back to Guatemala upon release as permitted by law. I also communicated
15 those assurances directly to Deputy Assistant Director for ICE/HSI during a telephone conference
16 on or about December 8, 2017.

17 9. During the phone conference on December 8, 2017, the Deputy Assistant Director
18 for ICE/HIS told me that notwithstanding those assurances, ICE/HSI would reject Los Angeles
19 County's request for parole entry of the Charged Individual.

20 10. For the next two months, I continued to work with OIA in an attempt to facilitate
21 Los Angeles County's extradition request. On February 9, 2018, Los Angeles County sent a
22 second letter to ICE/HSI requesting extradition of the Charged Individual. In that letter, Los
23 Angeles County agreed to make four assurances: [REDACTED]

24 [REDACTED]
25 [REDACTED]
26 [REDACTED]
27 [REDACTED]

1 [REDACTED] My understanding is that
2 the assurances that Los Angeles County agreed to are consistent with SB 54.

3 11. On or about February 20, 2018, OIA notified me that ICE/HSI granted parole entry
4 for the Charged Individual based on the assurances Los Angeles County made in the February 9
5 letter. On February 27, 2018, the charged person entered the country and was placed in the
6 custody of Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department.

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8 I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States that the foregoing is
9 true and correct and that this declaration was executed on April 25, 2018 in Los Angeles,
10 California.

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