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3 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
4 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

5 JANE DOE,

No. C 07-05596 SI

No. C 08-02541 SI

6 Plaintiff,

7 v.

**ORDER GRANTING IN PART
PLAINTIFF'S MOTION TO SEAL**

8 COUNTY OF SAN MATEO, *et al.*,

9 Defendants.

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11 Plaintiff has filed a motion for this Court to place papers filed by defendant County of San Mateo
12 under seal. The County of San Mateo filed a motion to dismiss plaintiff's complaint on January 16,
13 2009. In support of the motion, the County of San Mateo filed a declaration by David Levy. Exhibit
14 C to Mr. Levy's declaration is a document that contains plaintiff's name, address, and telephone
15 number. This information should clearly have been filed under seal pursuant to the protective order in
16 these cases. Accordingly, the Court GRANTS plaintiff's motion, to the extent she requests that Exhibit
17 C to Mr. Levy's declaration (Docket No. 187, 07-5596; Docket No. 163, 08-2541) be removed from the
18 public docket and placed under seal.

19 Plaintiff also requests that the Court sanction the County of San Mateo for placing this
20 information on the public docket. The Court finds no evidence of bad faith by defendant. Indeed, the
21 County of San Mateo simultaneously filed a motion to place Exhibit C under seal, and the Court
22 presumes defendant's filing of this document on the public document was an oversight. Accordingly,
23 the Court finds that no sanctions are warranted. In light of the sensitive nature of the underlying
24 incident in this case, the Court exhorts all defendants to take utmost care to comply with the protective
25 order in the future.

26 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

27 Dated: 1/21/09



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SUSAN ILLSTON
United States District Judge