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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

KRISTIN M. PERRY, SANDRA B. STIER,
 PAUL T. KATAMI, and JEFFREY J.
 ZARRILLO,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, in his official
 capacity as Governor of California; EDMUND
 G. BROWN, JR., in his official capacity as
 Attorney General of California; MARK B.
 HORTON, in his official capacity as Director of
 the California Department of Public Health and
 State Registrar of Vital Statistics; LINETTE
 SCOTT, in her official capacity as Deputy
 Director of Health Information & Strategic

CASE NO. 09-CV-2292 VRW

**DECLARATION IN SUPPORT OF
 DEFENDANT-INTERVENORS'
 MOTION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE
 LEAVE TO EXCEED PAGE
 LIMITATIONS**

Date: October 14, 2009

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Judge: Chief Judge Vaughn R. Walker

Location: Courtroom 6, 17th Floor

Planning for the California Department of Public Health; PATRICK O'CONNELL, in his official capacity as Clerk-Recorder for the County of Alameda; and DEAN C. LOGAN, in his official capacity as Registrar-Recorder/County Clerk for the County of Los Angeles,

Defendants,

and

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I, Nicole Jo Moss, pursuant to Civil Local Rule 7-11(a), declare as follows in support of Defendant-Intervenors' ("the Proponents") Motion to Exceed Page Limitations.

1. Although counsel for Proponents reached out by phone and email on September 9, 2009 to the other parties in this case in an effort to reach a stipulated agreement allowing the additional pages requested in Proponents' Motion to Exceed Page Limitations, not all parties would agree. Specifically, counsel for the County of Los Angeles, counsel for the Administration Defendants,

and counsel for the Alameda County Clerk-Recorder all indicated they have no objection to this motion. Counsel for the Attorney General takes no position on Proponents' Motion. Counsel for Plaintiffs and counsel for Plaintiff-Intervenors, the City and County of San Francisco, however, have indicated their objection to Proponents' proposal to exceed the page limitations and submit a 100 page Summary Judgment Brief.

2. Proponents have attached as an exhibit to their Motion to Exceed Page Limitations a copy of their proposed Summary Judgment Brief and have asked the Court to deem it filed as of today, September 9, 2009. In support of this request, I note the following:

i. As articulated in Proponents' Motion to Exceed Page Limitations, this case is of momentous importance: at stake is the constitutionality of Proposition 8, an amendment to the California Constitution reestablishing the traditional definition of marriage as the union of a man and a woman. A ruling invalidating Proposition 8 would no doubt likewise doom similar provisions governing the institution of marriage in 43 other states and the federal government. The Court has already recognized that this case touches on "serious questions" that demand careful consideration. Failure to grant Proponents' motion for an enlargement of the page limit will deprive the Court of valuable legal argument and analysis of the indisputably important issues in this case.

ii. No party will be prejudiced by the request to deem the brief filed as of today because every party will have been served with a copy of the Proponents' summary judgment motion as an exhibit to Proponents' Motion to Exceed Page Limitations.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this Declaration was executed in Michigan on September 9, 2009.



Nicole Jo Moss, Esq.