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7 8	Attorneys for Defendant United States Internal Revenue Service	
9	IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
10	THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA	
11	SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION	
12	PUBLIC.RESOURCE.ORG., a California non-) Case No. 13-cv-02789-WHO	
13) DECLARATION OF STEPHEN S. HO	
14	Plaintiff,	
15	V.)	
16	UNITED STATES INTERNAL REVENUE) SERVICE,)	
17) Defendant.	
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19	I, Stephen S. Ho, declare:	
20	1. I am a trial attorney with the Tax Division of the United States Department of	
21	Justice in Washington, D.C.	
21	2. In that position, I am responsible for representing the interests of the United States	
22	in the above-captioned action.	
23	3. I am writing this declaration from my own personal knowledge and in support of	
24	Defendant's Administrative Motion for Leave to File Sur-Reply.	
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1	4. On August 25, 2015, I contacted counsel for Plaintiff Public.Resource.Org to
2	inquire whether Plaintiff would stipulate or consent to Defendant's filing of a sur-reply regarding
3	its request for fees on fees. Counsel responded that Plaintiff would not so stipulate or consent.
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5	Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true
6	and correct.
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8	Executed on August 26, 2015 in Washington, D.C.
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10	<u>/s/ Stephen S. Ho</u> STEPHEN S. HO
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