RELIGIOUS ORGANIZATIONS; PROPOSED ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO WITHDRAW; 19-cv-00872, 19-cv-00892

State of Californ a et al v. Trump et al

Dod. 148

NOTICE OF MOTION

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Zachary Kolodin, of Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP, 1133 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10036-6710, respectfully seeks leave of the Court, as required by Local R. 11-5(a) and Cal. R. Prof. Conduct 3-700, to withdraw as counsel for *amici curiae* 58 Religious Organizations.

MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL FOR AMICI CURIAE

Zachary Kolodin hereby notifies the parties and the Court of his intent to withdraw as counsel *pro hac vice* for *amici curiae* 58 Religious Organizations. For each of the following reasons, the relief requested herein is just and proper:

- 1. In a May 9, 2019, the Court granted Mr. Kolodin leave to appear *pro hac vice* in *State* of California, et al. v. Trump, 4:19-cv-872-HSG (Dkt. 133);
- 2. In a May 14, 2019 Order, the Court granted Mr. Kolodin leave to appear *pro hac vice* in *Sierra Club*, *et al.*, *v. Trump*, 4:19-cv-892-HSG (Dkt. 126);
- 3. Mr. Kolodin has represented *amici curiae* as part of his employment at Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP. As of May 17, 2019, Mr. Kolodin will no longer be employed in that capacity;
- 4. Patterson Belknap Webb & Tyler LLP attorneys Steven A. Zalesin, Adeel A. Mangi, and Amir Badat, and attorneys Gary Lafayette and Brian Chun of Lafayette and Kumagai LLP, also represent *amici curiae* and will continue to do so.
- 5. Mr. Kolodin's withdrawal will not cause any prejudice or delay. All parties have counsel actively representing them, and none will require any additional to review or acclimate to the absence of Mr. Kolodin as counsel *pro hac vice*.

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1	6.	Given the routine nature of	of this motion, as well as the substantial burden to all parties
2	in travelling and attending a hearing, Mr. Kolodin respectfully requests that the Court waive oral		
3	argument.		
4	THEREFORE, Zachary Kolodin respectfully requests that the Court waive oral argument,		
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6	grant him leave to withdraw as counsel <i>pro hac vice</i> in the above-captioned matter, and enter an		
7	order so stati	ng.	
8	Dated:	New York, New York May 15, 2019	
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on May 15, 2019, I caused the foregoing to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which sent notification of such filing to all registered attorneys of record.

/s/ Zachary Kolodin

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Attorney for Amici Curiae 58 Religious Organizations

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