## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

JAMES L. SHERLEY, et al.,	)
Plaintiffs,	)
v.	) Case No. 1:09-cv-01575-RCL
KATHLEEN SEBELIUS, in her official	)
capacity as Secretary of the Department of	)
Health and Human Services, et al.,	)
	)
Defendants.	)

## **MOTION TO DISMISS**

Defendants respectfully move to dismiss the plaintiffs' Complaint pursuant to Federal Rules of Civil Procedure 12(b)(1) and 12(b)(6). In support of this Motion, defendants respectfully refer the Court to the accompanying Memorandum of Law. A proposed order is also attached.

Dated: September 14, 2009 Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on September 14, 2009, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion and the attached Memorandum in Support, Proposed Order, and accompanying Exhibit to be served on Plaintiffs' counsel electronically by means of the Court's ECF system.

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