

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF HAWAI'I

STATE OF HAWAI'I and ISMAIL
ELSHIKH,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official capacity
as President of the United States; U.S.
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND
SECURITY; JOHN F. KELLY, in his official
capacity as Secretary of Homeland Security;
U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE; REX
TILLERSON, in his official capacity as
Secretary of State; and the UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:17-cv-00050-
DKW-KJM

SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF
GEORGE SZIGETI

EXHIBIT B-1

SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION OF GEORGE SZIGETI

I, GEORGE SZIGETI, do declare and would competently testify as follows.

1. I am the President and Chief Executive Officer of the Hawaii Tourism Authority (HTA). I have served in this role since May 2015. From 2012 to 2015, I was the President and CEO of the Hawaii Lodging and Tourism Association, a private organization of Hawaii tourism industry leaders, which represents over 700 lodging properties and businesses across the State.
2. The HTA was established in 1998 as the lead state agency for Hawaii's tourism industry. The HTA is the state agency charged with the research, development, and fostering of tourism in Hawai'i. HTA's mission is to strategically manage Hawai'i tourism in a sustainable manner consistent with economic goals, cultural values, preservation of natural resources, community desires, and visitor industry needs.
3. This declaration supplements the information in my earlier declaration, dated February 2, 2017.
4. HTA maintains data regarding visitor arrivals and total visitor spending for various regions around the world.
5. The data maintained by our agency shows that 278 visitors arrived from the Middle East in January 2017. This is a decrease from 348 visitors from the same region in January 2016. The January 2017 data is estimated at present.

6. As our data is maintained, the region Middle East includes Iran, Syria, and Yemen.
7. The data maintained by our agency also shows that 89 visitors arrived from Africa during January 2017. This is a decrease from 141 visitors who arrived from Africa in January 2016. The January 2017 data is estimated at present.
8. As our data is maintained, the region Africa includes Libya, Somalia, and Sudan.
9. HTA also maintains data about the reasons why visitors come to Hawaii, such as vacation, business, or to visit family and friends.
10. Our data shows that in 2016, Hawai'i hosted more than 8.8 million visitors by air. Of these over 8.8 million visitors, approximately 5.4 million visitors came from elsewhere in the United States; 1.5 million came from Japan; 478,000 came from Canada; 443,000 came from other Asian countries; 399,000 came from Oceania (including Australia and New Zealand); 142,000 came from Europe; 26,000 came from Latin America; and another 325,000 came from the rest of the world (including the Middle East and Africa).
11. Of the 8.8 million total visitors who came to Hawai'i in 2016, 8.2% of them (more than 720,000) came to visit family and friends here. Of the 325,000 visitors who came to Hawai'i in 2016 from the areas of the globe that include

the Middle East and Africa, 12.3% of them (nearly 40,000) came to visit family and friends here.

12. Our data shows that in 2015, Hawai'i hosted more than 8.5 million visitors by air. Of these over 8.5 million visitors, approximately 5.3 million visitors came from elsewhere in the United States; 1.5 million came from Japan; 512,000 came from Canada; 393,000 came from other Asian countries; 399,000 came from Oceania (including Australia and New Zealand); 145,000 came from Europe; 28,000 came from Latin America; and another 290,000 came from the rest of the world (including the Middle East and Africa).
13. Of the 8.5 million visitors who came to Hawai'i in 2015, 8.4% of them (more than 717,000) came to visit family and friends here. Of the 290,000 visitors who came from the areas of the globe that include the Middle East and Africa, 11.9% of them (around 34,000) came to visit family and friends here.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on 4th of March, 2017, in Honolulu, Hawaii.


George Szigeti