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JOINT STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER AND JUDGMENT

Petitioners Aaron Agenbroad, Jaime Rojas, Thomas L. Robinson, and Lori Ballard Hupp (collectively "Petitioners"), and Respondents Secretary of State Alex Padilla and Attorney General Xavier Becerra (collectively "Respondents"), by and through their respective counsel, hereby stipulate as follows:

WHEREAS, on August 28, 2020, Respondent Secretary of State chaptered Senate Bill 793 as Statutes 2020, Chapter 34 (hereinafter "SB 793");

WHEREAS, absent a referendum filed against it, SB 793 would ordinarily take effect on January 1, 2021 (Cal. Const. art IV, § 8, subd. (c)(2));

WHEREAS, on or before November 24, 2020, a referendum petition was timely filed with county elections officials seeking to place SB 793 on the statewide ballot for approval or rejection by the voters;

WHEREAS, if the proponents of the SB 793 referendum present petitions certified to include at least 623,212 valid signatures, Respondent Secretary of State will submit the measure at the next general election held at least 31 days after it qualifies or at a special statewide election held prior to that general election (see Cal. Const. art II, § 9, subds. (b), (c));

WHEREAS, on December 7, 2020, Respondent Secretary of State notified county elections officials that the proponents of the SB 793 referendum have filed petitions containing more than 623,212 signatures, and directed county officials to proceed with the signature verification process (Elec. Code, § 9030);

WHEREAS, Petitioners and Respondents agree the Secretary of State's notification that the proponents of SB 793 referendum petition have filed with county elections officials petitions containing more than 623,212 signatures suspended the effective date of SB 793 until either the referendum petition is determined by the Secretary of State to contain an insufficient number of valid signatures; or if the referendum petition is verified as containing a sufficient number of valid signatures to qualify for the ballot, until SB 793 is approved by voters;

## IT IS THEREFORE AGREED AND STIPULATED as follows:

1. SB 793 shall not take effect on January 1, 2021.

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## [FROPOSED] ORDER AND JUDGMENT

The Court has reviewed the foregoing Stipulation for Order and Judgment submitted by the Parties and, good cause appearing,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED that the Stipulation for Order and Judgment be, and hereby is, the Order and Judgment of this Court.

DATED: December \\ , 2020



HON. SHELLEYANNE W.L. CHANG JUDGE OF THE SUPERIOR COURT

JAMES P. ARGUELLES

JOINT STIPULATION AND PROPOSED ORDER AND JUDGMENT

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## PROOF OF SERVICE I, the undersigned, declare under penalty of perjury that:

I am a citizen of the United States employed in the County of Marin. I am over the age of 18 and not a party to the within cause of action. My business address is 2350 Kerner Blvd., Suite 250, San Rafael, CA 94901. I am readily familiar with my employer's practices for collection and processing of correspondence for mailing with the United States Postal Service.

On December 9, 2020 I served a true copy of the foregoing JOINT STIPULATION AND [PROPOSED] ORDER on the following parties in said action, by serving:

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

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