

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

JANE DOE 1 *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DONALD J. TRUMP *et al.*,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 17-cv-1597 (CKK)

DECLARATION OF
DANIEL R. SITTERLY,
ACTING ASSISTANT SECRETARY
OF THE AIR FORCE,
MANPOWER AND RESERVE AFFAIRS

I, Daniel R. Sitterly, declare as follows:


1. I, Daniel R. Sitterly, am Acting Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Manpower and Reserve Affairs).
2. I am aware that a lawsuit has been instituted in the above-captioned case. I am also aware that Jane Doe 5 is a plaintiff in that lawsuit and that she claims she is currently serving in the United States Air Force. I am aware that she claims that she will be negatively impacted by future Department of Defense policy discussed in the Presidential Memorandum for the Secretary of Defense and the Secretary of Homeland Security, dated August 25, 2017.
3. In accordance with the interim guidance laid out in the memorandum entitled *Military Service by Transgender Individuals—Interim Guidance*, issued by Secretary of Defense James N. Mattis on September 14, 2017, the United States Air Force is not taking any action to involuntarily separate or discharge any otherwise qualified member of the United States Air Force solely on the basis of a gender dysphoria diagnosis or

transgender status.

4. Furthermore, an otherwise qualified transgender member of the United States Air Force whose term of service expires while the Interim Guidance remains in effect may, at the member's request, re-enlist in service under existing procedures.
5. This Interim Guidance applies to all members currently serving in the United States Air Force.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I, Daniel R. Sitterly, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

28 Sep 17
Date



DANIEL R. SITTERLY
Acting Assistant Secretary of the Air Force (Manpower and Reserve Affairs)