

1 CHAD A. READLER
Acting Assistant Attorney General
2 Civil Division

3 BRETT A. SHUMATE
Deputy Assistant Attorney General

4 JOHN R. GRIFFITHS
5 Branch Director

6 ANTHONY J. COPPOLINO
7 Deputy Director

8 RYAN B. PARKER
ANDREW E. CARMICHAEL
United States Department of Justice
9 Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch

10 Telephone: (202) 514-4336
11 Email: ryan.parker@usdoj.gov

Counsel for Defendants

12
13 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
14 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

15 AIDEN STOCKMAN; NICOLAS
16 TALBOTT; TAMASYN REEVES;
17 JAQUICE TATE; JOHN DOES 1-2;
18 JANE DOE; and EQUALITY
19 CALIFORNIA,

20 Plaintiffs,

21 v.

22 DONALD J. TRUMP, et al.

23 Defendants.

24 STATE OF CALIFORNIA,
25 Plaintiff-Intervenor,

26 v.

27 DONALD J. TRUMP, et al.

28 Defendants.

CASE NO. 5:17-CV-01799-JGB-KK

**DECLARATION OF RYAN B.
PARKER**

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28

I, Ryan B. Parker, swear under penalty of perjury under the laws of the United States to the following:

1. I am a Senior Trial Counsel at the United States Department of Justice and counsel of record for Defendants in this action. I submit this declaration in conjunction with Defendants' Notice.

2. Attached to this declaration as Exhibit 1 is a true and correct copy of a Presidential Memorandum, dated March 23, 2018, regarding military service by transgender individuals.

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

EXECUTED this 23rd day of March 2018.

/s/ Ryan B. Parker
RYAN B. PARKER
Senior Trial Counsel
United States Department of Justice
Civil Division, Federal Programs Branch