

1 On September 26, 2018, the Court issued an order nominating "Andrea 2 Sheridan Ordin to the position of Special Master/Independent Monitor." ECF No. 3 489. The Court asked the parties to "file a joint status report indicating whether 4 5 they have any objections to the appointment of Ms. Ordin as the Special 6 Master/Independent Monitor." Id. Defendants maintain their objections to the 7 appointment of a Special Master/Independent Monitor in this case. However, both 8 parties state that they have no objections to Andrea Sheridan Ordin as the nominee. 9 10 11 October 1, 2018 Respectfully submitted, DATED: 12 /s/ Peter A. Schey (with permission) 13 PETER A. SCHEY 14 Center for Human Rights and Constitutional Law 15 16 Attorney for Plaintiffs 17 18 JOSEPH H. HUNT **Assistant Attorney General** 19 20 AUGUST E. FLENTJE Special Counsel to the Assistant Attorney 21 General Civil Division 22 23 WILLIAM C. PEACHEY Director, District Court Section 24 Office of Immigration Litigation 25 26

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