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12	JENNY LISETTE FLORES, et al.,	No. CV 85-4544-DMG-AGRx	
13	Plaintiffs,	NOTICE OF MOTION AND MOTION FOR	
14	v.	AWARD OF ATTORNEYS' FEES AND COSTS	
15	MERRICK GARLAND, Attorney General	Hearing: March 25, 2022	
16	the United States, et al.,	Time: 9:30 a.m. Hon. Dolly M. Gee	
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1 PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that on March 25, 2022, at 9:30 a.m., or as soon 2 thereafter as counsel may be heard, Plaintiffs will and do hereby move the Court 3 for an award of attorneys' fees under the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. 4 § 2412(d) ("EAJA"), for fees incurred in compelling Defendants to comply with 5 the *Flores* Settlement and oppose Defendants' motion to terminate the *Flores* 6 Settlement.¹ 7 Plaintiffs allege that (1) they are the prevailing party; (2) the position of 8 Defendants, both before and throughout this litigation, was without substantial 9 justification; and (3) no special circumstances make an award of fees unjust. The 10 motion is based on the annexed Memorandum of Points and Authorities, Plaintiffs' 11 itemized statements and other supporting exhibits filed concurrently herewith, and 12 the record of proceedings in this case.

Pursuant to Local Rule 7-3, Plaintiffs sent Defendants their fee request on January 5, 2022 and the parties met and conferred on January 10, 2022.

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Dated: January 12, 2022

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Mishan Wroe ¹ Plaintiffs believe the instant fee request would be most efficiently resolved via mediation under the supervision of the Ninth Circuit Court's Mediation Office. Plaintiffs have filed a fee application with the Ninth Circuit and plan to pursue mediation through that court's Mediation Office. Should mediation prove

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unsuccessful, this Court's greater familiarity with the issues herein would place it in

a better position to decide a contested fee application. If mediation is successful, Plaintiffs will immediately inform this Court and withdraw the instant motion.

#:46006 Diane de Gramont **CHILDREN'S RIGHTS** Leecia Welch /s/ Mishan Wroe Mishan Wroe One of the Attorneys for Plaintiffs