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16 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
OAKLAND DIVISION**  
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18 IMMIGRANT LEGAL RESOURCE  
CENTER, *et al.*,

19 Plaintiffs,

20 v.

21 ALEJANDRO N. MAYORKAS<sup>1</sup>, *under the title of*  
22 *Secretary of Homeland Security*; U.S.  
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND  
23 SECURITY; TRACY L. RENAUD,  
*under the title of Senior Official Performing the*  
24 *Duties of the Director*; U.S. CITIZENSHIP &  
IMMIGRATION SERVICES,

25 Defendants.  
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Case No. 4:20-cv-5883-JSW

**STIPULATED REQUEST TO HOLD  
CASE IN ABEYANCE; ~~PROPOSED~~  
ORDER**

27 <sup>1</sup> Alejandro N. Mayorkas and Tracy L. Renaud have been substituted for Chad F. Wolf and Kenneth T.  
28 Cuccinelli, respectively, as defendants in this case pursuant to Rule 25(d) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

1 Subject to the Court's approval and pursuant to Local Rule 7-12, the parties through their undersigned  
 2 counsel of record HEREBY STIPULATE as follows:

- 3 1. For the reasons set forth in the accompanying Declaration of Julie Straus Harris, the parties request  
 4 that this case be stayed, and all proceedings held in abeyance, to allow defendant the Secretary of  
 5 Homeland Security to undertake the review contemplated by Executive Order 14,012, "Restoring  
 6 Faith in Our Legal Immigration Systems and Strengthening Integration and Inclusion Efforts for New  
 7 Americans," 86 Fed. Reg. 8,277 (Feb. 5, 2021), signed by the President on February 2, 2021.
- 8 2. For the reasons set forth in the accompanying Declaration of Julie Straus Harris, the parties request  
 9 that they be permitted to file a joint status report on or before May 13, 2021, indicating whether this  
 10 case and all proceedings should continue to be held in abeyance or proposing a schedule for continuing  
 11 the litigation.

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 13 Dated: February 9, 2021

Respectfully submitted,

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#### LOCAL RULE 5-1(i) ATTESTATION

I attest that I have obtained Brian J. Stretch's concurrence in the filing of this document.

/s/ Julie Straus Harris

JULIE STRAUS HARRIS

~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER

PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS SO ORDERED. This case shall be stayed, and all proceedings held in abeyance, to allow defendant the Secretary of Homeland Security to undertake the review contemplated by Executive Order 14,012, "Restoring Faith in Our Legal Immigration Systems and Strengthening Integration and Inclusion Efforts for New Americans," 86 Fed. Reg. 8,277 (Feb. 5, 2021), signed by the President on February 2, 2021. Further, on or before May 13, 2021, the parties shall file a joint status report indicating whether this case and all proceedings should continue to be held in abeyance or proposing a schedule for continuing the litigation.

Date: February 10, 2021

  
HONORABLE JEFFREY S. WHITE  
United States District Judge