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8 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
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11 **THE UNITED STATES OF**
12 **AMERICA,**

13 Plaintiff,

14 v.
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16 **STATE OF CALIFORNIA; GAVIN**
17 **NEWSOM, Governor of California,**
18 **in his official capacity; ROBERT**
19 **BONTA, Attorney General of**
20 **California, in his official capacity,**

21 Defendants.
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Case No. 2:25-cv-10999-CAS-AJR_x

**ORDER ON JOINT STIPULATION
TO HOLD THE DISTRICT COURT
PROCEEDINGS IN ABEYANCE
PENDING OUTCOME OF NINTH
CIRCUIT PROCEEDINGS**

Judge: The Honorable Christina
A. Snyder

Trial Date: None Designated

Action Filed: November 17, 2025

23 The Court, having considered Plaintiff and Defendants' Joint Stipulation to
24 Hold the District Court Proceedings in Abeyance Pending Outcome of Ninth
25 Circuit Proceedings and finding good cause appearing, hereby ORDERS as
26 follows:

27 1. All pending deadlines are stayed, and this case is held in abeyance, until
28 the earlier of (i) sixty (60) days from the date the Ninth Circuit rules on the merits

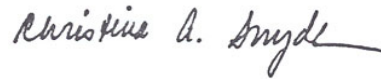
1 of the United States' pending appeal in *United States v. California*, Case No. 26-
2 926 or (ii) the grant of the request of any party that the abeyance be lifted.

3 2. The May 18, 2026 Scheduling Conference is taken off calendar.

4 3. Within thirty (30) days after the Ninth Circuit's ruling in *United States v.*
5 *California*, Case No. 26-926, the parties agree to confer and file a proposed
6 schedule for further proceedings, including the deadline for a joint scheduling
7 conference.

8 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

9 Dated: May 8, 2026



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11 HONORABLE CHRISTINA A. SNYDER
12 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
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