UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS WESTERN DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	
Plaintiff,)))	CIVIL ACTION NO: 4:09-CV-00033-JLH
v.)	
STATE OF ARKANSAS <u>et al.</u> ;)	
Defendants.)	
)	

UNITED STATES' MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 65, the United States moves the Court for a preliminary injunction based on the imminent and serious threat of harm to the life, health, safety, and liberty of the individuals residing at the Conway Human Development Center ("CHDC"). The State of Arkansas ("State") fails to serve residents in the most integrated setting appropriate to their needs in violation of the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), 42 U.S.C. §§ 12101-12213, and exposes residents to death and injury as a result of unconstitutional medication management and restraint practices.

As more fully set forth in the attached Memorandum of Points and Authorities, there is a substantial likelihood that the United States will prevail on the merits, irreparable harm is being inflicted upon residents of CHDC, the balance of harms favors granting the injunction, and the public interest would be served by granting the injunction.

Respectfully submitted,

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