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Programs; RUSSELL WASHINGTON, in his official capacity as Acting Director of the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services; UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

Defendants.

On October 12, 2017, in response to Plaintiff City of Los Angeles' ("Los Angeles") Application for Preliminary Injunction (D.E. 7) against the Department of Justice's unauthorized use of illegal immigration considerations in awarding community-oriented policing ("COPS") grants, Defendants disclosed for the first time that the Department of Justice's Office of Community Oriented Policing Services ("COPS Office") has putatively determined that Los Angeles' award application was unaffected by the inclusion of immigration-related considerations. *See* Decl. of Andrew A. Dorr, D.E. 33-1, ¶ 32. Although Defendants have not included sufficient supporting information to enable Plaintiff to assess this claim, Plaintiff has concluded that it would be impractical to explore the matter further and still secure timely relief in advance of the award decisions for the current grant year. As a result, there is no longer an urgent need for the relief sought in Plaintiff's Application for Preliminary Injunction.

Accordingly, Plaintiff City of Los Angeles hereby withdraws its Application for Preliminary Injunction (D.E. 7). Because Defendants have not indicated that they will abandon reliance on unlawful considerations in administering the COPS grant program, Plaintiff's claims and request for permanent relief remain unaffected.

Respectfully Submitted, 1 Dated: October 16, 2017 2 3 MICHAEL N. FEUER City Attorney MITCHELL A. KAMIN 4 MÓNICA RAMÍREZ ALMADANI 5 NEEMA T. SAHNI JAMES P. CLARK Covington & Burling LLP 6 1999 Avenue of the Stars, Suite 3500 Chief Deputy City Attorney 7 Los Angeles, California 90067-4643 8 LEELA A. KAPUR DAVID M. ZIONTS, pro hac vice 9 **Executive Assistant City Attorney** application pending VALERIE L. FLORES IVANO M. VENTRESCA, pro hac vice 10 Managing Senior Assistant City application pending 11 Covington & Burling LLP Attorney One CityCenter MICHAEL DUNDAS 12 850 Tenth Street NW Deputy City Attorney 13 200 North Main Street, City Hall Washington, DC 20001 East Room 700 14 Los Angeles, California 90012 Telephone: (213) 978-8344 15 Facsimile: (213) 978-8312 16 17 Attorneys for Plaintiff 18 City of Los Angeles 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27 28

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on October 16, 2017, I caused the foregoing Notice of Withdrawal of Application for Preliminary Injunction to be filed through the Court's CM/ECF system, which will send a notice of filing to all registered CM/ECF users.

/s/ Mónica Ramírez Almadani

Dated: October 16, 2017