

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

STAND UP FOR CALIFORNIA!, PATTY  
JOHNSON, JOE TEIXEIRA, and LYNN WHEAT,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF INTERIOR,  
SALLY JEWELL, in her official capacity as Secretary  
of the Interior, BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,  
LARRY ROBERTS, in his official capacity as Acting  
Assistant Secretary-Indian Affairs, and AMY  
DUTSCHKE, in her official capacity as Regional  
Director Bureau of Indian Affairs,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 1:17-cv-00058-RDM

**JOINT STATUS REPORT**

Plaintiffs, Stand up for California! *et al.* and Defendants, Department of the Interior *et al.* (“Defendants”) hereby provide the Court notice of their agreement as to the pending motion for preliminary injunction:

On January 13, 2017, the Court denied Plaintiffs’ motion for temporary restraining order and directed Plaintiffs to file a proposed schedule to resolve the motion for preliminary injunction. Following the hearing, counsel for Defendants indicated that Defendants did not consider Plaintiffs’ prior requests that Defendants stay the transfer of title to land in trust long enough for Plaintiffs to seek emergency injunctive relief to have been formal requests under 5 U.S.C. § 705 and that Plaintiffs were free to submit such request. Accordingly, on January 17, 2017, Plaintiffs submitted a formal request under 5 U.S.C. § 705 asking that Defendants postpone the effective date of a decision to acquire land in trust on behalf of the Wilton Rancheria, if any. *See* Attachment.

In light of the pending request under 5 U.S.C. § 705, as well as the uncertainty the Court identified on January 13, 2017, regarding the timing and substance of a final trust decision,

Plaintiffs proposed and Defendants have agreed that the parties not proceed with briefing on the preliminary injunction until such time as Defendants respond to Plaintiffs' request.

Plaintiffs will review any final decisions and confer with Defendants at that time as to the necessity of and timing for seeking emergency and/or preliminary injunctive relief.

Dated this 17th day of January, 2017

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on January 17, 2017, a copy of foregoing Joint Status Report was served via the CM/ECF system to all counsel of record to be served by electronic means, and that said copy was provided to counsel by email, as indicated below:

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