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**IMPORTANT NOTICE**

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No. 18-11479 Chad Brackeen, et al v. Ryan Zinke, et al

Projected Week of Hearing 03/11/18  
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Dear Counsel:

We have tentatively scheduled this case for oral argument during the week shown.

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Counsel are advised it is almost invariably more helpful, in lieu of large exhibits, to furnish the courtroom deputy four smaller sized (not larger than about 8 X 14 inches) copies of charts, diagrams, etc., for the judges' use. If counsel believe it necessary to use large exhibits, please also furnish the small copies.

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