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10 *AND ROUND VALLEY INDIAN TRIBES*

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12 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
13 **NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

14 APRIL JAMES, EUNICE SWEARINGER,
15 STEVE BRITTON, and ROUND VALLEY
16 INDIAN TRIBES,

17 Plaintiffs,

18 v.

19 MATTHEW KENDALL, Sheriff of Mendocino
20 County; COUNTY OF MENDOCINO;
21 WILLIAM HONSAL, Sheriff of Humboldt
22 County; JUSTIN PRYOR, deputy of Humboldt
23 County Sheriff's Office; COUNTY OF
24 HUMBOLDT; SEAN DURYEE, Commissioner
of the California Highway Patrol;
CALIFORNIA HIGHWAY PATROL; and
DOES 1 through 50,

25 Defendants.
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Case No. 1:25-cv-03736-RMI

**JOINT STIPULATION TO FILE
AMENDED COMPLAINT AND
[PROPOSED] ORDER**

1 The parties, by and through their respective counsel of record, hereby stipulate as
2 follows:

3 1. Plaintiffs have agreed to file an amended complaint which will include specific
4 allegations regarding unidentified California Highway Patrol officers (Doe defendants) who were
5 allegedly involved in the execution of the search warrant at issue.

6 2. Plaintiffs and Defendant Sean Duryee, Commissioner of the California Highway
7 Patrol (Commissioner Duryee), have agreed that Defendant Commissioner Duryee shall file his
8 responsive pleading, or dispositive motion, within twenty-one (21) days after filing and service
9 of the amended complaint by Plaintiffs.

10 3. The parties shall bear their own fees and costs.

11 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

12 DATED: June 5, 2025

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18 *Britton, and Round Valley Indian Tribes*

19 DATED: June 5, 2025

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26 Attorneys for Defendant
27 *Sean Duryee, Commissioner of the California*
28 *Highway Patrol*

ORDER

PURSUANT TO STIPULATION, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that: (1) Plaintiff shall file an amended pleading; and (2) Defendant Sean Duryee shall file his responsive pleading or dispositive motion within twenty-one (21) days after filing and service of the amended complaint by Plaintiffs.

DATED: June _____, 2025

ROBERT M. ILLMAN
Magistrate Judge
United States District Court – Northern District of
California

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I am employed in the County of Mendocino, State of California. I am over the age of 18 years and not a party to the within action; my business address is that of Rapport & Marston, 405 West Perkins Street, Ukiah, California 95482.

I hereby certify that I electronically filed the foregoing:

JOINT STIPULATION TO FILE AMENDED COMPLAINT AND [PROPOSED] ORDER

with the Clerk of the United States District Court for the Northern District of California by using the CM/ECF system on June 6, 2025, which generated and transmitted a notice of electronic filing to CM/ECF registrants.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct; executed on June 6, 2025, at Ukiah, California.

/s/ Ericka Duncan
ERICKA DUNCAN, Declaran