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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
STANLEY MOSK COURTHOUSE

SHASTA COUNTY SHERIFF THOMAS BOSENKO,
SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY SHERIFF JOHN
McMAHON, KERN COUNTY SHERIFF DONNY
YOUNGBLOOD, SAN LUIS OBISPO COUNTY
SHERIFF IAN S. PARKINSON, SACRAMENTO
COUNTY SHERIFF SCOTT JONES, EL DORADO
COUNTY SHERIFF JOHN D'AGOSTINI, SISKIYOU
COUNTY SHERIFF JON LOPEY, TOULUMNE
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MERCED COUNTY SHERIFF VERN WARNKE,
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SHERIFF STEVE DURFOR, KINGS COUNTY
SHERIFF DAVID ROBINSON, PLUMAS COUNTY
SHERIFF GREGORY HAGWOOD, TRINITY
COUNTY SHERIFF BRUCE HANEY, SOLANO
COUNTY SHERIFF THOMAS A. FERRARA, GLENN
COUNTY SHERIFF RICHARD L. WARREN JR.,
BUTTE COUNTY SHERIFF KORY L. HONEA,
SIERRA COUNTY SHERIFF TIM STANDLEY, CHAD
CHEUNG, PAUL WOLCOTT, JAMES WILEY, PAUL
NORDBERG, JULIO BERNAL, KENNETH

Case No.: BS158682

**DECLARATION OF PLAINTIFF NEVADA
COUNTY SHERIFF KEITH ROYAL IN SUPPORT
OF EX PARTE APPLICATION TO STAY
ENFORCEMENT OF LAMC SECTION 46.30,
ALTERNATIVELY, FOR TEMPORARY
RESTRAINING ORDER AND ORDER TO SHOW
CAUSE**

Date: November 12, 2015
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Dept: 85
Judge: Honorable James Chalfant

Action Filed: October 23, 2015

1 TAKAHASHI, LAW ENFORCEMENT ALLIANCE OF
2 AMERICA, INC., CALIFORNIA RIFLE AND PISTOL
ASSOCIATION, CALIFORNIA RESERVE PEACE
OFFICERS ASSOCIATION,

3 Plaintiffs and Petitioners,

4 vs.

5 THE CITY OF LOS ANGELES, MAYOR ERIC
6 GARCETTI, in his official capacity, LOS
ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT CHIEF CHARLIE
7 BECK, in his official capacity, and DOES 1-10,

8 Defendants and Respondents

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10 **DECLARATION OF NEVADA COUNTY SHERIFF KEITH ROYAL**

11 I, Sheriff Keith Royal, declare as follows:

12 1. I am a plaintiff in the above-entitled action. I make this declaration of my own personal
13 knowledge and, if called as a witness, I could and would testify competently to the truth of the
14 matters set forth herein.

15 2. I am a law-abiding adult who is not prohibited from owning firearms under the laws of the
16 United States or the state of California. I have never been found by any law enforcement agency,
17 any court, or any other government agency to be irresponsible, unsafe, or negligent with firearms
18 in any manner.

19 3. I am the duly elected sheriff of Nevada County.

20 4. I lawfully own and possess ammunition magazines with the capacity to accept more than
21 ten rounds that are prohibited by section 46.30 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code.

22 5. Pursuant to California Penal Code sections 25450, 25900, and 32405, I carry firearms
23 with magazines that have the capacity to accept more than ten rounds that are prohibited by
24 section 46.30, both while I am on duty and while I am off duty.

25 6. Pursuant to California Penal Code sections 25450, 25900, and 32405, deputy sheriffs for
26 Nevada County also carry firearms with magazines with the capacity to accept more than ten
27 rounds that are prohibited by section 46.30, both while they are on duty and while they are off
28 duty.

1 7. I, along with deputy sheriffs for Nevada County, lawfully carry firearms equipped with
2 magazines capable of holding more than ten rounds that are prohibited by section 46.30 while
3 traveling within California and through the city of Los Angeles while off duty, and do so for
4 lawful purposes, including self-defense and defense of others.

5 8. Pursuant to section 46.30, deputy sheriffs for Nevada County and I are subject to arrest
6 and criminal prosecution for possessing firearms with magazines having capacities over ten
7 rounds while traveling through the city of Los Angeles while off duty on or after November 19,
8 2015.

9 9. I fear arrest and criminal prosecution if I travel into or through Los Angeles while
10 possessing my lawfully-owned magazines with the capacity to hold more than ten rounds while I
11 am off duty, on or after November 19, 2015.

12 10. Pursuant to California Penal Code section 26150, I have issued, and continue to issue,
13 permits allowing qualified residents of Nevada County to carry firearms with magazines with the
14 capacity to accept more than ten rounds that are lawful to possess and carry under state law, but
15 which are prohibited by section 46.30.

16 11. These residents are authorized to carry, throughout California, the firearms that I have
17 approved for them to carry pursuant to permits issued under section 26150 of the California Penal
18 Code, including those firearms with magazines having capacities over ten rounds that are
19 prohibited by section 46.30.

20 12. These residents are subject to arrest and prosecution if they travel through the city of Los
21 Angeles on or after November 19, 2015, while carrying firearms with magazines having
22 capacities over ten rounds that they have been authorized to carry pursuant to statewide licenses I
23 have issued under California Penal Code section 26150.

24 I declare under the penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the
25 forgoing is true and correct.

26 Executed this 12 day of November, 2015 in NEVADA CITY, California.

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28 Nevada County Sheriff Keith Royal

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PROOF OF SERVICE

STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

I, Laura L. Quesada, am employed in the City of Long Beach, Los Angeles County, California. I am over the age eighteen (18) years and am not a party to the within action. My business address is 180 East Ocean Blvd., Suite 200, Long Beach, California 90802.

On November 6, 2015, I served the foregoing document(s) described as

DECLARATION OF PLAINTIFF NEVADA COUNTY SHERIFF KEITH ROYAL IN SUPPORT OF EX PARTE APPLICATION TO STAY ENFORCEMENT OF LAMC SECTION 46.30, ALTERNATIVELY, FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER AND ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE

on the interested parties in this action by placing [] the original [X] a true and correct copy thereof addressed as follows:

Mr. Benjamin Chapman
Deputy City Attorney
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Los Angeles, California, 90012
Phone: (213) 473-6858
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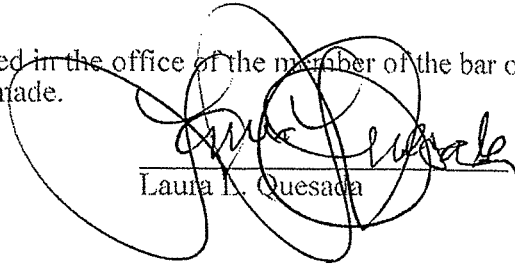
X (BY MAIL) As follows: By placing the sealed envelope for collection and mailing. I am "readily familiar" with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for mailing. Under the practice it would be deposited with the U.S. Postal Service on that same day with postage thereon fully prepaid at Long Beach, California, in the ordinary course of business. I am aware that on motion of the party served, service is presumed invalid if postal cancellation date is more than one day after date of deposit for mailing an affidavit. Executed on November 6, 2015, at Long Beach, California.

 (VIA OVERNIGHT MAIL) As follows: I am "readily familiar" with the firm's practice of collection and processing correspondence for overnight delivery by UPS/FED-EX. Under the practice it would be deposited with a facility regularly maintained by UPS/FED-EX for receipt on the same day in the ordinary course of business. Such envelope was sealed and placed for collection and delivery by UPS/FED-EX with delivery fees paid or provided for in accordance with ordinary business practices. Executed on November __, 2015, at Long Beach, California.

X (VIA ELECTRONIC MAIL) As follows: I served a true and correct copy by electronic transmission to benjamin.chapman@lacity.org. Said transmission was reported and completed without error. Executed on November 6, 2015, at Long Beach, California.

X (STATE) I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

 (FEDERAL) I declare that I am employed in the office of the member of the bar of this court at whose direction the service was made.



Laura L. Quesada