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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF NEW YORK

PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, BY LETITIA JAMES, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE NATIONAL RIFLE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA, INC., WAYNE LAPIERRE, WILSON PHILLIPS, JOHN FRAZER, and JOSHUA POWELL

Defendants.

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PLAINTIFF'S AMENDED RESPONSES AND OBJECTIONS TO DEFENDANT NRA'S SECOND REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION

Pursuant to Rule 3122 of the Civil Practice Law and Rules, Plaintiff, the People of the State of New York ("Plaintiff"), by their attorney, LETITIA JAMES, Attorney General of the State of New York, and Counterclaim Defendant Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, hereby object and respond to Defendant National Rifle Association of America, Inc.'s ("NRA") Second Requests for Production of Documents, dated October 14, 2021, as follows.

GENERAL OBJECTIONS

The following general responses and objections ("General Objections") are incorporated into each specific response and objection as if fully set forth therein:

1. Plaintiff and Attorney General Letitia James, through counsel, object to these Requests for Production in their entirety and to each and every demand to the extent that they purport to be directed to Attorney General Letitia James in her official and individual capacities, as she is not a proper party to whom discovery is to be directed at this time. Plaintiff and Attorney General Letitia James, through counsel, also object to these Requests for Production to the extent that they purport to be directed to the Office of the Attorney General. The Attorney

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General reserves all rights and objections to these demands now and should they be lodged at a future time and, in an excess of caution, to the extent any demand can be deemed appropriately directed to her at this time, joins in the objections asserted by the Plaintiff below without waiver of other and further potential objections.

- 2. These objections apply to Defendant's Instructions, Definitions, and each of Defendant's Requests for Production as if such objections were set forth in full in the response to each Request for Production and are not necessarily repeated in response to each individual Request for Production. The assertion of the same, similar, or additional objections in Plaintiff's specific objections to an individual Request for Production, or the failure to assert any additional objection to a Request for Production, does not and shall not be deemed to waive any of Plaintiff's objections as set forth in this section.
- 3. Plaintiff objects to these Requests for Production to the extent that they seek documents or information that are not relevant to, nor reasonably calculated to lead to discovery of evidence relevant to, the allegations asserted in the Amended and Supplemental Verified Complaint, dated August 16, 2021 (the "Complaint").
- 4. Plaintiff objects to these Requests for Production to the extent that they are not sufficiently limited in time and/or scope.
- 5. Plaintiff objects to these Requests for Production to the extent that the Definitions are overbroad, vague, ambiguous, confusing, and improper.
- 6. Plaintiff objects to these Requests for Production to the extent that they relate to Defendant NRA's Counterclaims, because discovery on said Counterclaims is stayed by order of the Court and the parties' Stipulation.
- 7. Plaintiff objects to these Requests for Production to the extent that they seek to impose obligations that are broader than or inconsistent with those set forth in the Civil Practice

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Law and Rules.

8. Plaintiff objects to these Requests for Production to the extent that they call for the production of information or documents that are not in Plaintiff's possession, custody, or control, or are more readily available from other parties or sources.

- 9. Plaintiff objects to these Requests for Production to the extent that they seek the production of documents and/or information which are privileged on various grounds, protected work product, prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, confidential, proprietary, sensitive, confidential law enforcement materials, covered by the public interest privilege, covered by attorney client privilege, relating to the privacy interests of nonparties, or otherwise protected from disclosure by law. The inadvertent production of any document or information that is privileged, was prepared in anticipation of litigation, or is otherwise immune from discovery shall not constitute a waiver of any privilege or of any other ground for objecting to discovery with respect to that document or information or of Plaintiff's right to object to the use of that information during any proceeding in this litigation or otherwise.
- 10. By responding to these Requests for Production, Plaintiff does not concede the materiality of the subject matters to which they refer. These responses are made expressly subject to, and without waiving or intending to waive, any questions or objections as to the competency, relevancy, materiality, privilege, or admissibility as evidence or for any other purpose, of any of the documents or information produced in response hereto, or of the subject matter thereof, in any proceeding including the trial of this action or any subsequent proceeding.
- 11. Plaintiff objects to each and every document request to the extent it is overly broad, unduly burdensome, vague, ambiguous, or seeks documents that are equally available to Defendants and/or are publicly available. Plaintiff is willing to confer with Defendants to the extent necessary to tailor these requests.

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12. The responses set forth below are based on information currently available to

Plaintiff, who reserves the right to supplement, amend, or correct these responses.

REQUESTS FOR PRODUCTION

REOUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 2:

All Documents and Communications relating to the drafting, contents, timing, and release

of any of Your public statements concerning the NRA, whether in an official or an

individual capacity.

Response to Request No. 2:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and

regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will

not produce documents responsive to this Request at this time.

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REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 3:

For each statement attributed to James and listed in Table A below, please produce all

Documents and Communications related to such statements, including but not limited to:

i. Any talking points, scripts, prepared speeches, or prepared remarks

for or by James containing such statements or referencing such statements;

ii. Any transcripts or recordings of such statements by James;

iii. Any calendar invitations for or photographs from the events at

which these statements were made; and/or

iv. Any of the foregoing types of materials that reflect any statements

or contemplated statements by James to the effect of the statements listed

in Table A below—or any other statements accusing the NRA of illegal

behavior—during or in furtherance of the Campaign.

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Table A

	Statement or Reported Statement by Letitia James (underline indicates emphasis added)	Approximate Date/Event
A.	"The NRA is an <u>organ of deadly propaganda</u> masquerading as a charity for public good."	July 12, 2018 Press Release ²
В.	"As Attorney General, Tish James will target the NRA, take on arms manufacturers and dealers, investigate financial backing of gun makers and sellers, and build new models to take on interstate arms trafficking."	July 12, 2018 Press Release ³
C.	"Together, we can <u>take on the @nra</u> "	September 1, 2018 ⁴
D.	"[W]e CAN take down the NRA. We CANNOT waiver on gun control. That's why I'm running."	September 3, 2018 ⁵
E.	"[The NRA] are nothing more than a criminal enterprise. We are waiting to take on all of the banks that finance them, their investors."	August 30, 2018, Published Interview with Our Time Press ⁶

² Tish James for Attorney General Press Release, Tish James Announces Attorney General Platform to Protect New Yorkers from Gun Violence, July 12, 2018, https://www.tishjames2018.com/press-releases/2018/7/12/taking-on-the-scourge-of-gun-violence-and-keeping-new-yorkers-safe/ (Last Visited, October 14, 2021).

³ *Id*.

⁴ @TishJames Twitter post. ⁵ @TishJames Twitter post.

⁶ Tish James Becomes New York's Attorney General – First Black Woman Elected to Statewide Office, Our Time Press (Nov. 8, 2018), https://ourtimepress.com/tish-james-becomes-new-yorks-attorney-general-first-black-woman-elected-to-statewide-office/ (Last Visited, October 14, 2021).

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Statement or Reported Statement by Letitia James Approximate Date/Event (underline indicates emphasis added) F. "the NRA . . . is a criminal enterprise." September 4, 2018, Video of "Evening with the Candidates" Forum for the Democratic Attorney General Primary Candidates hosted by New York City Bar Association⁷ ""NRA . . . needs to be held accountable for the September 27, 2018⁸ G. destruction and the loss of lives . . . " "James said that she made no distinction between September 27, 2018⁹ H. the lobbying and charitable arms of the NRA." "When I'm Attorney General I'll take on the I October 8, 2018¹⁰ @NRA and investigate their status as a nonprofit." "Tums out they [the NRA] don't like it . . . if you October 10, 2018¹¹ J. pledge to investigate their status as a non-profit as the next AG of NY." "The NRA holds [itself] out as a charitable K. October 31, 2018, Published Interview with *Ebony*¹² organization, but in fact, [it] really [is] a terrorist organization." November 8, 2018¹³ "Let me be clear: when I take office I will L. investigate the non-profit status of the NRA & take every legal step I can to help ensure another life isn't lost to senseless gun violence. #GunControlNow"

⁷ Available at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6n2 LHNEUW0 (statement at the 17:50 mark).

http://liherald.com/stories/nassau-protests-nra-fundraiser,107617 (Oct. 25, 2018) (Last Visited, October 14, 2021).

¹⁰ @TishJames Twitter post.

¹¹ @TishJames Twitter post.

¹² Letitia 'Tish' James on Becoming New York's Next Attorney General, EBONY (Oct. 31, 2018) https://www.ebony.com/news/letitia-tish-james-on-becoming-new-yorks-next-attorney-general/ (Last Visited, October 14, 2021).

¹³ @TishJames Twitter post.

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Response to Request No. 3:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and

regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will

not produce documents responsive to this Request at this time.

REOUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 4:

All Documents and Communications concerning public roundtables, discussion groups,

meetings or other public gatherings in which the NRA was referenced or discussed by

James, whether during her Campaign or as Attorney General, including but not limited

to, the September 27, 2018 roundtable event in Mineola, New York referenced above in

Request for Production No. 3, Table A. Concerning the September 27, 2018 roundtable

event, please produce all Documents and Communications including, but not limited to:

(i) drafts or recordings of James's speeches or remarks; (ii) communications related to

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the planning of the roundtable event and the decision to schedule it the same day as a

Friends of the NRA fundraiser held in New Hyde Park, New York; (iii) communications

related to whether and how holding the roundtable event was intended to or would likely

help James get elected as the Attorney General for the State of New York; and/or (iv) any

photographs, transcripts or recordings from the event.

Response to Request No. 4:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and

regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will

not produce documents responsive to this Request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 5:

All Documents and Communications concerning Campaign materials and/or Campaign

fundraising materials, referring to the NRA—directly or indirectly—including but not

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limited to, any materials referencing the statements set forth in Request for Production No. 3, Table A.

Response to Request No. 5:

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Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege, attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege, common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover, Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive to this Request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 6:

All Documents and Communications concerning the drafting, contents, timing, and release of any of Campaign statements, Campaign fundraising statements and/or donor solicitations referencing the NRA, directly or indirectly, including but not limited to, the fundraising solicitation issued by James on or about August 6, 2020, a copy of which is annexed hereto as Exhibit B.

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Response to Request No. 6:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and

regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will

not produce documents responsive to this Request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 7:

All Documents and Communications relating to the drafting, contents, timing, and release

of any of Your and/or the Campaign's press releases concerning the NRA.

Response to Request No. 7:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

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attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and

regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will

not produce documents responsive to this Request at this time.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 8:

All Documents and Communications between James and former Governor Andrew Cuomo

("Cuomo") concerning the NRA, including but not limited to, concerning Cuomo's

endorsement of James for New York State Attorney General.

Response to Request No. 8:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

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prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and

regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will

not produce documents responsive to this Request at this time.

REOUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 9:

All Documents and Communications concerning the Investigation, including but not

limited to: (i) concerning authorization of the commencement of the Investigation, and

(ii) evidencing the date of the commencement of the Investigation.

Response to Request No. 9:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

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regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Notwithstanding the

foregoing, and without waiving the objections stated herein, Plaintiff states that it has

already produced to the NRA in this action all discoverable factual information from the

investigation with the exception of documents and information that are protected from

disclosure by one or more of the aforementioned privileges or otherwise under the law.

Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive to this Request.

REOUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 10:

All Documents and Communications related to formal or informal interviews conducted

by You or any of Your staff, attorneys or other representatives, during the Investigation,

including but not limited to, transcripts of interviews, notes of interviews, exhibits used

during interviews, and lists of individuals interviewed and present during the interviews,

and including but not limited to, the dates of such interviews.

Response to Request No. 10:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

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Notwithstanding the foregoing, and without waiving the objections stated herein, Plaintiff

states that it has already produced to the NRA in this action all discoverable factual

information from the investigation with the exception of documents and information that

are protected from disclosure by one or more of the aforementioned privileges or

otherwise under the law. Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive

to this Request.

REOUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 11:

All Documents and Communications concerning continuation or termination of any

Person's business relationship with the NRA, including but not limited to,

Communications between (a) You, and (b) that Person.

Response to Request No. 11:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

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regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive to this Request.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 12:

All Documents and Communications concerning any changes in the NRA's (a) internal

governance, or (b) internal policies and procedures, including but not limited to,

Documents and Communications regarding any internal or external audit performed by or

for the NRA of its (i) internal policies and procedures, or (ii) financial and/or accounting

records.

Response to Request No. 12:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. In addition,

documents responsive to the Request are already in the possession, custody, or control of

Defendant NRA. Notwithstanding the foregoing, and without waiving the objections

stated herein, Plaintiff states that it has already produced to the NRA in this action all

discoverable factual information from the investigation with the exception of documents

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and information that are protected from disclosure by one or more of the aforementioned privileges or otherwise under the law. Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive to this Request.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 13:

All Documents and Communications concerning the NRA between You and any of the following entities—whether directly or indirectly—including but not limited to, any of the entities' current or former officers, employees, contractors, investigators, attorneys, agents, representatives, predecessors-in-interest, or designees.

- 1. Edward Skyler;
- 2. Cuomo;
- 3. Office of the Attorney General for the District of Columbia;
- 4. New York State Department of Financial Services;
- 5. Michael R. Bloomberg and/or any other Campaign donor or supporter;
- 6. Everytown;
- 7. Moms Demand Action;
- 8. Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America;
- 9. Gays Against Guns;
- 10. Pod Save America;
- 11. Berkshire Bank;
- 12. Citibank;
- 13. Citizens Financial Group;
- 14. People's United Bank;
- 15. Regions Financial Corp.;
- 16. TD Bank;

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17. Truist Financial (formerly BB&T Corp.); and/or

18. Former or current members of the NRA's Board of Directors, the NRA's officers, employees, or representatives of vendors of the NRA or any witnesses whose testimony or out-of-court statements You may offer in evidence at trial or any pretrial hearing in this Action, including but not limited to, Wilson "Woody" Phillips, Joshua Powell, Wayne LaPierre, John Frazer, Christopher Cox, Oliver North, Mildred Hallow, Peter Brownell, Richard Childress, Daniel Boren, Esther Schneider, Roscoe "Rocky" Marshall, Phillip Journey, Ackerman McQueen, Inc., Aronson, LLC, RSM US LLP, J. Stephen Hart, Michael Volkov, and/or Cooper & Kirk LLP.

In complying with this request, for any meeting or other Communication, please produce, without limitation, all Documents related to:

- (a) any scheduling communications, including but not limited to, calendar invitations, sent in advance of any such meetings or Communications,
- (b) evidence of any planned, cancelled, or actual communications with these individuals or entities concerning the NRA,
 - (c) email messages,
 - (d) other Outlook or similar application records,
 - (e) text messages or other instant messages,
 - (f) voicemails,
- materials used or created for, during, or after such meetings or (g) Communications (such as PowerPoint presentations, meeting agenda(s), handouts,

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meeting notes, action or follow up items, or transcripts), and/or

(h) summary memoranda or similar documents prepared in conjunction with or after such meetings or other Communications.

Response to Request No. 13:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege, attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege, common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover, Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Notwithstanding the foregoing, and without waiving the objections stated herein, Plaintiff states that it has already produced to the NRA in this action all discoverable factual information from the investigation with the exception of documents and information that are protected from disclosure by one or more of the aforementioned privileges or otherwise under the law. Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive to this Request.

REQUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 14:

All Documents and Communications in effect since January 1, 2011 concerning Your internal or publicly disclosed guidance, guidelines, directives, policies and/or procedures

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for seeking the involuntary judicial dissolution of not-for-profit corporations.

Response to Request for Production No. 14:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover,

Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to

Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and

regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will

not produce documents responsive to this Request.

REOUEST FOR PRODUCTION NO. 15:

All Documents and Communications referring to or describing any entity for which You

have sought involuntary judicial dissolution as a "sham."

Response to Request No. 15:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

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attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it is

vague and ambiguous, its meaning is difficult to ascertain, is overly broad and unduly

burdensome, and seeks documents or information that are not relevant to, nor reasonably

calculated to lead to, discovery of evidence relevant to the allegations asserted in the

Complaint or to this action. Moreover, Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that

the Request is deemed to relate to Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court

has ruled discovery is stayed and regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is

stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive to this Request.

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and other things in light of pending or anticipated litigation against You.

Response to Request No. 16:

Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it purports to be directed to Attorney

General Letitia James, in her official and individual capacities, as such requests are

improper at this time. Plaintiff objects to this request to the extent that it seeks information

protected from disclosure by various privileges, including the attorney client privilege,

attorney work product privilege, deliberative process privilege, public interest privilege,

common interest privilege, and/or law enforcement privilege, on the ground that it was

prepared in anticipation of litigation or for trial, on the ground that it is vague and

ambiguous, is overly broad and unduly burdensome, is not material and necessary to the

prosecution or defense of the action, and is not reasonably calculated to lead to discovery

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of evidence material and necessary to the prosecution or defense of the action. Moreover, Plaintiff objects to the Request to the extent that the Request is deemed to relate to Defendant NRA's counterclaims, about which the Court has ruled discovery is stayed and regarding which the NRA has stipulated discovery is stayed. Accordingly, Plaintiff will not produce documents responsive to this Request.

Dated: New York, New York December 3, 2021

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Counsel,

Please see attached the NYS OAG's Certification and Privilege Log to the NRA's First RFP. Plaintiff's Amended Responses and Objections to the NRA's Second RFP, and the prior Plaintiff's Responses and Objections to the NRA's Second RFP.

Thank you.

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