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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

STEVEN RUPP, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

ROB BONTA, in his official capacity as
Attorney General of the State of
California,

Defendant.

Case No.: 8:17-cv-00746-JLS-JDE

**DECLARATION OF ALFONSO
VALENCIA IN SUPPORT OF
PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR
SUMMARY JUDGMENT**

Hearing Date: July 28, 2023
Hearing Time: 10:30 a.m.
Courtroom: 8A
Judge: Josephine L. Staton

[Filed concurrently with Notice of
Motion for Summary Judgment;
Memorandum of Points and Authorities;
Statement of Uncontroverted Facts and
Conclusions of Law; Request for
Judicial Notice; Declarations of Sean A.
Brady, Steven Rupp, Steven Dember,
Cheryl Johnson, Christopher Seifert,
Troy Willis, Dennis Martin, and Richard
Minnich; Proposed Judgment]

DECLARATION OF ALFONSO VALENCIA

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

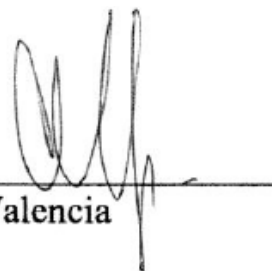
1. I am a former resident of Orange County, California who now resides in Bullhead City, Arizona.

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

3. I would like to bring a Banned Rifle with me on my frequent visits to California for lawful purposes, including for self-defense, hunting, training, and recreation.

4. Were it not for the prohibitions in the AWCA, and the fear of prosecution for violating it, I would bring such a semiautomatic, centerfire rifle with a detachable magazine, having one or more of the features that would make it a prohibited "assault weapon" under California law to California.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.
Executed within the United States on May 26, 2023.


Alfonso Valencia
Declarant

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Case Name: *Rupp, et al. v. Bonta*
Case No.: 8:17-cv-00746-JLS-JDE

IT IS HEREBY CERTIFIED THAT:

I, the undersigned, am a citizen of the United States and am at least eighteen years of age. My business address is 180 East Ocean Boulevard, Suite 200, Long Beach, California 90802.

I am not a party to the above-entitled action. I have caused service of:

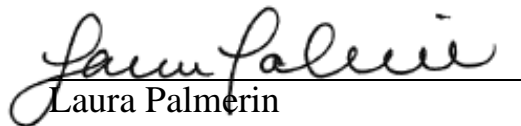
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