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Attorney for: Plaintiff		Ref. No. or File No.: _____ By: _____	
Insert name of Court, and Judicial District and Branch Court: Sacramento Superior Court			
Plaintiff: Poway Weapons & Gear, Inc., et al. Defendant: California Department of Tax and Fee Administration; et al			
PROOF OF SERVICE Summons & Complaint		Hearing Date: _____	Time: _____
		Dept/Div: _____	Case Number: 25CV018964

1. At the time of service I was at least 18 years of age and not a party to this action.
2. I served copies of the Summons & Complaint; Civil Case Cover Sheet; ADR Information Package.
3. a. Party served: Trista Gonzales, in her official Capacity as Director of the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration
b. Person served: Holly Peterson, Person Authorized to Accept
4. Address where the party was served: 651 Bannon St, Suite 100
Sacramento, CA 95811
5. I served the party:
 - a. by personal service. I personally delivered the documents listed in item 2 to the party or person authorized to receive process for the party (1) on: Wed., Aug. 13, 2025 (2) at: 2:12PM
6. The "Notice to the Person Served" (on the Summons) was completed as follows:
on behalf of: Trista Gonzales, in her official Capacity as Director of the California Department of Tax and Fee Administration
7. Person Who Served Papers:
 - a. John M. Adams
 - d. The Fee for Service was: Recoverable Cost Per CCP 1033.5(a)(4)(B)
 - e. I am: (3) registered California process server
 - (i) Independent Contractor
 - (ii) Registration No.: 2014-45
 - (iii) County: Sacramento



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8. I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Date: Wed, Aug. 13, 2025