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 10 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
 11 FOR THE CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
 12 EASTERN DIVISION

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 15 AIDEN STOCKMAN, NICOLAS  
 TALBOTT, TAMASYN REEVES,  
 16 JACQUICE TATE, JOHN DOES 1-2,  
 JANE DOE, and EQUALITY  
 CALIFORNIA,

17 Plaintiffs,

18 v.

19 DONALD J. TRUMP, et al.,

20 Defendants.  
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 CASE NO. 5:17-cv-01799-JGB-KK  
**ORDER GRANTING LEAVE FOR  
 AMICI STATES TO FILE BRIEF**

1           Upon consideration of the motion of Massachusetts, California, Connecticut,  
2 Delaware, Hawaii, Illinois, Iowa, Maryland, New Mexico, New York, Oregon,  
3 Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, Vermont and the District of Columbia (the “*Amici*  
4 States”) for leave to file as *amicus curiae*, and finding that the *Amici* States have  
5 “unique information or perspective that can help the court beyond the help that the  
6 lawyers for the parties are able to provide,” *see Bostick v. Herbalife Internat’l of*  
7 *America, Inc.*, No. CV-13-2488, 2015 WL 12731932, n 13 (C.D. Cal. May 14,  
8 2015), it is hereby

9           ORDERED that the motion of the *Amici* States for leave to file as *amicus*  
10 *curiae* is GRANTED.

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12 DATED: November 9, 2017

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15 The Honorable Jesus G. Bernal  
16 United States District Judge  
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