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**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
WESTERN DIVISION (LOS ANGELES)**

ANDREW MASON DVASH-
BANKS, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

ANTONY J. BLINKEN,
Secretary of State, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:18-cv-00523-JFW-(JCx)

JOINT STATUS REPORT

The parties in the above-captioned action, by and through undersigned counsel, respectfully submit this Joint Status Report relating to Plaintiffs’ application for attorneys’ fees and costs pursuant to subsection (d) of the Equal Access to Justice Act, 28 U.S.C. § 2412 (“EAJA”) in accordance with their February 2, 2021 joint status report (ECF No. 141). The parties state as follows:

1. The parties are currently engaged in negotiations over Plaintiffs’ request for fees and costs.

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ATTESTATION

In accordance with Local Rule 5-4.3.4(2)(i), I attest that all signatories listed, and on whose behalf the filing is submitted, concur in the filing's content and have authorized the filing.

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