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8 **IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA**
9 **IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO**

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11 **JERRY B. EPSTEIN, individually,**)
12 **and as a taxpayer; and,**)
13 **A. REDMOND DOMS, individually,**)
14 **and as a taxpayer,**)
15 **Petitioners/ Plaintiffs,**)
16 **vs.**)
17 **ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER,**)
18 **Governor of the State of California,**)
19 **sued in his official capacity;**)
20 **RON DIEDRICH, Acting Director of**)
21 **the Department of General Services,**)
22 **sued in his official capacity;**)
23 **DEPARTMENT OF GENERAL**)
24 **SERVICES; and DOES 1 through 50,**)
25 **inclusive,**)
26 **Respondents/Defendants.**)

CASE NO. **588-10-505436**

DECLARATION OF
RICHARD D. HUFFMAN
IN SUPPORT OF:

1. PETITION FOR WRIT OF MANDATE; AND
2. COMPLAINT FOR INJUNCTIVE AND DECLARATORY RELIEF

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I, Richard D. Huffman, declare:

1. I make this declaration in support of the Petition for Writ of Mandate and Complaint for Injunctive and Declaratory Relief regarding the planned sale of eleven state-owned office building complexes.

2. In 1997, I began serving as a member of the Judicial Council of California ("Judicial Council") and continue to be a member of the Judicial Council.

3. I am a Justice of the California Court of Appeal, Fourth District, sitting in San Diego.

4. I am the **Chair of the Executive and Planning Committee of the Judicial Council.**

5. The Judicial Council has full responsibility, jurisdiction, control and authority over appellate court facilities in the state of California, pursuant to Gov. Code § 69204.

6. The Earl Warren and Hiram Johnson Buildings houses appellate court facilities, including the California Supreme Court.

7. The Ronald Reagan State Building houses appellate court facilities, including California Supreme Court facilities.

8. The Judicial Council has not authorized the sale or lease-back of the Earl Warren and Hiram Johnson Buildings and the Ronald Reagan State Building.

9. The Judicial Council has not given its consent for the sale or lease-back of the Earl Warren and Hiram Johnson Buildings and the Ronald Reagan State Building.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct, and that this declaration was executed in San Diego, California on November 15, 2010.


Richard D. Huffman