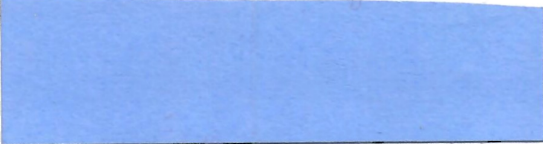


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10 Christine N. Grab

Petitioner

) **Writ of Quo Warranto**

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vs.

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13 Erika Contreras

14 John Nam

15 Sheila Braverman

16 Lynne Cervinka

Defendants

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19 Notice to Agent is Notice to Principal; Notice to
20 Principal is Notice to Agent

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22 A quo warranto is a common-law writ; a special form of legal action used to resolve a
23 dispute over whether a specific person has the legal right to hold the public office that (s)he
24 occupies. The remedy of quo warranto is vested in the People, and not in any private individual or
25 group, because the question of who has the right to hold a public office is a matter of public
26 concern, not a private dispute.
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1 "Jurisdiction can be challenged at any time," and "Jurisdiction, once challenged, cannot be
2 assumed and must be decided." *Basso v. Utah Power & Light Co.* 395 F 2d 906, 910

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4 **Maxims of Law:**

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6 1. All men and women know that the foundation of law and commerce exists in the telling of the
7 truth, and nothing but the truth.
8 2. Truth, as a valid statement of reality, is sovereign in commerce.
9 3. An un rebutted affidavit stands as truth in commerce.
10 4. An un rebutted affidavit is acted upon as the judgment in commerce.
11 5. Guaranteed- All men shall have a remedy by the due course of law. If a remedy does not exist, or
12 if the remedy has been subverted, then one may create a remedy for themselves - and endow it with
13 credibility by expressing it in their affidavit.
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16 **I. Statement of True Facts**

17 A. On July 12, 2024, Erika Contreras, John Nam, Lynn Cervinka and Sheila Braverman were each
18 served a verified *Notice of Legal Violations – Opportunity to Cure*. Proof of service can be found on
19 USPS.com:

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21 • USPS Two Day Shipping tracking number: 9505 5158 9991 4192 3638 73
22 • USPS Two Day Shipping tracking number: 9505 5158 9991 4192 3638 51
23 • USPS Two Day Shipping tracking number: 9505 5158 9991 4192 3638 75
24 • USPS Two Day Shipping tracking number: 9505 5158 9991 4192 3638 99
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27 B. In the verified *Notice of Legal Violations – Opportunity to Cure*, in Section I, titled *Statement of*
28 *True Facts*, I documented that:

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2 1. I am a legal resident of the State of California and over 18-years of age, thus I have legal
3 jurisdiction to file the *Notice* that was served on July 12, as well as this *Writ of Quo Warranto*.
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6 2 - 9. In order to be lawfully employed, all employees of the government in the State of California
7 are required to take an oath swearing to uphold the laws of the federal and state constitutions. The
8 oaths must be subscribed. If someone is elected or appointed to the job by an elected person, they
9 are to take an Oath of Office. The Oath of Office must be filed with the Secretary of State and
10 expires at the end of the term.

- 11 • Federal Requirements: 5 U.S. Code § 3331 and 5 U.S.C. 3333
- 12 • State Requirements: California Government Code Sections 1027, 1360, 1362-1369, 18150 -
13 18158, and Section 3 of Article XX of the Constitution of California
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16 10. Per California Government Code Section 18154: "Any person who is appointed to a State
17 position not in the State civil service and who fails to take the oath required by this chapter within
18 the time provided forthwith forfeits his right to his position, and the position shall be considered
19 vacant."
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22 11. Anyone who is working unlawfully without said executed oath is considered to be a *foreign*
23 *agent posing as a government agent* and subject to prosecution under US Criminal Code Title 18
24 U.S.C. § 912.
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27 12. When the words UNITED STATES and/or STATE OF CALIFORNIA are in all capital letters,
28 that refers to a private corporation which is utilizing the same name as our country/state in order to

1 masquerade as the legitimate government. Hence, the oath was made to this private corporation and
2 not to the real United States and/or State of California. Everyone utilizing these improper oaths are
3 considered to be a *foreign agent posing as a government agent* in violation of Title 18 U.S.C § 912.
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6 13. Someone who writes their name in all capital letters on a legal document is considered a
7 fictitious corporate entity and not a human person. Anyone who takes the oath as a fictitious person
8 is considered a *foreign agent posing as a government agent*.
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10 14 – 17. On November 6, 2023, Secretary of the Senate Erika Contreras violated The Brown Act,
11 §54950.5, Cal. Civ. Code, by responding to my Legislative Open Records Act (LORA) request with
12 redacted oaths. The redactions made it impossible for “we the people” – *who are the employers of*
13 *public servants* – to know whether the oaths had actually been sworn and/or subscribed in
14 accordance with the above listed federal and state laws.
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16 Ms. Contreras justified this violation of the Brown Act by citing a law stating that
17 information could be redacted if it was “an unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.” Since
18 disclosure of whether our public servants are working lawfully is not an “an unwarranted invasion
19 of personal privacy,” I believe that Ms. Contreras committed the felony of 18 USC 242,
20 *Deprivation of Rights Under the Color of Law.*
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23 18. On November 13, 2023, I sent an email to Secretary of the Senate Erika Contreras, her deputy,
24 John Nam and Human Resources executive Sheila Braverman in which I stated that, in lieu of
25 unredacted oaths, I would accept a certification taken under penalty of perjury that the oaths were
26 properly executed. Secretary of the Senate Erika Contreras, her deputy, John Nam and Human
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1 Resources executive Sheila Braverman failed to provide certifications confirming that the people
2 named were working lawfully.

3 I believe that this failure to provide certifications is *prima facie* evidence that all three of
4 them were aware that one or more of the people named were unlawfully employed due to oath
5 violations.
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8 19. Despite the redactions, it is still evident that 100% of the redacted oaths do not comply with the
9 aforementioned oath laws.
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11 20 - 21. By allowing the twenty (20) people named in Section II of the *Notice*, titled *Specific Oath*
12 *Violations*, to continue to work for the State of California without proper oaths, Secretary of State
13 Erika Contreras, Deputy Secretary of State John Nam, Human Resources Executive Sheila
14 Braverman and Human Resources Executive Lynn Cervinka have each violated CGCS 1027, which
15 is a misdemeanor.
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18 22 - 24. Per both Federal and California law, surety bonds are required to be issued on every
19 government employee. This is codified in California Government Code Section 1450 – 1463. The
20 public is allowed to see copies of this bond upon request, and the bonds are to be filed with the
21 Secretary of State.
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24 25. The Secretary of State has confirmed that none of the twenty-six (26) people named in Section
25 II of the *Notice*, titled *Specific Oath Violations*, has a bond on file.
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1 C. In the verified *Notice of Legal Violations – Opportunity to Cure*, in Section II, titled *Specific*
2 *Oath Violations*, I named twenty (20) people who are working unlawfully because they do not have
3 a current, properly executed oath nor a surety bond:

4 Brown, Samantha; Case, Doug; Davis, Grace; Duran, Antoinette; Eisberg, Ryan; Favorini-
5 Csorba, Anton; Fritz, Niesha; Griffiths, Diane; Grinnell, Colin; Hardeman, Nicholas;
6 Henderson, Vanessa; Ison, Pamela; Nam, John; Peterson, Jonathan; Reed, Cole; Rodriguez,
7 Kimberly; Suseberry, Tylisa; Vallejo, Christopher; Weisz, Jason; Wiener, Scott

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9 I also named an additional three (3) people who do have current, proper oaths on file, but were
10 working unlawfully because they did not have a surety bond in place:

11 Caballero, Anna; Durazo, Maria Elena; Seyarto, Kelly

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14 D. In the verified *Notice of Legal Violations – Opportunity to Cure*, in Section III, titled *Terms to*
15 *Cure Legal Violations*, I documented that:

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17 1. Secretary of State Erika Contreras, Deputy Secretary of State John Nam, Human Resources
18 Executive Sheila Braverman and Human Resources Executive Lynn Cervinka had ten (10) days
19 from date of service to cure the documented legal violations.

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22 2. If the legal violations were not cured, but the named people were allowed to continue working for
23 the State of California in violation of CGCS 1027, Secretary of State Erika Contreras, Deputy
24 Secretary of State John Nam, Human Resources Executive Sheila Braverman and Human Resources
25 Executive Lynn Cervinka would be conspiring with one another and with the named people to
26 commit multiple counts of misdemeanors. *Conspiracy to Commit a Misdemeanor* is a felony.
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1 3. Secretary of State Erika Contreras, Deputy Secretary of State John Nam, Human Resources
2 Executive Sheila Braverman and Human Resources Executive Lynn Cervinka had ten (10) business
3 days from date of service to prove that they themselves are working lawfully in accordance with the
4 aforementioned laws.

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7 4. In order to prove lawful employment, the Senate Committee was required to provide me with
8 copies of the unredacted, fully compliant and properly executed oaths which have been filed with
9 the Secretary of State for the twenty (20) people named above who do not have oaths, along with
10 the oaths for Erika Contreras, Lynn Cervinka and Sheila Braverman.

11 Furthermore, the Senate Committee was required to provide me with copies of the surety
12 bonds that have been filed with the Secretary of State for the twenty-three (23) people named above
13 who do not have bonds, as well as copies of the bonds for Erika Contreras, Lynn Cervinka and
14 Sheila Braverman.

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17 5. If Secretary of State Erika Contreras, Deputy Secretary of State John Nam, Human Resources
18 Executive Sheila Braverman and Human Resources Executive Lynn Cervinka complied, the matter
19 would be considered cured.

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22 6 – 7. If Secretary of State Erika Contreras, Deputy Secretary of State John Nam, Human Resources
23 Executive Sheila Braverman and Human Resources Executive Lynn Cervinka failed to comply, I
24 would report them to the proper magistrate in accordance with 18 USC §4 *Misprision of Felony*.

25 In addition, they each would *personally* incur \$11,700,000 each in penalties for violating
26 multiple federal laws in accordance with the Federal Fee Schedule:

- 27 • Denied Right of Truth in Evidence: \$250,000 x 26 employees (per 18 USC 3571)

- 1 • Conspiracy Against Rights: \$200,000 x 26 employees (per 18 USC 241)
- 2 • Deprivation of Rights Under Color of Law: \$200,000 x 26 employees (per 18 USC 242)
- 3 • Total penalty: \$11,700,000 each
- 4 • John Nam is fined an additional \$200,000 as he signed an oath to a foreign corporation (per
- 5 USC 219).
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8 E. In addition to physical hard copy service, I emailed copies the verified *Notice of Legal Violations*
9 – *Opportunity to Cure* to the following:

10 • Erika Contreras, John Nam, Lynne Cervinka, Sheila Braverman, Chinook Shin, and Jocelyn
11 Twilla on July 13, 2024 at 11:25 am. An auto-responder from Ms. Cervika and Ms. Braverman
12 confirmed they each received the email.

13 • Samantha Brown, Doug Case, Grace Davis, Toni Duran, Ryan Eisberg and Anton Favorini-
14 Csorba on July 13, 2024 at 11:41 am. An auto-responder from Ms. Davis confirmed that she
15 received the email. On July 14, 2024 at 5:37 pm, I forwarded a copy of this email to a general
16 mailbox for Senator Atkins, Senator.Atkins@senate.ca.gov. An auto-responder confirmed that the
17 message had been received.

18 • Neisha Fritz, Diane Griffiths, Colin Grinnell, Nick Hardeman, Vanessa Henderson, and
19 Pamela Ison on July 13, 2024 at 11:47 am. Pamela Ison’s auto-responder stated that she is no longer
20 employed by Toni Atkins office. On July 14, 2024 at 5:37 pm, I forwarded a copy of this email to a
21 general mailbox for Senator Atkins, Senator.Atkins@senate.ca.gov. An auto-responder confirmed
22 that the message had been received. (Note: On Monday, August 5, 2024, Tylisa Suseberry stated in
23 a phone call with me that she believed that Ms. Ison has left the employment of the California State
24 Senate altogether. Ms. Suseberry also failed to answer when I asked if the people in her office had
25 signed proper oaths yet.)
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1 • Jonathan Peterson, Cole Reed, Kimberly Rodriguez, Tylisa Suseberry, Christopher Vallejo
2 and Jason Weisz at on July 13, 2024 at 11:51 am. An auto-responder from Ms. Rodriguez
3 confirmed that she received the email. On July 14, 2024 at 5:37 pm, I forwarded a copy of this
4 email to a general mailbox for Senator Atkins, Senator.Atkins@senate.ca.gov. An auto-responder
5 confirmed that the message had been received.
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7 • State Senator Anna Caballero and fourteen (14) of her staff on July 13, 2024 at 12:09 pm. I
8 received four (4) messages from her staff's auto-responders indicating that the emails had been
9 received.

10 • State Senator Scott Wiener, thirteen (13) of his staff, and the generic email for requesting a
11 meeting on July 14, 2024 at 5:19 pm. I received two (2) messages from his staff's auto-responders
12 indicating that the emails had been received. On August 5, 2024, I sent the email to another staffer
13 named Cesar Macias at 12:09 pm when he indicated on a phone call with me that he was unaware of
14 Senator Wiener's oath/bond violations.
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16 • Lieutenant-Governor Eleni Kounalakis, State Senator Shannon Groves, State Senator John
17 Laird, State Senator Toni Atkins, the Senate Rules general email, and fifteen State Senate staffers
18 on July 14, 2024 at 5:30 pm.
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20 • State Senator Durazo, two of her staff, and her generic contact email address of
21 senator.durazo@sen.ca.gov on July 15, 2024 at 10:26 am.
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23 F. I believe that each of the twenty-three (23) people who were named in the verified *Notice of*
24 *Legal Violations – Opportunity to Cure* has received a copy of the *Notice* and is aware that they are
25 working unlawfully.
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1 G. Since State Senate management and oversight personnel were also emailed a copy of the *Notice*,
2 I believe that upper management is aware of the fact that their organization has a relatively large
3 number of people unlawfully employed under their purview.
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6 H. The deadline of July 26, 2024, to provide copies of current, properly executed oaths and bonds
7 passed with no response from any of the four served in the *Notice of Legal Violations – Opportunity*
8 *to Cure* (Erika Contreras, John Nam, Lynne Cervinka, and Sheila Braverman), nor any of the
9 twenty-three other people who were named, nor any of the management, oversight staff, or legal
10 counsel.
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13 I. *Per Maxims of Law #3*, an un rebutted affidavit stands as truth in commerce. By failing to deny
14 any of the allegations presented in that *Notice of Legal Violations – Opportunity to Cure*, Erika
15 Contreras, John Nam, Lynne Cervinka, and Sheila Braverman have tacitly agreed to accept all
16 claims made in the document as true.
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18 J. *Per Maxims of Law #4*, an un rebutted affidavit is acted upon as the judgment in commerce. By
19 not disputing the true bill, Erika Contreras, John Nam, Lynn Cervinka and Sheila Braverman have
20 all agreed that the true bill presented to each of them is valid. I am entitled to a judgment as a matter
21 of fact and law. Therefore, it is currently due and must be paid in full (Note: this is the purpose of
22 the surety bond. It is ironic that you chose not to procure a surety bonds and now must pay this bill
23 out of your own pockets. If you'd procured bonds, you'd simply make a bond claim and the bond
24 company would pay the bill).
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1 K. Per *Maxims of Law #4*, an un rebutted affidavit is acted upon as the judgment in commerce. The
2 State Senate has not denied the allegations that the twenty-six (26) people named are lawfully
3 employed in accordance with 5 U.S. Code § 3331 and 5 U.S.C. 3333, California Government Code
4 Sections 1027, 1360, 1362-1369, 1450 – 1463, 18150 -18158, and Section 3 of Article XX of the
5 Constitution of California. The State Senate has failed to show that any of the twenty-six (26)
6 people has attempted to correct these legal violation so that they do have proper legal standing. As
7 such, all twenty-six (26) must be removed from office because they have invoked the self-executing
8 Sections 3 & 4 of the 14th Amendment by which they have vacated their respective offices and
9 forfeited all benefits thereof, including salaries and pensions.
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11 **II. Remedy to Cure**

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13 1. Per *Maxims of Law #5*, Guaranteed- All men shall have a remedy by the due course of law.
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16 2. In this matter, the remedy is the immediate resignation of all twenty-five (25) remaining people
17 named above (Pam Ison has already vacated her position). Each person has one week from the date
18 of service to vacate their positions.
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21 3. All people appointed to replace the people who are currently working unlawfully without oaths
22 and bonds must take proper oaths and procure surety bonds. Proof that the replacements are
23 working lawfully must be provided by the people at the State Senate who replace Ms. Contreras,
24 Mr. Nam, Ms. Cervinka and Ms. Braverman.
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26 4. Scott Wiener is to be indicted per US Criminal Code Title 18 U.S.C. § 912 for knowingly acting
27 a foreign agent posing as a government agent. As I documented in the verified *Notice of Legal*
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1 *Violations – Opportunity to Cure* on pages 7 – 8, I notified Scott Wiener’s office in January 2024
2 that the only oath that Scott Wiener had taken had expired at the end of 2018. No documentation
3 has been provided that Mr. Wiener has corrected this legal violation by taking a new oath, so Mr.
4 Wiener has knowingly been fraudulently occupying the office of State Senator for the past seven
5 months.

7 Scott Wiener is to also be prosecuted for committing treason for passing laws without
8 jurisdiction to do so (since he was not lawfully employed he had no legal jurisdiction to act as a
9 legislator) "When a judge acts where he or she does not have jurisdiction to act, the judge is
10 engaged in an act or acts of treason." US v Will, 449 US 200,216, 101 S Ct, 471, 66 LEd2nd 392,
11 406 (1980) Cohens V Virginia, 19 US (6 Wheat) 264, 404, 5LEd 257 (1821)

13 Furthermore, Krista Pfefferkorn, Senator Wiener’s Chief of Staff, is also be prosecuted for
14 *conspiring to cover up criminal activities*. In order to perpetrate this cover-up, she committed fraud
15 by claiming that Scott Wiener did have a current oath on file. When I asked Ms. Pfefferkorn to
16 provide a copy of this alleged oath, she claimed that it was illegal for Scott Wiener’s office to
17 provide a copy of his oath; that the oath could only be obtained from the State Senate Committee.
18 Ms. Pfefferkorn did not provide a statute to support this claim.

19 On August 5, 2024, I spoke with John Nam on the phone. Mr. Nam also did not provide a
20 statute to support this claim. On August 5, 2024, I also telephonically spoke with Jaedyn Liggon,
21 who works in Erika Contreras’s office. Ms. Liggon put me on hold and asked someone for the
22 statute; whoever she asked did not provide a statute. I believe that this claim that it was “illegal” for
23 Senator Wiener’s office to provide a copy of the current oath was fraud committed to deprive me of
24 my right to know whether a government employee is lawfully employed. As such, Ms. Pfefferkorn
25 committed the felony of 18 USC 242, *Deprivation of Rights Under the Color of Law*.

1 5. All legislature authored, co-authored and/or sponsored by State Senator Scott Wiener since his
2 oath expired at the end of 2018 must be voided as Scott Wiener had no legal standing to create and
3 submit legislative bills after January 1, 2019, and thus had no jurisdiction to create said laws.

4 Per California Government Code Section 18154, without an oath, the position that Wiener
5 fraudulently filled has legally been considered since the expiration of the oath at the end of 2018:
6 “Any person who is appointed to a State position not in the State civil service and who fails to take
7 the oath required by this chapter within the time provided forthwith forfeits his right to his position,
8 and the position shall be considered vacant.”
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11 6. If all four conditions above are met, then the matter will be considered remediated and the true
12 bill will be voided.

13 However, if Erika Contreras, John Nam, Lynn Cervinka and Sheila Braverman all continue
14 to work unlawfully themselves, while conspiring with the twenty-one (21) remaining named
15 individuals to all work unlawfully, the true bill for each of those four individuals will become
16 immediately payable in full.
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18 In addition to the true bill, I will be required per 18 USC §4 *Misprision of Felony* to notify
19 the proper magistrates of these egregious and intentional violations of the state and federal laws.
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21 22 **III. Closing**

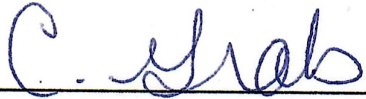
23 I would like to remind the State Senate that “we the people” – your constituents -- pay your
24 salaries. We constituents are your employers. The government was created by “we the people” to
25 protect us, serve us, and keep us safe from harm. It is concerning to “we the people” that so far, the
26 State Senate has shown complete disregard for their legal obligations to properly serve their
27 constituents in accordance with state and federal laws.
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1 I pray that you will do the right thing for your constituents by having each of the people
2 named above vacate their positions. I pray that you will replace the unlawful employees with lawful
3 government agents who have current, properly executed oaths promising to uphold the laws of the
4 state and federal constitutions, and also have surety bonds in place to offer remedy to the public if
5 harm is done.
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8 **IV. Verification**

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

11 DATED: August 7, 2024
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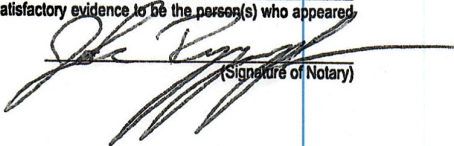
16 Christine N. Grab

17 A People of the State of California

18 A notary public or other officer completing this certificate verifies only the identity of the individual who signed the document to which this certificate is attached, and not the truthfulness, accuracy, or validity of that document.

19 STATE OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF San Diego
Subscribed and sworn to (or affirmed) before me on this 7 day of August
20 2024 by Christine N. Grab

21 proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the person(s) who appeared before me.

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(Signature of Notary)

