UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

JOHN DOE #1, an individual; et al.,

Plaintiffs - Appellees,

v.

SAM REED, in his official capacity as Secretary of State of Washington; et al.,

Defendants - Appellants,

and

WASHINGTON COALITION FOR OPEN GOVERNMENT,

> Defendant-Intervenor -Appellant.

Nos. 09-35818, 09-35826

D.C. No. 3:09-cv-05456-BHS Western District of Washington, Tacoma

ORDER

The court sua sponte consolidates these preliminary injunction appeals: No. 09-35818 and No. 09-35826. Appellants' request to expedite the briefing schedule is granted in part. Appellants have filed their opening brief. Intervenor's brief is due September 23, 2009. Appellees' answering brief is due September 25, 2009. Appellants' optional reply brief is due September 28, 2009. Intervenor's optional reply brief is due September 30, 2009.

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MOLLY C. DWYER, CLERK U.S. COURT OF APPEALS The provisions of Ninth Circuit Rule 31-2.2(a) shall not apply to these consolidated appeals.

The court will hear oral argument on Wednesday, October 14, 2009, at 11:00 a.m. at The Richard H. Chambers Courthouse in Pasadena, California. Each side will be given fifteen minutes for oral argument. Appellants shall share the balance of their fifteen minutes with intervenor.

FOR THE COURT:

Molly Dwyer Clerk of Court

By: Amber West Motions Attorney/Deputy Clerk 9th Cir. R. 27-7 General Orders/Appendix A