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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

**GUN OWNERS OF AMERICA, INC.,
et al.,**

Plaintiffs,

**Case No. 1:18-cv-01429
Hon. Paul L. Maloney**

v.

MATTHEW WHITAKER, et al.,

Defendants.

**GUN OWNERS OF CALIFORNIA’S MOTION TO BE
JOINED AS A PARTY PLAINTIFF PURSUANT TO FRCP 20**

NOW COMES, GUN OWNERS OF CALIFORNIA, INC., (“GOC”) by and through its Attorneys, PENTIUK, COUVREUR & KOBILJAK, P.C., pursuant to Rule 20 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, and hereby moves to join proposed Plaintiff GOC with Plaintiffs GUN OWNERS OF AMERICA, INC., GUN OWNERS FOUNDATION, VIRGINIA CITIZENS DEFENSE LEAGUE, MATT WATKINS, TIM HARMSSEN, and RACHEL MALONE, on the grounds that the claims asserted against the Defendants and Plaintiffs’ rights to relief arise out of the same series of transactions or occurrences and implicate common questions of fact and law, and in support states as follows:

1. Defendants were contacted and stated by email on February 22, 2019, that they do not oppose joinder of Gun Owners of California in this action.
2. GOC has read the Plaintiffs’ Complaint for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief, is a person that meets the criteria of FRCP 20, and desires to be joined as a Plaintiff in this action.
3. GOC relies upon its Brief in Support of this Motion attached hereto.

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WHEREFORE, GUN OWNERS OF CALIFORNIA, INC., respectfully requests this Honorable Court grant the relief requested in this Motion and permit it to join this action as a Plaintiff.

Respectfully submitted,
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