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MOTION FOR INJUNCTION PENDING APPEAL

Pursuant to Rule 8(a)(1)(C) of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure and Rule 62(c) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, plaintiffs Sierra Nevada Forest Protection Campaign, *et al.*, hereby request that this Court enjoin the defendants United States Forest Service, *et al.* from awarding any timber sale contracts to implement the Meadow Valley Defensible Fuel Profile Zone and Group Selection Project (“Project”), or in any way authorizing the commencement of logging or other activities pursuant to the Project, except for legitimate fire risk reduction activities such as prescribed burning or undergrowth thinning, pending the final disposition of plaintiffs’ appeal to the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals from the Judgment entered in this case on May 9, 2005.

As detailed in the Stipulation and Joint Request Regarding Resolution of Plaintiffs' Motion for Injunction Pending Appeal, submitted herewith, the parties have requested that the Court expedite its determination of this Motion by ruling on the basis of the shortened briefing schedule agreed to by the parties and without a hearing before this Court.

Respectfully submitted,

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