IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS EL PASO DIVISION

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CITIZENS, et al.,	S	
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Plaintiffs,	S	
	S	Case No. 3:21-cv-00259
V.	S	
	S	[Lead Case]
Greg Abbott, et al.,	S	
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Defendants.	S	
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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	(
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Plaintiff,	Š	
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V.	8	Case No. 3:21-cv-00299
	8	[Consolidated Case]
STATE OF TEXAS, et al.,	Š	,
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Defendants.	Š	
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NOTICE OF APPEAL BY TEXAS LEGISLATORS AND EMPLOYEES AS THIRD-PARTY MOVANTS

Third-party movants—Lieutenant Governor Dan Patrick, Representative Tom Craddick, Representative Ryan Guillen, Representative Todd Hunter, Representative Jacey Jetton, Representative Ken King, Representative Brooks Landgraf, Representative Geanie Morrison, Representative Andrew Murr, Senator Joan Huffman, Adam Foltz, Koy Kunkel, Anna Mackin, and Sean Opperman—appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit this Court's Order entered on July 25, 2022. See Order Enforcing Third-Party Subpoenas, ECF 467. That Order granted the United States' motion to enforce third-party subpoenas duces tecum against Texas legislators and legislative employees. See Order, ECF 467; see also U.S. Mot. to Enforce Third-Party Subpoenas, ECF 351.

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