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19 **SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA**

20 **FOR THE COUNTY SACRAMENTO**

21 ELECTION INTEGRITY PROJECT
22 CALIFORNIA, INC.; LARRY LEWIS, an
23 individual; COLETTE CASEY, an individual;
24 ELLEN SWENSEN, an individual; THOMAS
25 D. PAVICH an individual; and CHARLES
26 SHINN, an individual,

27 Petitioners,

28 v.

29 SHIRLEY WEBER, CALIFORNIA
30 SECRETARY OF STATE; BOB PAGE,
31 ORANGE COUNTY REGISTRAR OF
32 VOTERS; DEAN LOGAN, LOS ANGELES
33 COUNTY REGISTRAR-
34 RECORDER/COUNTY CLERK; ART
35 TINOCO, RIVERSIDE COUNTY
36 REGISTRAR OF VOTERS; AIMEE X.
37 EXPINOZA, KERN COUNTY AUDITOR-
38 CONTROLLER-COUNTY CLERK; and
39 MICHELLE BALDWIN, TULARE COUNTY
40 REGISTRAR OF VOTERS,

41 Respondents,

Case No.:

**DECLARATION OF CHARLES SHINN
IN SUPPORT OF VERIFIED PETITION
FOR WRIT OF MANDATE**

PRIORITY ELECTION MATTER
(Cal. Elec. Code § 13314)

ACTION REQUIRED BY:
November 6, 2024

I, Charles Shinn, the undersigned, declare as follows:

1 1. I am a United States Citizen over the age of eighteen years and am a party to the
2 above-referenced action. I make this declaration based on my own firsthand knowledge unless stated
3 otherwise. If called to testify as a witness, I could and would testify competently thereto.

4 2. I make this declaration in support of Petitioners' Verified Peremptory Writ of
5 Mandate.

6 3. I am a registered voter in the County of Kern, State of California and am currently a
7 resident of Kern County, California.

8 4. I voted in the 2022 midterm election, which was held on November 8, 2022, and was
9 a Kern County resident prior to, and at the time of, the November 2022 election. I also intend to
10 vote in the 2024 general election on November 5, 2024, as a Kern County resident.

11 5. I am a "Citizen Observer" with the oversight of the Kern County Coordinator for
12 Election Integrity Project California ("EIPCa"). I formerly served as a volunteer with EIPCa, a
13 Petitioner in this action. The EIPCa is a nonpartisan nonprofit 501(c)(3) nonprofit public benefit
14 corporation committed to defending, through education, research, and advocacy the civil rights of
15 United States citizens to fully participate in the election process under Federal and state law. I have
16 volunteered with EIPCa since May 2022.

17 6. I participated in EIPCa's Citizen Observation Education program prior to serving as
18 an EIPCa election observer and completed this program on March 30, 2022. Through participating
19 in this program, I was trained on how to observe the election processes and document any observed
20 election irregularities. I also participated in the Kern County Mock Election Training on June 15-
21 16, 2023.

22 7. I was a volunteer election observer for EIPCa in Kern County, California for the
23 November 8, 2022, midterm election, the March 5, 2023, primary election, the March 19, 2023
24 special election, and the May 21, 2023 special election. I also observed the A & B ballot processing
25 on May 3, 2022, and I observed the 2022 recount processes for Senatorial District 16 (David Shepard
26 and Melissa Hurtado).

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8. As both a voter and a volunteer observer of elections, I understand the importance of ensuring that each vote cast by a voter counts. Thus, I bring the present Petition to request that my county elections official and the Secretary of State participate in an accurate count and proper certification of the votes cast in the November 2024 election.

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

Executed on October 25, 2024, at Bakersfield, California.

Charles Shinn
Charles Shinn (Oct 25, 2024 13:08 PDT)
Charles Shinn, DECLARANT

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