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10 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
11 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
12 SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA, by and )  
14 through XAVIER BECERRA, Attorney )  
General; and STATE OF NEW )  
15 MEXICO, by and through HECTOR )  
16 BALDERAS, Attorney General, )  
Plaintiffs, )

17 v. )

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19 Case No. 3:17-cv-03804-EDL )  
20 Consolidated with No. 3:17-cv-03885-EDL )  
21 **DEFENDANTS' NOTICE OF APPEAL**

22 U.S. BUREAU OF LAND )  
23 MANAGEMENT; KATHARINE S. )  
24 MACGREGOR, Acting Assistant )  
Secretary for Land and Minerals )  
25 Management, U.S. Department of the )  
Interior; and RYAN ZINKE, Secretary of )  
the Interior, )  
Defendants. )

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27 SIERRA CLUB; CENTER FOR )  
BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY; )  
28 ENVIRONMENTAL DEFENSE FUND; )  
NATIONAL WILDLIFE FEDERATION; )

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NATURAL RESOURCES DEFENSE  
COUNCIL; THE WILDERNESS  
SOCIETY; CITIZENS FOR A  
HEALTHY COMMUNITY; DINE  
CITIZENS AGAINST RUINING OUR  
ENVIRONMENT; EARTHWORKS;  
ENVIRONMENTAL LAW AND  
POLICY CENTER; FORT BERTHOLD  
PROTECTORS OF WATER AND  
EARTH RIGHTS; MONTANA  
ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION  
CENTER; SAN JUAN CITIZENS  
ALLIANCE; WESTERN  
ORGANIZATION OF RESOURCE  
COUNCILS; WILDERNESS  
WORKSHOP; WILDEARTH  
GUARDIANS; and WYOMING  
OUTDOOR COUNCIL,

Plaintiffs,

v.

RYAN ZINKE, in his official capacity as  
Secretary of the Interior; BUREAU OF  
LAND MANAGEMENT; and UNITED  
STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE  
INTERIOR,

Defendants.

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1 Please take notice that Defendants U.S. Bureau of Land Management; the U.S.  
2 Department of the Interior; Ryan Zinke, in his official capacity as Secretary of the Interior; and  
3 Katharine MacGregor, in her official capacity as Acting Assistant Secretary for Land and  
4 Minerals Management, U.S. Department of the Interior, hereby appeal to the U.S. Court of  
5 Appeals for the Ninth Circuit from the District Court's October 4, 2017 Order Granting  
6 Plaintiffs' Motions for Summary Judgment (ECF No. 95) and October 4, 2017 Judgment (ECF  
7 No. 96) in these consolidated cases, *California v. U.S. Bureau of Land Management*, No. 3:17-  
8 cv-03804-EDL, and *Sierra Club v. Zinke*, No. 3:17-cv-03885-EDL.

9 Respectfully submitted this 4th day of December, 2017.

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