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16 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
17 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

18 UNITED STATES

19 Plaintiff,

20 vs.

21 ROBERT HUNTER BIDEN,

22 Defendant.

**Case No. 2:23-CR-00599-MCS-1**

*Hon. Mark C. Scarsi*

**DECLARATION OF MARK  
GERAGOS AND SUPPORTING  
EXHIBITS**

Date: August 5, 2024  
Time: 3:00 p.m.  
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**DECLARATION OF MARK J. GERAGOS**

I, Mark J. Geragos, declare as follows:

1. I am the Principal of Geragos & Geragos APC, counsel for Defendant Robert Hunter Biden in the above-captioned matter. I am licensed to practice before all of the Courts of the State of California and am admitted to practice before the United States District Court for the Central, Eastern and Northern Districts of California. I have personal knowledge of the facts set forth herein and, if called as a witness, I could and would testify to such matters.

2. I submit this declaration in support of Defendant’s motion to dismiss the indictment for lack of jurisdiction.

3. Attached hereto as Exhibit A is a true and correct copy of a news article I accessed online at Politico’s website on July 17, 2024 authored by Betsy Woodruff Swan and entitled *Federal prosecutor to Congress: I didn’t hinder Hunter Biden probe*, available at <https://www.politico.com/news/2023/10/27/hunter-biden-tax-charges-california-00124037>.

4. Attached hereto as Exhibit B is a true and correct copy of a law review article I accessed online on the Wall Street Journal’s website on July 18, 2024 authored by Brett M. Kavanaugh and entitled *The President and the Independent Counsel*, 86 Geo. L.J. 2133, 2136-37 (1998), available at [https://www.wsj.com/public/resources/documents/2018\\_0628\\_kavanaugh\\_1998\\_president\\_independent\\_counsel.pdf](https://www.wsj.com/public/resources/documents/2018_0628_kavanaugh_1998_president_independent_counsel.pdf), and on Westlaw.

5. Attached hereto as Exhibit C is a true and correct copy of the Office of the Attorney General Appointment Order of David C. Weiss as Special Counsel, Order No. 5730-2023, available at [https://www.justice.gov/d9/2023-08/order.appointment\\_of\\_david\\_c.\\_weiss\\_as\\_special\\_counsel.pdf](https://www.justice.gov/d9/2023-08/order.appointment_of_david_c._weiss_as_special_counsel.pdf).



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on July 18, 2024, I filed the foregoing Declaration of Mark Geragos and Supporting Exhibits with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send a notification of such filing to all counsel of record.

*/s/ Mark Geragos*  
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