IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF KANSAS WICHITA DIVISION

State of MONTANA, State of KANSAS, State of IOWA, State of SOUTH DAKOTA, State of MISSISSIPPI, State of NEBRASKA, State of NORTH DAKOTA, State of OKLAHOMA, and State of SOUTH CAROLINA,

Plaintiffs,

v.

JOSEPH R. BIDEN, JR., in his official capacity as President of the United States; DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY; JANET L. YELLEN, in her official capacity as Secretary of the Department of the Treasury: DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE; MERRICK B. GARLAND, in his official capacity as the Attorney General of the United States; DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR; DEBRA A. HAALAND, in her official capacity as the Secretary of the Department of the Interior; DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; THOMAS J. VILSACK, in his official capacity as the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture; DEPARTMENT OF LABOR; JULIE A. SU, in her official capacity as the Acting Secretary of the Department of Labor: DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES: XAVIER BECERRA, in his official capacity as the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services; DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT; ADRIANNE TODMAN, in her official capacity as the Acting Secretary of the Department of Housing and Urban Development; DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION; MIGUEL CARDONA, in his official capacity as the Secretary of the Department of Education; and the UNITED STATES OF AMERICA;

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 6:24-cv-01141

NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL UNDER RULE 41(a)(1)(A)(i)

Under Rule 41(a)(1)(A)(i) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, Plaintiffs hereby give notice that the above-captioned action is voluntarily dismissed against all Defendants. No Defendant has served an answer or moved for summary judgment. Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i). Plaintiffs therefore notice voluntary dismissal of this action without prejudice. Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(B).

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