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## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF OREGON

D. JEANETTE FINICUM; THARA
TENNEY; TIERRA COLIER; ROBERT
FINICUM; TAWNY CRANE; ARIANNA
BROWN; BRITTNEY BECK; MITCH
FINICUM; THOMAS KINNE; CHALLICE
FINCH; JAMES FINICUM; DANIELLE
FINICUM; TEAN FINICUM and the
ESTATE OF ROBERT LAVOY FINICUM

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 2:18-CV-00160-SU

PLAINTIFFS' RESPONSE TO THIS COURT'S ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE v.

BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT; DANIEL P. LOVE; SALVATORE LAURO; W. JOSEPH ASTARITA; SPECIAL AGENT BM; MICHAEL FERRARI; STATE OF OREGON; OREGON STATE POLICE; KATHERINE BROWN; HARNEY COUNTY; CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, and the UNITED STATES

## Defendants.

Now come the Plaintiffs, by and through their counsel, respectfully request that this Court render its Order to Show Cause, signed on 11/17/2021, moot. Plaintiffs present the following:

- 1) This response complies with Local Rule 41-2(a), as Plaintiffs are appearing, in writing, within the ten-day constraint that this Court mandated;
  - 2) Plaintiffs filed a motion for leave to amend;
  - 3) Plaintiffs filed an amended complaint pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 15(a)(1);
- 4) Defendants are aware of both, the motion to amend and the amended complaint, as they have seen the amended complaint and commented on it per the conferral requirement under LR- 7-1;
  - 5) The causes of action are pleaded anew, per this Court's comments;
- 6) And, the new cause of action, i.e. R.I.C.O. claim, ties all prior causes of action together, bringing all Defendants, dismissed and current, before this Court for adjudication of liability.

DATED: November 19, 2021

/s/ J. Morgan Philpot

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I, Morgan Philpot, hereby certify that on this day, November 19, 2021, 2021, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served on all counsel through the Court's CM/ECF case filing system.

<u>/s/ J. Morgan Philpot</u> J. Morgan Philpot