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11 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

12 MARIA M. GONZALEZ, et al.,

13 Plaintiffs,

14 v.

15 STATE OF ARIZONA, et al.,

16 Defendants.

No. CV06-1268-PHX ROS (LEAD)  
CV06-1362-PHX-ROS  
CV06-1575-PHX-ROS  
(Consolidated)

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18 **DECLARATION OF  
KAREN OSBORNE**

19 I, Karen Osborne, being first duly sworn upon my oath depose and state the  
20 following:

21 1. I am the Maricopa County Director of Elections and have been employed  
22 by Maricopa County as the Elections Director since 1994 and the Deputy Director of

1 Elections since 1991. I also serve as a Deputy to Maricopa County Recorder Helen  
2 Purcell.

3       2. I am responsible for the process of registering eligible persons to vote and  
4 polling place procedures, including proof of identification at the polls, in Maricopa  
5 County, and therefore have knowledge relevant to the matters described herein.

6       3. Although Arizona law requires only requires a registrant's residential  
7 address, the voter registration form provides space for an individual to list both his or  
8 her residential address and mailing address. The official precinct registers for use at the  
9 polling place contains the full name, party preference, date of registration, residence  
10 address, and mailing address of each qualified elector in the respective precincts. A  
11 qualified elector may add his or her mailing address to the registration by submitting a  
12 completed voter registration form to the county recorder's office or through the Internet.

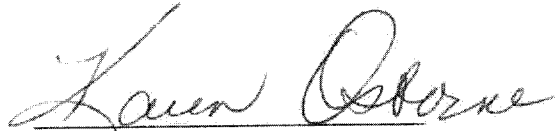
13       4. A valid Arizona driver license is an acceptable form of identification for  
14 receiving a ballot at the registrant's polling place. A registered voter that has a post  
15 office box on his or her driver's license will be provided a regular ballot if the  
16 precinct's register lists the post office box address as a mailing address. If the precinct  
17 register does not list the post office box address, then the registrant will be supplied a  
18 provisional ballot. The registrant will not be given a conditional provisional ballot and  
19 will not have to return to the polling place or the recorder's office with another form of  
20 identification that contains the voter's residential address. Instead, the provisional  
21 ballots are transported back to the central counting center where the ballots are accepted

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1 or rejected after the Elections Department verifies that the signature on the provisional  
2 ballot envelope matches the signature on the person's voter registration form.

3 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing assertions of fact are true and  
4 correct.

5 Executed this 7<sup>th</sup> day of January 2008.

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7 Karen Osborne  
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1 **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

2 I hereby certify that on this 7th day of January, 2008, I electronically  
3 transmitted the attached document to the Clerk's Office using the ECF System for  
4 filing, and transmittal of a Notice of Electronic Filing to the following ECF registrants:  
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/s Elizabeth Stark

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