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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

1776 PROJECT FOUNDATION, Plaintiff, v. ALBERTO M. CARVALHO, Superintendent of the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD), SCOTT SCHMERELSON, President of the Los Angeles Unified School District (LAUSD) Board of Education, and BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT,	Case No. 2:26-cv-00548-HDV-AGR **DECLARATION OF NIGLMORO OKUK** District Judge: Hon. Hernán D. Vera Magistrate Judge: Hon. Alicia G. Rosenberg Hearing Date: July 30, 2026 Hearing Time: 10:00 AM Courtroom: 5B Judge: Hernán D. Vera

Defendants,

A.M., a minor by and through their parent and next of kin Niglmoro Okuk; E.H., a minor by and through their parent and next of kin Latonya Huey.

Proposed Defendant-Intervenors.

DECLARATION OF NIGLMORO OKUK

Niglmoro Okuk, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, declares the following:

1. My name is Niglmoro Okuk, I am over 18 years of age, and I am fully competent to make this declaration.

2. I live in Los Angeles, California, and my family has lived in Los Angeles for five generations. We have lived in Los Angeles our entire lives.

3. My child, A.M., is an eight-year-old, Black second grade student at Point Fermin Marine Science Magnet School.

4. Point Fermin Marine Science Magnet School serves students in kindergarten through fifth grade, provides a specialized marine science curriculum, and is part of the Los Angeles Unified School District ("LAUSD").

5. A.M.'s resident school is Charles W. Barrett Elementary. LAUSD currently designates Barrett Elementary as a "Predominantly Hispanic, Black, Asian, or other Non-Anglo" school.

6. It was important for me that A.M. attend a school with more racial and socio-economic diversity than our resident school.

7. A.M. wants to work with sea animals when they grow up. A.M. is particularly interested in marine biology and the local coastal ecosystem.

8. At school, A.M. participates in the crochet club, garden club, dance, and theatre.

9. A.M. has attended Point Fermin Marine Science Magnet and benefited from the school's close relationship with San Pedro institutions like the Cabrillo Aquarium, the Marine Mammal Rescue Center, the Point Fermin Lighthouse, and the Aquarium of the Pacific.

10. Point Fermin Marine Science Magnet has nurtured A.M on a beautiful and safe campus, encouraged A.M.'s interests and achievement in science and ecology and fostered their interest in arts and music.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on this ___4th__ day of June, 2026.

By: Niglmoro Okuk
Niglmoro Okuk