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16 SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA  
17 COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO  
18 UNLIMITED JURISDICTION  
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20 RICHARD SANDER, JOE HICKS, and the  
21 CALIFORNIA FIRST AMENDMENT  
COALITION,

22 Petitioners,

23 v.

24 THE STATE BAR OF CALIFORNIA and the  
25 BOARD OF GOVERNORS OF THE STATE  
BAR OF CALIFORNIA,

26 Respondents.  
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~~PROPOSED~~ ORDER DENYING  
LEAVE TO INTERVENE

Place: Dept. 502

Judge: Hon. A. James Robertson II

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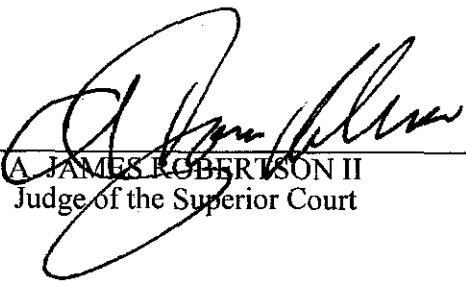
The motion for leave to intervene by the proposed intervenors, Dwight Aarons, George Acero, Daniel James Alexander II, Charlene Bellinger Honig, Nikki Brown, Peter L. Carr IV, Claudia J. Castillo, Eugene Clark-Herrera, Francisco Cortes, Kendra Fox Davis, Lisa Gilford, Marc-Tizoc Gonzalez, Rebecca Hall, Sara Jackson, Rasheda Kilpatrick, Pariss A. Knox, Andrea Luquetta, Xochitl Marquez, Letitia D. Moore, Shirin Soleman, Angela Crystelle Thomas-Taylor, Anthony J. Tolbert, Erika K. Woods, and Doe 1 (“Proposed Intervenors”), came on for hearing before this Court on January 28, 2009, the Honorable A. James Robertson II presiding. The motion was opposed by petitioners, Richard Sander, Joe Hicks, and the California First Amendment Coalition (“Petitioners”). Respondents, the State Bar of California and the Board of Governors of the State Bar (“Respondents”), filed a statement of non-opposition. The Proposed Intervenors were represented by William Abrams, Bingham McCutchen LLP. Petitioners were represented by James Chadwick, Sheppard Mullin Richter & Hampton LLP. Respondents were represented by Michael von Loewenfeldt, Kerr & Wagstaffe LLP.

The Court having read and considered the papers related to the motion, and having had the benefit of oral argument by the parties and the Proposed Intervenors, and good cause appearing therefor, it is hereby ordered that the motion for leave to intervene is denied. The denial of the motion is without prejudice to either of the following: (1) A renewed motion by the Proposed Intervenors for leave to intervene if and when the question of the adequacy of the protocols for disclosure of the requested records to protect the privacy interests of the Proposed Intervenors is before the Court for consideration and determination; or (2), in the alternative, a renewed motion by the Proposed Intervenors, at any time, for leave to intervene for the limited

1 purpose of addressing the adequacy of the protocols for disclosure of the requested records to  
2 protect the privacy interests of the Proposed Intervenors.

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4 IT IS SO ORDERED.

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8 DATED: *Feb 4, 2009*

  
A. JAMES ROBERTSON II  
Judge of the Superior Court

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