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JANUARY 27, 2005 BE MAINTAINED
UNDER CONDITIONAL SEAL 13 v. 14 MICHAEL JACKSON, 15 Defendant. 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25 26 27

APPLICATION TO FILE UNDER SEAL

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TO DEFENDANT MICHAEL JOSEPH JACKSON AND HIS ATTORNEYS OF RECORD:

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that Janet Arvizo hereby moves for an order directing that the Notice of Objection to Subpoenas dated January 27, 2005 be maintained under conditional seal until further order of court, pursuant to California Rules of Court, Rule 243.1, et seq., and pursuant to this Court's Order of July 9, 2004 (the "July 9 Order").

The Motion will be based on this Notice of Motion, the Memorandum of Points and Authorities served and filed herewith, the Declaration of Larry R. Feldman, the records and the file herein, and on such evidence as may be presented to the Court.

Dated: January 27, 2005

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MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

Under California Rule of Court 243.2, "[a] record must not be filed under seal without a court order." Motions and responsive pleadings in criminal cases are, ordinarily, "public" records of the court.

Rule 243.1(d) provides that

The court may order that a record be filed under seal only if it expressly finds facts that establish:

- (1) There exists an overriding interest that overcomes the right of public access to the record;
- The overriding interest supports sealing the record;
- (3) A substantial probability exists that the overriding interest will be prejudiced if the record is not sealed;
- (4) The proposed sealing is narrowly tailored; and
- (5) No less restrictive means exist to achieve the overriding interest.

Rule 243.1(e) provides, in pertinent part:

(1) An order scaling the record must (i) specifically set forth the facts, findings that support the findings and (ii) direct the scaling of only those documents and pages, or, if reasonably practicable, portions of those documents and pages, that contain the material that needs to be placed under scal. All other portions of each document or page must be included in the public file.

Rule 243.2(b) provides in pertinent part that "pending the determination of the motion [of a party to file a record under seal], the lodged record will be conditionally under seal."

In its July 9 Order, the Court has already determined that papers such as those sought to be filed under seal here should be so filed. (See Exh. 1 at ¶ 4.) Furthermore, the facts of

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| | 1 1 | and intense public interest in this case justify maintaining these records under conditional |
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| | 1 2 | seal, for instance to protect Complainant's well-being. Accordingly, Janet Arvizo |
| | 3 | respectfully asks that this Court file these papers under seal. |
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DECLARATION OF LARRY R. FELDMAN

I, Larry R. Feldman, declare as follows:

- 1. I am an attorney licensed to practice law in the State of California and am Special Counsel with the firm of Kaye Scholer LLP, counsel for Janet Arvizo for purposes of the Objection to Notice of Objection to Subpoenas. If called to testify in this action, I could and would testify as follows:
- 2. This Application to file records under seal is made on the grounds that these records make reference to evidentiary facts not yet made public.
- 3. I believe that the interest of each party to a fair trial overrides the public's prompt access to these records until the appropriateness of the release of a redacted version of these records is determined by the court.
- 4. I believe an order maintaining these records under seal in the interim would avert the probability of prejudice, and that no more narrowly tailored order with respect to these records could be drafted to achieve the overriding interest in a fair trial.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is true and correct.

Executed on January 27, 2005, at Los Angeles, California

Larry R. Feldman

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APPLICATION FOR AN ORDER DIRECTING THAT THE OBJECTION TO SUBPOENAS DATED JANUARY 27, 2005 BE MAINTAINED UNDER CONDITIONAL SEAL

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