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The Honorable Catherine C. Blake United States District Court for the District of Maryland 101 West Lombard Street Chambers 7D Baltimore, Maryland 21201

Re: Stephen v. Kolbe, et al. v. Martin O'Malley, et al.

No. 1:13-cv-02841-CCB

Dear Judge Blake:

Attached as supplemental authority in connection with the parties' cross-motions for summary judgment in the above-referenced matter is a recent decision by the United States District Court for the District of Colorado in *Colorado Outfitters Assoc. v. John W. Hickenlooper*, Civ. A. No. 13-cv-01300-MSK-MJW (D. Colo. June 26, 2014). In the decision, the district court upholds the constitutionality of Colorado's prohibition against the possession or transfer of a "large-capacity magazine," defined under Colorado law as "a fixed or detachable magazine, box, drum, feed strip, or similar device capable of accepting, or that is designed to be readily converted to accept, more than fifteen rounds of ammunition." *Colorado Outfitters Assoc.*, slip. op. at 5. The slip opinion, which also addresses jurisdictional issues and a separate provision of Colorado law relating to background checks, addresses the prohibition against large-capacity magazines at pages 2-5 and 19-36, and addresses a vagueness challenge to that same prohibition at pages 41-46.

Very truly yours,

/s/

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cc: all counsel of record (via CM/ECF)