

No. 17-1351

**IN THE
UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT**

INTERNATIONAL REFUGEE ASSISTANCE PROJECT, et al.,)	Appeal from the United States District Court for the District of Maryland
<i>Plaintiffs-Appellees,</i>)	
<i>v.</i>)	No. 8:17-cv-00361-TDC
DONALD J. TRUMP, et al.,)	The Honorable Theodore D. Chuang, Judge Presiding
<i>Defendants-Appellants.</i>)	

MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE BRIEF AND APPENDIX OF CHICAGO, LOS ANGELES, NEW YORK, PHILADELPHIA, AND OTHER MAJOR CITIES AND COUNTIES AS *AMICI CURIAE* IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFFS-APPELLEES AS IS

Chicago, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, and other major U.S. cities and counties respectfully submit this motion for leave to file their brief and appendix as is as *amici curiae* in support of affirmance and in opposition to the motion to stay the preliminary injunction.

1. The court issued a brief correction notice on April 19, 2016 regarding the appendix included with our brief *amicus curiae*, and requesting that the appendix be filed under separate cover and with a

motion for leave to file the separate appendix as an addendum to supplement the brief.

2. The appendix includes citations and additional data supporting arguments in our brief, and was included with our brief to document the information on which we rely for the convenience of the court. The brief and the appendix together are 6,371 words, as certified by our certificate of compliance. That is under the word limit for an amicus brief on the merits.

3. After a discussion between an attorney in my office and the Clerk's Office of this Court, we were advised, rather than refile the brief with a separate appendix, to file a motion for leave to file the brief and appendix as is.

WHEREFORE, *amici* respectfully request that this Court grant them leave to file their previously tendered *amicus* brief and appendix as is.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on April 19, 2017, I electronically filed the foregoing Motion for Leave to File Brief and Appendix of Chicago, Los Angeles, New York, Philadelphia, and Other Major Cities and Counties as *Amici Curiae* in Support of Plaintiffs-Appellees As Is with the Clerk of the Court for the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit by using the appellate CM/ECF system.

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