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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

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FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

DONALD WELCH; et al.,

Plaintiffs - Appellees,

v.

EDMUND G. BROWN, JR., Governor of
the State of California, in his official
capacity; et al.,

Defendants - Appellants.

No. 13-15023

D.C. No. 2:12-cv-02484-WBS-KJN
Eastern District of California,
Sacramento

ORDER

Before: KOZINSKI, Chief Judge, and GRABER and CHRISTEN, Circuit Judges.

Within 14 days of the filed date of this order, each party shall file a supplemental brief, not to exceed 10 pages, addressing the following question: Should the court undertake plenary review of the legal issues in this case, rather than limiting review to the question whether the district court abused its discretion? See Gorbach v. Reno, 219 F.3d 1087, 1091 (9th Cir. 2000) (en banc). In answering this question, the parties shall discuss whether the evidence relevant to assessing the constitutionality of SB 1172 is limited to the legislative record or also includes evidence newly submitted to the district court. See Turner Broad. Sys. v. FCC, 520 U.S. 180 (1997); Turner Broad. Sys. v. FCC, 512 U.S. 622 (1994).