

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

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U.S. COURT OF APPEALS

REGENTS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF
CALIFORNIA; et al.,

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

v.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA; et al.,

Defendants-Appellants.

Nos. 18-15068
18-15069
18-15070
18-15071
18-15072
18-15128
18-15133
18-15134

D.C. Nos. 3:17-cv-05211-WHA
3:17-cv-05235-WHA
3:17-cv-05329-WHA
3:17-cv-05380-WHA
3:17-cv-05813-WHA

Northern District of California,
San Francisco

ORDER

The court sua sponte expedites appeal Nos. 18-15128, 18-15133, 18-15134, and consolidates them with pending consolidated appeal Nos. 18-15068, 18-15069, 18-15070, 18-15071, and 18-15072. The Clerk shall update the docket accordingly.

The following briefing schedule shall apply to the consolidated appeals: the consolidated first brief on cross-appeal by Defendants is due February 13, 2018.

The consolidated second brief on cross-appeal by Plaintiffs is due March 13, 2018.

The consolidated third brief on cross-appeal by Defendants is due April 10, 2018.

The consolidated optional fourth brief on cross-appeal by Plaintiffs is due within 21 days after service of the third brief on cross-appeal.

All parties on a side are encouraged to join in a single brief to the greatest extent practicable. *See* 9th Cir. R. 28-4.

This order is without prejudice to any party moving for appropriate relief following resolution of the petition for a writ of certiorari in Supreme Court Case No. 17-1003.

FOR THE COURT:

MOLLY C. DWYER
CLERK OF COURT