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SUPERIOR COURT OF WASHINGTON FOR KING COUNTY

JOHN DOE A, a minor by and through his legal guardians Richard Roe and Jane Roe; and JOHN DOE B, a married man; as individuals and on behalf of others similarly situated;

Plaintiffs,

v.

WASHINGTON STATE PATROL, an agency of the State of Washington;

Defendant.

No. 13-2-41107-5 SEA

ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

[PROPOSED]



THIS MATTER came on for hearing before this Court upon John Doe A, a minor by and through his legal guardians Richard Roe and Jane Roe; and John Doe B, a married man; as individuals and on behalf of others similarly situated (collectively "Plaintiffs") Motion for Preliminary Injunction.

Having considered Plaintiffs' motion and all pleadings submitted in support of and in opposition to the motion, the requirements of CR 65, as well as the arguments of counsel for the parties, the Court FINDS:

- 1) Plaintiffs have a clear legal and equitable right to enjoin the release of exempt records to the general public, as the disclosure would cause immediate and irreparable harm. Plaintiffs have shown a likelihood of prevailing on the merits of

1 their claims.

2 2) Plaintiffs have a well-grounded fear of immediate invasion of their rights.

3 Plaintiffs' ability to seek injunctive relief would be meaningless if the records were
4 released prior to a determination on the merits.

5 3) Plaintiffs have shown that the WSP's actions would result in substantial injury.

6 The Court therefore ORDERS that Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction is

7 GRANTED; the WSP shall not disclose or disseminate any records or information pertaining

8 to level I sex offenders ~~to any member of the general public, except as permitted by RCW~~
9 ~~4.24.550, pursuant to the request by Ms. Donna Zink, or any comparable Public Records Act~~
10 ~~request.~~ *Ms. Donna Zink's Public Records Act request received by WSP on 11/1/13 + 13 modified on 11/20/13*

11 DATED this 12 day of December, 2013. *SWF*

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14 The Honorable Jean Rietschel
15 Superior Court Judge

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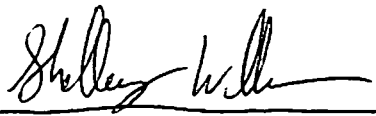
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