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Catherine O'Hagan Wolfe Clerk of Court United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit Thurgood Marshall U.S. Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, NY 10007

Re: *Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University v. Department of Homeland Security*, No. 20-3837

Dear Ms. O'Hagan Wolfe,

I write to request leave to withdraw as counsel for the Plaintiff–Appellee in the above-referenced case because my last working day with the Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University is August 6, 2021. Attorneys from the Knight First Amendment Institute at Columbia University and Samuelson Law, Technology, and Public Policy Clinic will remain counsel for the Plaintiff–Appellee in this matter. No party will be prejudiced if this request is granted. For the foregoing reasons, I respectfully request that this Court permit me to withdraw as counsel in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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