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Via Electronic Case Filing

Molly C. Dwyer, Clerk of Court
United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit
P.O. Box 193939
San Francisco, CA 94119-3939

RE: *ACA Connects – America’s Communications Association, FKA American Cable Association, et al. v. Becerra*, Case No. 21-15430

Dear Ms. Dwyer:

I represent Defendant-Appellee in the above-referenced matter. I write to inform the court that Rob Bonta is now the Attorney General of California. Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 43(c)(2) provides, “When a public officer who is a party to an appeal or other proceeding in an official capacity dies, resigns, or otherwise ceases to hold office, the action does not abate. The public officer’s successor is automatically substituted as a party.” Xavier Becerra was sued in this matter in his official capacity, as Attorney General of California. Accordingly, Mr. Bonta should be substituted in place of Mr. Becerra in the caption of this matter and in all future proceedings.

Sincerely,

s/ P. Patty Li

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Case Name: ACA Connects, et al v. Xavier
Becerra

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I hereby certify that on April 26, 2021, I electronically filed the following documents with the Clerk of the Court by using the CM/ECF system:

- **LETTER TO THE COURT RE SUBSTITUTION OF APPELLEE**

I certify that **all** participants in the case are registered CM/ECF users and that service will be accomplished by the CM/ECF system.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California and the United States of America the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on April 26, 2021, at San Francisco, California.

M. Mendiola
Declarant


Signature