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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

John CD Doe, a single man,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of America, a
District of Columbia, non-profit
corporation; Big Brothers Big Sisters of
Central Arizona, an Arizona corporation;
John Doe 1-100; Jane Doe 1-100; and Black
& White Corporations 1-100,

Defendants.

Case No. CV2020-014920

JOINT STATUS MEMORANDUM

(Assigned to the Hon. Bradley Astrowsky)

The Parties, by and through their respective counsel, jointly offer this Memorandum regarding the current status of this matter. As this Court knows, Defendants filed Petitions for Special Action with the Arizona Court of Appeals in this case on November 12, 2021 and in a related case pending before Judge Warner (CV2020-017354) on November 11, 2021. Judge Warner granted a stay of the superior court proceedings in CV2020-017354 on November 17, 2021 pending the outcome of the Special Actions. This Court initially extended the time to answer and subsequently entered a stay of this proceeding on December

2, 2021 pending resolution of the special action proceedings. On April 1, 2022, Defendants in both actions filed a Consolidated Petition for Review with the Arizona Supreme Court (the “Petition”) following the Court of Appeals’ denial of special action jurisdiction.¹ The Arizona Supreme Court entered an order declining review of the Petition on April 8, 2022. On April 29, 2022, the Arizona Court of Appeals filed a certified copy of its order declining special action jurisdiction with the Maricopa County Clerk of Court.

The parties now intend to resume litigation in the normal course and request that a date certain be set to Answer on or before June 10, 2022. Further, the parties will meet and confer regarding a Joint Report and Proposed Scheduling Order, which they anticipate will be filed with this Court in the early part of June pursuant to Rule 16(b) and (c), Ariz. R. Civ. P.

RESPECTFULLY submitted this 18th day of May, 2022.

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¹ In the interim, Defendant Big Brothers Big Sisters of America filed a Motion to Extend Stay Pending Decisions on Petition for Review of Special Action in CV2020-017354, where a date certain had been set for expiration of the stay. Judge Warner granted that motion and extended the stay of proceedings until May 26, 2022.

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