DECLARATION OF CARLOS RAMIREZ I, Carlos Ramirez, hereby declare: 3 I am one of the plaintiffs in this action. I make this declaration based upon my own. personal knowledge and, if called as a witness, I could and would testify competently thereto. 5 2. I am ten years old, and I am in the fourth grade at Bryant Elementary School. 6 It gets very hot in class a lot. The air conditioning doesn't work, and a lot of classrooms don't have windows. When it gets really hot I have trouble paying attention. 8 One time during summer school last year got so hot I almost fainted. That was in Ms. 9 Malabed's class. In summer school, Ms. Malabed used to spray us with water because we were so 10 hot. 11 5. I wish that the school had an air conditioner that worked so that it wouldn't get so hot in 12 class. That way I could be more comfortable and be able to concentrate on school better. 13 6. It also gets loud in class. You can hear the noise from the other classrooms because we 14 don't have real walls between the classrooms. The noise from the other classrooms can be distracting 15 sometimes. 16 7. I wish that the school had better walls so that I would not be bothered by noises form 17 other classrooms. I would also like to be able to do more fun and interesting projects in class, like 18 listen to music, that make too much noise for us to do now. 19 The food in the cafeteria is usually cold when it's supposed to be hot. Some of the food 20 is spoiled, too. Whenever we have hot dogs, kids cut them open and the hot dogs are green. 21 I wish that the food at school were better. I don't like to eat spoiled food, and I don't 22 think that it is right for the school to feed us bad food. 23. 24 I declare under penalty of perjury of the laws of the State of California that the foregoing is 25 true and correct. Executed by me this 3 day of May, 2000 at San Francisco, California.

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