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MONTANA FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT LEWIS AND CLARK COUNTY

REPRESENTATIVE ZOOEY ZEPHYR, ET AL.,

Cause No. BDV 2023-300

Plaintiffs,

v.

STATE OF MONTANA, ET AL.,

Defendants.

DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO DISMISS

Defendants State of Montana, Representative Matt Regier in his official capacity as Speaker of the Montana House of Representatives, and Bradley Murfitt in his

official capacity as Sergeant at Arms for the Montana House of Representatives (collectively "Defendants") respectfully move this Court under Mont. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1) and 12(b)(6) to dismiss with prejudice all claims in Plaintiffs' First Amended Complaint dated July 11, 2023.

Counsel for Defendants contacted counsel for Plaintiffs, who indicated that they oppose this motion.

DATED this 21st day of July, 2023.

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