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IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF FEDERAL CLAIMS

FAIRHOLME FUNDS, INC., et al.,)	
Plaintiffs,))	No. 13-465C
v.)	(Judge Sweeney)
THE UNITED STATES,))	
Defendant.)	

JOINT STATUS REPORT REGARDING UNSEALING OF THE COURT'S DE-DESIGNATION ORDER OF APRIL 11, 2016

Pursuant to this Court's Order of April 11, 2016 granting in part Plaintiffs' motion to remove the protected information designation from certain discovery information (Doc. 311), the parties hereby submit this joint status report to inform the Court that they believe the Order should be unsealed in its entirety. Plaintiffs respectfully request that the Order be unsealed promptly so that they may file the unsealed Order with the D.C. Circuit in advance of the argument to be held in that court on April 15, 2016.

Date: April 13, 2016

Respectfully submitted,

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