

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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ELOUISE PEPION COBELL, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

KEN SALAZAR, Secretary of the Interior, et al.,

Defendants.

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Case No. 1:96CV01285-JR

Modification of December 7, 2009  
Class Action Settlement Agreement

December 29, 2009



agreed to be extended by the Parties, the Agreement shall automatically become null and void. Settlement Agreement, paragraph B.1.

3. The Agreement defines the Legislation Enactment Deadline as December 31, 2009, 11:59 p.m. Eastern time. Settlement Agreement, paragraph A.22.

4. It has become apparent to the Parties that in order for the Agreement to continue to be valid after December 31, 2009, the Legislation Enactment Deadline will need to be extended.

5. The Parties desire that this Agreement continue to be valid after December 31, 2009.

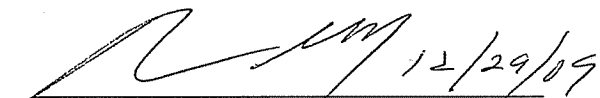
6. Accordingly, the Parties hereby mutually agree to extend the Legislation Enactment Deadline set forth in paragraph A.22 of the Agreement to February 28, 2010, 11:59 p.m. Eastern time.

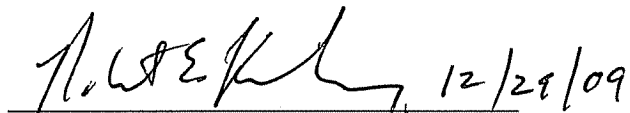
### SIGNATURES


Wherefore, intending to be legally bound in accordance with the terms of this Modification of the December 7, 2009 Class Action Settlement Agreement, the Parties hereby execute this Modification:

**FOR PLAINTIFFS:**

**FOR DEFENDANTS:**

  
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