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UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT

In re: HEADWATERS FOREST
DEFENSE,

HEADWATERS FOREST DEFENSE,

Petitioners,

v.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF
CALIFORNIA,

Respondent,

THE COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT; et al.,

Real Parties in Interest.

No. 03-71883

D.C. No. CV-97-03989-VRW
Northern California

ORDER

ORIGINAL

BEFORE: BRIGHT,¹ PREGERSON and W. FLETCHER, Circuit Judges

Petitioners' motion to stay the retrial scheduled for May 12, 2003 is granted, pending disposition of the emergency petition for writ of mandamus.

The real parties in interest shall file a response to the petition for writ of mandamus by May 20, 2003. The petitioners may file a reply by June 2, 2003. The Clerk shall serve a copy of this order on the district court.

¹ The Honorable Myron H. Bright, Senior United States Circuit Judge for the Eighth Circuit, sitting by designation.