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GURBIR S. GREWAL, ATTORNEY GENERAL OF NEW JERSEY, on behalf of the STATE OF NEW JERSEY <i>ex rel</i> . HECTOR PERALTA,	
Plaintiff, v.	SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY LAW DIVISION - ESSEX COUNTY DOCKET NO. ESX-L-1669-17
ACADEMY BUS, LLC; ACADEMY LINES, LLC; ACADEMY EXPRESS, LLC; NUMBER 22 HILLSIDE, LLC; NO. 22 HILLSIDE CORPORATION; THOMAS F.X. SCULLIN; FRANK DIPALMA; ANTONIO LUNA; EDWARD ROSARIO; JANE & JOHN DOES; and XYZ CORPORATIONS 1-10,	CIVIL ACTION
Defendants.	_:

NOTICE OF ELECTION TO INTERVENE AND REQUEST TO UNSEAL

N.J.S.A. 2A:32C-5(g)(1) of the New Jersey False Claims Act provides that when the Attorney General of the State of New Jersey "file[s] a pleading with the court that he intends to proceed with the action, [then] the action is conducted by the Attorney General and the seal shall be lifted."

Pursuant to the N.J.S.A. 2A:32C-5(g)(1), Gurbir S. Grewal, Attorney General of New Jersey (the "Attorney General"), on behalf of the State of New Jersey, hereby notifies the Court of his election to intervene in this action with respect to the claims

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alleged under Count I of the Relator's Second Amended Complaint for Violation of the New Jersey False Claims Act.

The Attorney General takes no action with respect to the claims alleged under Count II of the Relator's Second Amended Complaint for Retaliation in Violation of the New Jersey False Claims Act.

The Attorney General respectfully requests that this Court enter the proposed Order to Unseal filed concurrently with this Notice, and that the Court unseal (i) this Notice of Election to Intervene and Request to Unseal, (ii) the Court's Order to Unseal, (iii) the Relator's Second Amended Complaint, and (iv) the Attorney General's Complaint in Intervention, also filed concurrently with this Notice.

As further provided in the proposed Order to Unseal, the Attorney General further respectfully requests that all other papers on file in this action remain under seal.

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Respectfully submitted,

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