## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

## **CIVIL MINUTES – GENERAL**

Case No. LA CV16-00237 JAK (GJSx)			Date	November 7, 2016	
Title	Charmaine Chua, et al. v. City of Los Angeles, et al.				
Present: The Honorable JOHN A. KRONSTADT, UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE					
	Andrea Keife	-	Alex Joko		
	Deputy Clerk		Court Reporter / Recorder		
Attorneys Present for Plaintiffs:			Attorneys Present for Defendants:		
Barrett S. Litt Matthew D. Strugar Carol A. Sobel			Craig Miller		
Proceedings: PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR CLASS CERTIFICATION (DKT. 26)					
The motion hearing is held. The Court states its tentative views that it is inclined to grant in part Plaintiffs' Motion for Class Certification (the "Motion"). Counsel address the Court. Plaintiffs shall file a supplemental brief, not to exceed five pages, by November 14, 2016, which shall address the issue of whether the National Lawyers Guild has standing. Defendants may also file a brief but it is not required. The Motion is taken UNDER SUBMISSION and a ruling will be issued upon review of the parties' submissions.					
The Court confers with counsel regarding settlement. Plaintiffs are open to participating in a settlement conference now while defense counsel believes it is premature at this time. The Court encourages counsel to work together in an effort to have a meaningful settlement conference with Magistrate Judge Standish.					
IT IS SO	ORDERED.				
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