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The Honorable Kamala D. Harris Attorney General - State of California
 1300 I Street -17th Floor
 Sacramento, Ca. 95814 ~~██████████~~
 Attention: Ashley Johansson, Initiative Coordinator

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INITIATIVE COORDINATOR
 ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE

Re: Request for Title and Summary – Initiative Statutory Amendment
“THE FREE EXERCISE OF RELIGION”

Dear Attorney General Harris:

The preamble to the California Constitution states, “grateful to Almighty God for our freedom, in order to perpetuate His blessings,” so Pursuant to Article II, Section 10(d) of the California Constitution and Section 9002 of the Election Code, I have attached a proposed initiative constitutional amendment to be submitted to the electors, that provides that a person using any part of the Bible’s content as authority may freely communicate any view about, for, or against various actions and principles at public or private gatherings, or in any communicative medium and circumstances without it being a crime, hate crime or unlawful to do so.

The Bible says, “It is time for thee, Lord, to work, for they have made void thy Law.” Psalm 119:126 – KJV.

Abraham Lincoln proclaimed: “But we have forgotten God. We have forgotten the gracious hand which preserved us...” He also exhorted us: “...yet with assured hope that genuine repentance will lead to mercy and pardon, to recognize the sublime truth, announced in the Holy Scriptures and proven by all history, that those nations are blessed whose God is the Lord.”

Please prepare a title and summary for the attached Initiative Statutory Amendment **“THE FREE EXERCISE OF RELIGION”** as required by law.

My home address, where I am registered to vote, is also enclosed.

I have also included with this letter the required statement under California Elections Code section 9068 signed by me and code section 9001(b), as the proponent, and a check for \$200.00.

Please direct all correspondence and inquiries regarding this measure to:

Pastor Allan Esses - **Yes Jesus Is Lord.Org** at 5319 University Ave., Ste. 133, Irvine, Ca. 92612 and PastorAllan@YesJesusIsLord.Org.

Thank you for your time and kind attention to this matter. Please do not show my signature.

Sincerely,



Pastor Allan Esses

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“It is time for thee, Lord, to work, for they have made void thy Law.” Psalm 119:126 – KJV

Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh unto the Father, but by me. John 14:6 – KJV

“Therefore for him who knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin.” James 4:17

Initiative Constitutional Amendment: THE FREE EXERCISE OF RELIGION

This amendment would amend Section 4 of Article I of the California State Constitution. Language proposed to be added is underlined. Existing language proposed to be deleted has a ~~strikethrough line through it~~. That Section 4 of the California Constitution is amended to read:

**CALIFORNIA CONSTITUTION
ARTICLE I DECLARATION OF RIGHTS**

THE FREE EXERCISE OF RELIGION

Sec. 4. (a) Free exercise and enjoyment of religion without discrimination or preference are guaranteed. ~~This liberty of conscience does not excuse acts that are licentious or inconsistent with the peace or safety of the State.~~ The Legislature shall make no law respecting an establishment of religion, or prohibiting the free exercise thereof.

A person is not incompetent to be a witness or juror because of his or her opinions on religious beliefs.

(b) We, the People of the State of California, grateful to Almighty God for our freedom, in order to perpetuate His blessings do submit that it is not a crime, hate crime or unlawful for a person to use any part of the Bible's content as authority; and do submit that a person using any part of the Bible's content as authority may freely speak, pray, write, discuss, publish, preach, teach, hear, share his or her faith, to proclaim Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father, engage in street witnessing, distribute written material or otherwise communicate any views on salvation, heaven, or abortion, adultery, alcoholism, anti-Semitism, astrology, bestiality, bigamy, bisexuality, blasphemy, civil unions, coarse jesting, cohabitation, coveting, cross-dressing, cults, drugs, drunkenness, extortion, euthanasia, evil, evolution, fornication, gay marriage, gender identity, hell, heresy, homosexuality, idolaters, idolatry, incest, lying, marriage, murder, necromancy, other religions, pornography, psychics, rape, reviling, sex, sexual immorality, sexual orientation, sodomy, sorcery, stealing, transgender, trans-sexuality, witchcraft, yoga, or sin at any public or private gatherings, school, church, or other place of worship, Bible Study group or sidewalk or in any communicative medium, the internet, satellite, television, film, theater, radio, videos, recording, newspapers, magazines, music, and periodicals or by means of a computer, electronic devise, telephone, cell phone or fax machine. These provisions shall not be construed to authorize actions prohibited by Section 302, Section 602.11 and Section 11412 of the Penal Code.

c) Severability.

The provisions of this amendment are severable.

If the provisions of this amendment, or any part thereof, is for any reason held to be invalid or unconstitutional, the remaining provisions shall not be affected and would remain in full force and effect and to this end they are severable.