

**United States Court of Appeals**  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIRCUIT

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**No. 25-5144**

**September Term, 2024**

**1:25-cv-01015-RCL**

**Filed On: May 1, 2025**

Patsy Widakuswara, et al.,

Appellees

v.

Kari Lake, in her official capacity as Senior  
Advisor to the Acting CEO of the U.S. Agency  
for Global Media, et al.,

Appellants

**No. 25-5145**

**1:25-cv-00887-RCL**

Michael Abramowitz, in his official capacity as  
Director of Voice of America, et al.,

Appellees

v.

Kari Lake, in her official capacity as Senior  
Advisor to the Acting CEO of the United  
States Agency for Global Media, et al.,

Appellants

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**No. 25-5150**

**1:25-cv-00966-RCL**

Middle East Broadcasting Networks, Inc.,

Appellee

v.

United States of America, et al.,

Appellants

**No. 25-5151**

**1:25-cv-00907-RCL**

Radio Free Asia,

Appellee

v.

United States of America, et al.,

Appellants

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**No. 25-5158**

**1:25-cv-00799-RCL**

RFE/RL, Inc.,

Appellee

v.

Kari Lake, in her official capacity as Senior  
Advisor to the Acting CEO of the United  
States Agency for Global Media, et al.,

Appellants

**BEFORE:** Pillard, Katsas, and Rao, Circuit Judges

**ORDER**

Upon consideration of the motions for an administrative stay and stay pending appeal in Nos. 25-5144, 25-5145, 25-5150, and 25-5151, the responses thereto, the replies, and the letters; and the emergency motion for an administrative stay and stay pending appeal in No. 25-5158, the response thereto, and the motion for expedited consideration, it is

**ORDERED** that the following orders, or parts thereof, are administratively stayed pending further order of the court:

In No. 25-5144, provision (2) of the district court's preliminary injunction filed April 22, 2025;

In No. 25-5150, the district court's preliminary injunction filed April 25, 2025;

In No. 25-5151, the district court's preliminary injunction filed April 25, 2025;

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In No. 25-5158, the district court's temporary restraining order filed April 29, 2025.

The purpose of this administrative stay is to give the court sufficient opportunity to consider the emergency motions for stay pending appeal and should not be construed in any way as a ruling on the merits of those motions. See D.C. Circuit Handbook of Practice and Internal Procedures 33 (2024).

**Per Curiam**

**FOR THE COURT:**

Clifton B. Cislak, Clerk

BY: /s/  
Amy Yacisin  
Deputy Clerk