

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

Laura Boustani, Mutsuyo Okumura Unger, )  
Chia-Min T. Chen, Mary Savas, Efty )  
Simakis, Sophia Loizos, Paramjit Singh, )  
Joseph Hajjar, Catherine Ma, Sagarika )  
Nayak, Eduardo A. Romero, Karil )  
Bialostosky, Dagmar Celeste, Ali AlHaddad )  
MD, Sawsan Alhaddad MD, Gia Hoa Ryan, )  
Margaret Wong, P.S. Murthy, Asian )  
American Bar Association of Ohio, The )  
Federation of India Community Association, )  
Service Employees International Union )  
District 1199, American-Arab Anti- ) Civil Action No. 06-2065  
Discrimination Committee, Greater Toledo )  
Association of Arab Americans, Council on )  
American-Islamic Relations Ohio, )  
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Plaintiffs, )  
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v. )  
)  
J. Kenneth Blackwell, )  
)  
Defendant. )

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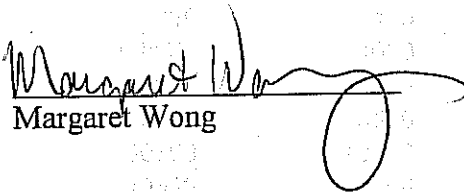
DECLARATION OF MARGARET WONG

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I, Margaret Wong, being of sound mind, declare and state as follows:

- (1) I am a citizen of the United States and reside in Cuyahoga County, Ohio 18751 North Park, Shaker Heights, OH 44122.
- (2) I am 56 years old and was born in Hong Kong. I came to the United States initially in 1969, when I was 19 years of age. I became a citizen of the United States in the 1980s.
- (3) I have lived in Ohio since 1978. I have built a successful law practice as an immigration attorney and serve on many nonprofit-organization boards in Greater Cleveland, serving my community.
- (4) I registered to vote at the time I became a citizen. I have voted in most elections since then, and in recent years, every election. I plan to vote in the November 2006 general election and the elections that follow. My right to vote is important to me, and I believe it is one of my responsibilities to vote.
- (5) It is my understanding that, if my eligibility to vote were challenged at the polls for being a noncitizen, I would be required to present my original certificate of naturalization. I do not wish to be treated differently than native-born citizens. I am uncertain of exactly where my certificate of naturalization is.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. Executed this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 2006 in Cuyahoga County, Ohio.

  
Margaret Wong