

No. 15-0320

**In The Supreme Court of Texas**

**King Street Patriots**, Catherine Engelbrecht, Bryan Engelbrecht, and Diane Josephs,

*Petitioners*

v.

**Texas Democratic Party**; Gilberto Hinojosa, in his capacity as Texas Democratic Party chairman; and Ann Bennett, in her capacity as Democratic nominee for Dallas County clerk,

*Respondents*

**MOTION IN SUPPORT OF JAMES BOPP, JR.'S  
UNOPPOSED MOTION FOR PRO HAC VICE ADMISSION**

Petitioners through undersigned counsel (“Movant”), pursuant to Rule XIX of the Rules Governing Admission to the Bar of Texas, and Texas Government Code, § 82.0361, files this Unopposed Motion for an order permitting nonresident attorney James Bopp, Jr. (“Applicant”), to act *pro hac vice* as co-counsel with Brock C. Akers of, The Akers Firm, PLLC, and participate in the instant case as counsel for Petitioners. In support thereof, Movant shows the following:

Petitioners request that Applicant, James Bopp, Jr., who is in good standing with the State Bar of Indiana and who is admitted to practice in, among other courts, the State and Federal Courts of Indiana, be granted permission to appear in the above-captioned proceeding before this court.

In accordance with Rule XIX of the Texas Board of Law Examiners' Rules Governing Admission to the Bar of Texas, Petitioners provide the following information:

1. Mr. Bopp's office address is The Bopp Law Firm, P.C., 1 South 6th Street, Terre Haute, Indiana 47807, phone 812-232-2434, fax 812-235-3685.

2. The name and State Bar card number of an attorney licensed in Texas, with whom the non-resident attorney will be associated in the Texas proceedings, is Brock C. Akers, TSBN 00953250, The Akers Firm, PLLC, 3401 Allen Parkway, Suite 101, Houston, Texas 77019, 713-877-2500 (phone), 1-713-583-8662 (fax); Brock C. Akers is an active member in good standing of the bar of Texas.

3. Applicant, Mr. Bopp, has sought permission to appear *pro hac vice* as counsel for Petitioners to participate in any and all proceedings before this Court in the above styled and numbered cause.

4. Applicant and Movant have conferred with counsel to petitioners and respondents pursuant to Tex. R. App. P. 10.1, and neither petitioners nor respondents object to Applicant's motion for admission *pro hac vice*.

5. Applicant, Mr. Bopp has been active and in good standing in all State Courts in the State of Indiana since 1973; in the in the United States District Court for the District of Indiana; and in the United States Court of Appeals for the

Seventh Circuit, since 1973;

6. Movant, Brock C. Akers finds Mr. Bopp to be a reputable attorney and recommends that Applicant be granted permission to participate *pro hac vice* as counsel in any and all proceedings before this Court in the above styled and numbered cause.

WHEREFORE, based on the foregoing, Movant, respectfully requests that the Court grant Applicant's motion to participate *pro hac vice* as counsel on behalf of Petitioners for the purposes of participating in all proceedings before this court in the above styled and numbered cause.

Signed under the pains and penalties of perjury.

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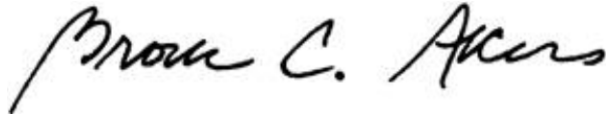
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**CERTIFICATE OF CONFERENCE**

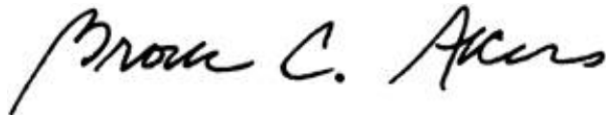
The undersigned counsel for Petitioners, hereby certifies that he has conferred with all counsel for Petitioners and Respondents and neither Petitioners nor Respondents object to this motion in support of James Bopp, Jr.'s motion for admission *pro hac vice*.



Brock C. Akers

**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true copy of the foregoing document has been served to all counsel of record in compliance with Rules 21 and 21a of the Texas Rules of Civil Procedure on this 12th day of January, 2016.



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