

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS

NO. 15-0320

KING STREET PATRIOTS, CATHERINE ENGELBRECHT, BRYAN
ENGELBRECHT, AND DIANE JOSEPHS, PETITIONERS

v.

TEXAS DEMOCRATIC PARTY; GILBERTO HINOJOSA, SUCCESSOR TO
BOYD RICHIE, IN HIS CAPACITY AS CHAIRMAN OF THE TEXAS
DEMOCRATIC PARTY; JOHN WARREN, IN HIS CAPACITY AS
DEMOCRATIC NOMINEE FOR DALLAS COUNTY CLERK; AND ANN
BENNETT, IN HER CAPACITY AS THE DEMOCRATIC, RESPONDENTS

MANDATE

To the Trial Court of Travis County, Greetings:

Before our Supreme Court on June 30, 2017, the Cause, upon petition for review, to
revise or reverse your Judgment.

No. **15-0320** in the Supreme Court of Texas

No. **03-12-00255-CV** in the **Third** Court of Appeals

No. **D-1-GN-11-002363** in the **261st District Court** of **Travis** County, Texas, was
determined; and therein our said Supreme Court entered its judgment or order in these words:

THE SUPREME COURT OF TEXAS, having heard this cause on petition for review
from the Court of Appeals for the Third District, and having considered the appellate record,
briefs, and counsels' argument, concludes that the court of appeals' judgment should be
affirmed.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED, in accordance with the Court's opinion, that:

- 1) The court of appeals' judgment is affirmed in part;
- 2) The court of appeals' judgment is vacated as to the portions of the lower courts'
judgments upholding the facial constitutionality of the policitical committee
definitions of the Texas Election Code;
- 3) The case is remanded to the trial court for further proceedings consistent with this
opinion; and

- 4) King Street Patriots, Catherine Engelbrecht, Bryan Engelbrecht, and Diane Josephs; and Texas Democratic Party; and Gilberto Hinojosa, in his capacity as Texas Democratic Party Chairman; and Ann Bennett, in her capacity as Democratic Nominee for Dallas County Clerk, shall pay their own costs incurred in this Court and the court of appeals.

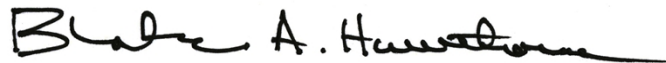
Copies of this judgment and the Court's opinion are certified to the Court of Appeals for the Third District and to the 261st District Court of Travis County, Texas, for observance.

Wherefore we command you to observe the order of our said Supreme Court in this behalf, and in all things to have recognized, obeyed, and executed.

BY ORDER OF THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF TEXAS,

with the seal thereof annexed, at the City of Austin,
this the 10th day of August, 2017.

Blake A. Hawthorne, Clerk



By Monica Zamarripa, Deputy Clerk