

**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,)	
)	
Plaintiffs,)	
)	
v.)	
)	
J. Kenneth Blackwell,)	
)	
Defendant.)	


DECLARATION OF CHIA-MIN CHEN

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I, Chia Min-Chen, being of sound mind, declare and state as follows:

- (1) I am a citizen of the United States and reside in Cuyahoga County, Ohio at 22051 Kennison Ave., Euclid, OH 44123.
- (2) I am 46 years old and was born in Taiwan. I moved to the United States when I was 11 years of age. I became a citizen of the United States at least ten years ago.
- (3) I have lived in Ohio since 1992.
- (4) I am a registered voter when I became a citizen. I have voted in some primary and most general elections since then. I plan to vote in the November 2006 general election and the elections that follow. My right to vote is precious to me, and I believe it is one of my responsibilities to vote.
- (5) I have also volunteered to register voters.
- (6) 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 am unsure of 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 25 day of August 2006 in Cuyahoga County, Ohio.


Chia-Min Chen