

**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.	)	

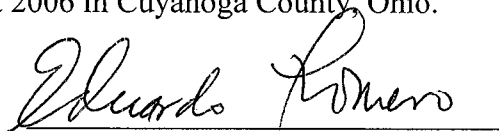
DECLARATION OF EDUARDO ROMERO

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I, Eduardo Romero, 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 1922 Spring Rd. Cleveland, Ohio
- (2) I am 46 years old and was born in Peru. I moved to the United States when I was 2. I became a citizen of the United States in 1972.
- (3) I have lived in Ohio since 1963.
- (4) I am a registered voter and have been since I became a citizen. I have voted in almost every primary and general election since then. I plan to vote in the November 2006 general election and the elections that follow. My right to vote is incredibly 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 became a citizen so long ago that I am unsure 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<sup>th</sup> day of August 2006 in Cuyahoga County, Ohio.

  
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Eduardo Romero