

United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit

No. 22-50662

LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN AMERICAN CITIZENS; SOUTHWEST
VOTER REGISTRATION EDUCATION PROJECT; MI FAMILIA
VOTA; AMERICAN GI FORUM OF TEXAS; LA UNION DEL PUEBLO
ENTERO; MEXICAN AMERICAN BAR ASSOCIATION OF TEXAS;
TEXAS HISPANICS ORGANIZED FOR POLITICAL EDUCATION;
WILLIAM C. VELASQUEZ INSTITUTE; FIEL HOUSTON,
INCORPORATED; TEXAS ASSOCIATION OF LATINO
ADMINISTRATORS AND SUPERINTENDENTS; EMELDA
MENENDEZ; GILBERTO MENENDEZ; JOSE OLIVARES; FLORINDA
CHAVEZ; JOEY CARDENAS; SANDRA PUENTE; JOSE R. REYES;
SHIRLEY ANNA FLEMING; LOUIE MINOR, JR.; NORMA
CAVAZOS; PROYECTO AZTECA; REFORM IMMIGRATION FOR
TEXAS ALLIANCE; WORKERS DEFENSE PROJECT; PAULITA
SANCHEZ; JO ANN ACEVEDO; DAVID LOPEZ; DIANA MARTINEZ
ALEXANDER; JEANDRA ORTIZ; LUZ MORENO; MARIA MONTES;
LYDIA ALCAHAN; MARTIN SAENZ,

Plaintiffs—Appellees,

SHELIA JACKSON LEE; ALEXANDER GREEN; JASMINE
CROCKETT; EDDIE BERNICE JOHNSON,

Intervenor Plaintiffs—Appellees,

versus

GREG ABBOTT, *in his official capacity as Governor of the State of Texas*; ET
AL.,

Defendants,

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TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Movants Appellants,

DAMON JAMES WILSON, *for himself and on behalf of all others similarly situated*,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*,

Defendant-Appellant,

TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

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Appellants,

VOTO LATINO; ROSALINDA RAMOS ABUABARA; AKILAH BACY;
ORLANDO FLORES; MARILENA GARZA; CECILIA GONZALES;
AGUSTIN LOREDO; CINIA MONTOYA; ANA RAMON; JANA LYNNE
SANCHEZ; JERRY SHAFER; DEBBIE LYNN SOLIS; ANGEL ULLOA;
MARY URIBE,

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

versus

JOHN SCOTT, *in his Official Capacity as Texas Secretary of State*; ET AL.,

Defendants,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official
Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*;
TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas
Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD
HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*;
ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas
Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR
JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM
FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*;
ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Appellants,

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MEXICAN AMERICAN LEGISLATIVE CAUCUS, *Texas House of Representatives,*

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

versus

STATE OF TEXAS; ET AL.,

Defendants,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate;* TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative;* RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative;* BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative;* TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative;* JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative;* ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative;* KEN KING, *Texas Representative;* GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative;* SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee;* ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee;* KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee;* ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee,*

Appellants,

ROY CHARLES BROOKS; FELIPE GUTIERREZ; PHYLLIS GOINES; EVA BONILLA; CLARA FAULKNER; DEBORAH SPELL; BEVERLY POWELL,

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

versus

GREG ABBOTT, *in his official capacity as Governor of Texas;* ET AL.,

Defendants,

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TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Appellants,

TEXAS STATE CONFERENCE OF THE NAACP,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

GREG ABBOTT, *in his official capacity as the Governor of Texas*; ET AL.,

Defendants,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

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Appellants,

FAIR MAPS TEXAS ACTION COMMITTEE; OCA-GREATER HOUSTON; NORTH TEXAS CHAPTER OF THE ASIAN PACIFIC ISLANDER AMERICANS PUBLIC AFFAIRS ASSOCIATION; EMGAGE; KHANAY TURNER; ANGELA RAINEY; AUSTIN RUIZ; AYA ENELI; SOFIA SHEIKH; JENNIFER CAZARES; NILOUFAR HAFIZI; LAKSHMI RAMAKRISHNAN; AMATULLA CONTRACTOR; DEBORAH CHEN; ARTHUR RESA; SUMITA GHOSH; ANAND KRISHNASWAMY,

Plaintiffs-Appellees,

versus

GREG ABBOTT; ET AL.,

Defendants,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Appellants,

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

STATE OF TEXAS; ET AL.,

Defendants,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Appellants,

TREY MARTINEZ FISCHER,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

JOHN SCOTT, *in his official capacity as Secretary of State of Texas,*

Defendant,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*;

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TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Appellants,

VERONICA ESCOBAR, *U.S. Representative of the 16th Congressional District of Texas*,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

GREG ABBOTT, *in his official capacity as Governor of the State of Texas*; ET AL.,

Defendants,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

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Appellants,

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

ERIC WIENCKOWSKI,

Defendant,

TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Appellants,

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Plaintiff-Appellee,

versus

THOMAS BRYAN,

Defendant,

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TEXAS LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR DAN PATRICK, *in his Official Capacity as Lieutenant Governor and Presiding Officer of the Texas Senate*; TOM CRADDICK, *Texas Representative*; RYAN GUILLEN, *Texas Representative*; BROOKS LANDGRAF, *Texas Representative*; TODD HUNTER, *Texas Representative*; JACEY JETTON, *Texas Representative*; ANDREW MURR, *Texas Representative*; KEN KING, *Texas Representative*; GEANIE MORRISON, *Texas Representative*; SENATOR JOAN HUFFMAN; SEAN OPPERMAN, *Texas House Employee*; ADAM FOLTZ, *Texas House Employee*; KOY KUNKEL, *Texas House Employee*; ANNA MACKIN, *Texas House Employee*,

Appellants.

Appeal from the United States District Court
for the Western District of Texas

USDC No. 3:21-CV-259

USDC No. 3:21-CV-943

USDC No. 1:21-CV-965

USDC No. 1:21-CV-988

USDC No. 1:21-CV-991

USDC No. 1:21-CV-1006

USDC No. 1:21-CV-1038

USDC No. 3:21-CV-299

USDC No. 3:21-CV-306

USDC No. 3:22-CV-22

USDC No. 3:22-MC-219

USDC No. 3:22-MC-230

Before RICHMAN, *Chief Judge*, WIENER, and WILLETT, *Circuit Judges*.

PER CURIAM:

IT IS ORDERED that Appellants' opposed motion to stay, until the pending *Hughes* case is decided, the district court's order compelling the

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production of document claimed to be legislatively privileged is CARRIED WITH THE CASE.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Appellants' alternative motion requesting a temporary administrative stay by August 1, 2022, pending resolution of this motion is GRANTED. The district court's order compelling the production of documents is STAYED pending further order of this court.

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