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Appearing *Pro Hac Vice* for Plaintiff Donald N. Daien

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF IDAHO SOUTHERN DIVISION

DONALD N. DAIEN,)
Plaintiff,)
v.) Civil Case No. <u>1:09-cv-00022-REB</u>
BEN YSURSA, in his official capacity as Secretary of State of Idaho,)))
Defendant.))

PLAINTIFF'S STATEMENT OF MATERIAL FACTS

COMES NOW THE PLAINTIFF, Donald N. Daien ("Daien"), by and through his attorneys, The Bernhoft Law Firm, S.C., (Attorney Daniel J. Treuden, admitted *pro hac vice*), and respectfully files Statement of Material Facts which contains the material facts Daien contends are not in dispute. This Statement is filed pursuant to Local R. 7.1(b)(1).

Material Facts

Donald N. Daien ("Daien") is a resident of and domiciled in Arizona. (Decl. of Donald N. Daien, § 3) (hereinafter "Daien Decl.").

- 2. Daien would like to help Presidential candidates, like Ralph Nader, or another similarly-minded candidate, gain ballot access throughout the United States, including Idaho, but will be unable to do so if it is illegal in Idaho. (Daien Decl., ¶ 5.)
- 3. Daien does not wish to subject himself to criminal or civil financial penalty to circulate petitions. (Daien Decl., ¶ 7.)
- 4. Daien believes it is his right to circulate petitions personally. (Daien Decl., ¶ 4.)
- 5. Daien believes he can associate with others to achieve the common goal of obtaining ballot access for Presidential candidates in all states in the United States, including Idaho.

 (Daien Decl., ¶ 4.)
- 6. In 2012, and under current law, an independent candidate for President will need approximately 6,550 signatures to obtain ballot access. (Decl. of Daniel J. Treuden, ¶ 3, Ex. A) (hereinafter "Treuden Decl.") *See also* I.C. § 34-708A.
- 7. In 2012, and under current law, an independent non-Presidential statewide candidate will need 1,000 signatures to obtain ballot access. *See* I.C. § 34-708(2)(b).

Respectfully submitted on this the 8th day of September, 2009.

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