

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

EVAN MILLIGAN, et al.,

*Plaintiffs,*

vs.

WES ALLEN, et al.,

*Defendants.*

No. 2:21-cv-01530-AMM  
(three-judge court)

**CASTER PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR LEAVE TO FILE JOINDER  
IN MILLIGAN PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO ALABAMA DEMOCRATIC  
CONFERENCE'S MOTION TO INTERVENE**

The Caster Plaintiffs respectfully move the Court for leave to file a joinder in the Milligan Plaintiffs' opposition to the Alabama Democratic Conference's (ADC) motion to intervene. As grounds supporting this motion, the Caster Plaintiffs state the following:

1. The Caster Plaintiffs initiated the first Section 2 lawsuit challenging Alabama's 2021 congressional district map on November 4, 2021, the day after Governor Ivey signed the law establishing the new districts. The Caster Plaintiffs actively litigated the merits of their Section 2 claim before the Court in a consolidated preliminary injunction hearing in January 2022, securing a preliminary injunction enjoining the 2021 Congressional Map, and also successfully defended

that preliminary injunction before the United States Supreme Court. Caster Plaintiffs will also actively participate in the remedial process set forth by the courts. *See Caster v. Allen*, Case No. No. 2:21-cv-01536-AMM, ECF No. 156 (June 20, 2023).

2. Given the *Caster* Plaintiffs' involvement in securing a preliminary injunction enjoining Alabama's 2021 Congressional map and obtaining a lawful remedy, they have an interest in registering their opposition to ADC's motion to intervene. As the attached proposed Notice of Joinder indicates, the Caster Plaintiffs join in the Milligan Plaintiffs' opposition to the motion for leave to intervene for the reasons stated in such opposition.

3. Wherefore premises considered, the Caster Plaintiffs respectfully request that the Court grant leave to file the attached Notice of Joinder.

Dated: July 17, 2023

Respectfully submitted,

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PLAINTIFFS' OPPOSITION TO THE ALABAMA DEMOCRATIC  
CONFERENCE'S MOTION TO INTERVENE**

Caster Plaintiffs as interested parties, by and through their attorneys, file this notice of joinder in Milligan Plaintiffs' Opposition to the Alabama Democratic Conference's Motion to Intervene, which was filed today. *See* ECF No. 181.

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