

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF MISSISSIPPI  
NORTHERN DIVISION

**Rims Barber, Carol Burnett,  
Joan Bailey,  
Katherine Elizabeth Day,  
Anthony Laine Boyette,  
Don Fortenberry, Susan Glisson,  
Derrick Johnson,  
Dorothy C. Triplett,  
Renick Taylor,  
Brandiilyne Mangum-Dear,  
Susan Mangum, and  
Joshua Generation Metropolitan  
Community Church,**

Plaintiffs,

v.

**Phil Bryant, Governor Of  
Mississippi;  
Jim Hood, Attorney General Of  
Mississippi;  
John Davis, Executive Director Of  
The Mississippi Department Of  
Human Services; and  
Judy Moulder, Mississippi State  
Registrar Of Vital Records,**

Defendants,

Cause No. 3:16-cv-417-CWR-LRA,  
consolidated with  
Cause No. 3:16-cv-442-CWR-LRA,

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Defendant Phil Bryant, on behalf of the State of Mississippi, appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit from the preliminary injunction entered on June 30, 2016.

Respectfully submitted.

PHIL BRYANT, in his official capacity as  
Governor of the State of Mississippi

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