

Thus, as stated on the record during the March 5th status conference, the Court **DISMISSES** the following coalition claims from the Brooks Plaintiffs' Fourth Amended Complaint *sua sponte*:

- (1) “Count 5 – Discriminatory Results in Violation of Section 2 of the Voting Rights Act, 52 U.S.C. § 10301 *et seq.*, 42 U.S.C. § 1983 (State Senate/Tarrant County, Black and Latino Coalition)”³
- (2) “Count 7 – Discriminatory Results in Violation of Section 2 of the Voting Rights Act, 52 U.S.C. § 10301 *et seq.*, 42 U.S.C. § 1983 (Congress, Dallas/Fort Worth Black & Latino Coalition)”⁴
- (3) “Count 10 – Discriminatory Results in Violation of the Voting Rights Act, 52 U.S.C. § 10301 *et seq.*, 42 U.S.C. § 1983 (State House Districts in Bell County, Black and Latino Coalition)”⁵

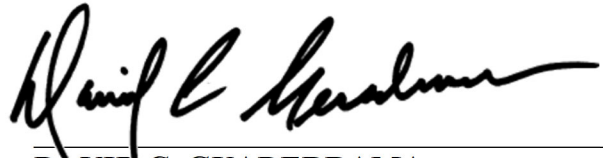
All other claims that the Brooks Plaintiffs assert in their Fourth Amended Complaint **REMAIN LIVE**. The Brooks Plaintiffs shall therefore **REMAIN DESIGNATED** as active plaintiffs in this case.

³ See Brooks Pls. 4th Am. Compl., ECF No. 862-1, at 65–66; *see also id.* at 32–36.

⁴ See *id.* at 67; *see also id.* at 38.

⁵ See *id.* at 69; *see also id.* at 58–63.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 12th day of March 2025.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David C. Guaderrama", written over a horizontal line.

DAVID C. GUADERRAMA
SENIOR U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE

And on behalf of:

Jerry E. Smith
United States Circuit Judge
U.S. Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit

-and-

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United States District Judge
Southern District of Texas