

IN THE ILLINOIS APPELLATE COURT
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Plaintiff-Appellant,

v.

JESSE WHITE, Secretary of State,
State of Illinois,

Defendant-Appellee.)

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) Appeal from the Circuit
) Court of Sangamon County,
) No. 14-MR-305
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) Hon. John W. Belz,
) presiding
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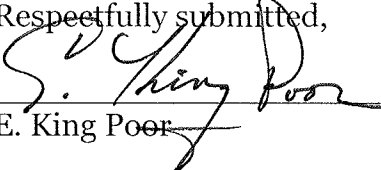
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National Association For Fixed Annuities (NAFA), submits this joinder to the Motion to Publish July 29, 2016 Order submitted by Appellant Richard Lee Van Dyke.

This Court granted NAFA leave to appear as an amicus to emphasize the statewide importance of the question of whether fixed indexed annuities (FIAs) are regulated as securities. The Court held in its order that FIAs are *not* securities under Illinois law, and therefore are not subject to regulation by the Illinois Securities Department. For reasons explained in Van Dyke's Motion to Publish, the order is of special importance to the entire fixed indexed annuity industry and the public it serves and therefore satisfies the criteria for publication under Sup. Ct. R. 23(f). NAFA joins in Van Dyke's motion to publish.

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Respectfully submitted,



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This certifies under Sup. Ct. Rule 373 that on August 18, 2016, we sent for filing with the Clerk of the Appellate Court of Illinois, Fourth Judicial District, by UPS Next Day Delivery, an original and four copies of the attached NAFA's Joinder to Motion to Publish July 29, 2016 Order, a copy of which we serve upon you.

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