

BEFORE THE DULY CONSTITUTED ELECTORAL BOARD FOR THE HEARING AND PASSING  
UPON OF NOMINATION OBJECTIONS TO NOMINATION PAPERS OF CANDIDATES FOR ELECTION TO THE  
OFFICE FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE 7<sup>TH</sup> DISTRICT IN THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY,

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Princess C. Dempsey,

Petitioner-Objector,

VS.

Emanuel "Chris" Welch  
Respondent-Candidate,

OBJECTOR'S PETITION

INTRODUCTION

Princess C. Dempsey, hereinafter sometimes referred to as the Objector, states as follows:

1. The Objector resides at 2329 S. 14<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Broadview, Illinois, Zip Code 60155, in City of Broadview, Cook County, Illinois, and is duly qualified, legal and registered voter at the address.
2. The Objector's interest in filing this Petition is that a voter desirous that the laws governing the filing of nomination papers for the office of State Representative of the 7<sup>th</sup> District, Cook County, Illinois are properly complied with and that only qualified candidates appear on the ballot for said office.

OBJECTIONS

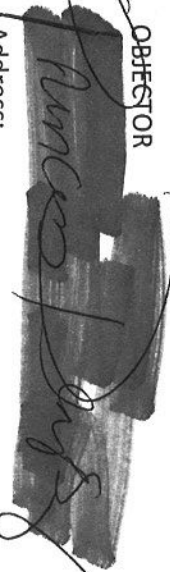
3. The Objector makes the following objections to the purported nomination papers ("Nomination Papers") of Emanuel "Chris" Welch is a candidate for the office of 7<sup>th</sup> District State Representative of the 7<sup>th</sup> District of the Cook County, Illinois ("Office") to be voted for the Primary Election on March 20, 2012 ("Election"). The Objector states that the Nomination Papers are insufficient in fact and law for the following reasons:
4. Pursuant to State law, nomination papers for the Office to be voted for at the Primary Election must contain the signatures of not fewer than 500 duly qualified, registered and legal voters of Cook County, Illinois collected in the manner prescribed by the law. In addition, nomination papers must truthfully allege the qualifications of the candidate, be gathered and presented in the manner provide for the Illinois Election Code, and otherwise executed in the form provide by the law. The Nomination Papers purport to contain the signatures of in excess of 500 such

- voters, and further purport to have been gathered, presented and executed in the manner provided by the Illinois Election Code.
5. The Nomination papers contain petition sheets with the names of persons who are not registered voters, or who are not registered voters at the addresses shown opposite their respective names, as is set forth specifically in the Appendix-Recapitulation attached hereto and incorporated herein, under the heading Column a, "Signer Not Registered at Address Shown," in violation of the Illinois Election Code.
  6. The Nomination papers contain sheets with the names of persons who did not sign the papers in their own proper persons, and such signatures are not genuine and are forgeries, as is set forth specifically in the Appendix-Recapitulation attached hereto and incorporated herein under the heading, Column b, "Signer's Signature Not Genuine," in violation of the Illinois Election Code.
  7. The Nomination Papers contain petition sheets with the names of persons for whom the addresses given are either missing entirely or are incomplete, as is set forth specifically in the Appendix-Recapitulation attached hereto and incorporated herein, under the heading, Column d, "Signer's Address Missing or Incomplete," in violation of the Illinois Election Code.
  8. The Nomination Papers contain petition sheets with the names of persons for whom the addresses given are either missing entirely or are incomplete, as is set forth specifically in the Appendix-Recapitulation attached hereto and incorporated herein, under the heading, Column E, "Signer Signed Petition More Than Once at Street Indicated," in violation of the Illinois Election Code.
  9. The Nomination Papers contain petition sheets with the names of persons for whom the addresses stated are not in the 7<sup>th</sup> District, and such person are not registered voters in the 7<sup>th</sup> District, as is set forth specifically in the Appendix-Recapitulation attached hereto and incorporated herein, under the heading, Column c, "Signer Resides Outside District," in violation of the Illinois Election Code.
  10. The Nomination Papers contain petition sheets signed by a circulator circulated for Another Candidate, and every signature on such sheets is invalid, as is set forth in the Appendix-Recapitulation attached hereto and incorporated herein, under the heading, "Circulator Circulated for a Candidate. Section 10-4 prohibition against Dual Circulation. Therefore, the Nomination papers contain petition should be removed for violation of the Illinois Election code.
  11. The Nomination Papers contain a number of signatures in excess of the maximum permitted by law, and any such signatures in excess of the maximum should be declared invalid and not used in calculating the total number of signatures contained in the Nomination Papers.

12. The Nomination papers contains less than 500 validly collected signatures of qualified and duly registered legal voters of 7<sup>th</sup> District, Cook County, Illinois , signed by such voters in their own proper person with proper addresses, below the number required under Illinois law, as it set forth by the objections recorded in the Appendix-Recapitulation attached hereto and incorporated herein.

13. The Appendix-Recapitulation is incorporated herein, and the objections made therein are a part of this Objector's Petition.

WHEREFORE, the Objector requests: a) a hearing on the objections set forth herein; b) an examination by the aforesaid Electoral Board of the official records relating to voters in the 7<sup>th</sup> District, Cook County, Illinois, to the extent that such examination is pertinent to any of the matters alleged herein; c) a ruling that the Nomination Papers are insufficient in law and fact, and d) a ruling that the name of **Emanuel "Chris" Welch** shall not appear and not be printed on the ballot for the election to the office for State Representative in the 7<sup>th</sup> District in the Primary Election of the State of Illinois, Cook County, Illinois, to be voted for at the Primary Election to be held March 20, 2012.

OBJECTOR  


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