

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS**

CALEB BARNETT, BRIAN NORMAN,
HOOD'S GUNS & MORE, PRO GUN
AND INDOOR RANGE, and NATIONAL
SPORTS SHOOTING FOUNDATION,
INC.,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

KWAME RAOUL, Attorney General of
Illinois, and BRENDAN F. KELLY,
Director of the Illinois State Police,

Defendants.

Case No. 3:23-cv-209-SPM

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Defendants Kwame Raoul, Attorney General of the State of Illinois, and Brendan F. Kelly, Director of the Illinois State Police, hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Seventh Circuit from the Court's order and final judgment dated November 8, 2024, in this case (Doc. 259), as well as three related cases (*Harrel, et al. v. Raoul, et al.*, 3:23-cv-141 Doc. 55; *Langley, et al. v. Kelly, et al.*, 3:23-cv-192 Doc. 46; *Federal Firearms Licensees of Illinois, et al. v. Pritzker, et al.*, 3:23-cv-215 Doc. 86). A notice of appeal has been filed in each of the four cases.

In this appeal, Defendants respectfully request that the Court of Appeals vacate the district court's permanent injunction (Doc. 258 at 167-68), reverse the district court's order granting judgment to plaintiffs (Doc. 259), and provide any other relief the Court deems appropriate.

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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on November 8, 2024, I caused a copy of the foregoing to be electronically filed with the Clerk of the Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification to all counsel of record.

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