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## **Non-Citizens are Registering and Voting, Federal Court Told**

*Group Defends Kansas's Measure to Combat Problem of Noncitizen Voter Registration*

(Alexandria, VA) – April 6. The Public Interest Legal Foundation provided a Kansas federal court detailed information about non-citizens registering and voting in American elections. The non-profit election integrity organization filed a [brief](#) with the court to help defend Kansas Secretary of State Kris Kobach's implementation of Kansas citizenship verification law.

Kansas leads national efforts to ensure that only citizens are voting in American elections. Kansas has faced numerous lawsuits by well-funded national left-wing organizations trying to stop citizenship verification, this time by the American Civil Liberties Union.

The plaintiffs challenge Kansas' proof-of-citizenship requirement. Secretary Kobach has vigorously defended Kansas law and provided the court with information regarding noncitizen registration and voting in Kansas.

The Foundation's "friend of the court" brief goes further, providing numerous examples of noncitizen registration and voting across the county in order to demonstrate that noncitizens are registering and voting despite the Federal voter registration Form's citizenship checkbox. PILF informs the Court that "Kansas is taking the lead nationwide to prevent this criminal activity by ensuring that only American citizens vote in Kansas elections."

"Why is so much donor money from these organizations being wasted on efforts to preserve vulnerabilities in American elections? Aliens are registering and voting, and lawsuits like this could let that continue," said J. Christian Adams, President of PILF. "We provide concrete examples demonstrating that the citizenship checkbox has failed to prevent noncitizen registration and voting. The Obama Justice Department has failed to do anything about these felonies. Kansas has, and should be supported."

Also on the brief is former Acting Assistant Attorney General of the Civil Rights Division of the U.S. Department of Justice, Bradley Schlozman, now of the Hinkle Law Firm, LLC in Wichita.

The [case](#) is *Fish, et al. v. Kobach, et al.*, Case No. 2:16-cv-02105 (D. Kansas).

The Public Interest Legal Foundation is a 501(c)(3) public interest law firm dedicated to election integrity. The Foundation exists to assist states and others to aid the cause of election integrity and fight against lawlessness in American elections. Drawing on numerous experts in the field, the Foundation seeks to protect the right to vote and preserve the Constitutional framework of American elections. Contact: [media@publicinterestlegal.org](mailto:media@publicinterestlegal.org).

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