



3. Mr. Wathen's response argues that the Debtor, Congressman Hinojosa, has failed to show cause for sealing the documents and that as a Member of Congress the right to access of the public and the press outweigh his privacy interests. It is critical in a democracy that elected officials are held to a high standard of public disclosure. Mr. Wathen also argues the sealed documents especially the original petition have legal consequences in a bankruptcy proceeding and it is therefore unfair to creditors and other parties in interest as well as the press and the public if these are sealed.

Therefore, the Mr. Wathen as a member of the public and of the press maintains that for the reasons stated in his response the Docket entries sealed should be opened and remain open to the public.

Respectfully Submitted,

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