

**Miscellaneous Docket Sheet**

Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania

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In Re: Nomination Petition of  
 Jason Altmire As A Candidate  
 For The Democratic  
 Nomination For  
 Representative In The United  
 States Congress For The  
 Twelfth Congressional  
 District of Pennsylvania

Petition Of: Richard D. Akers,  
 Jim Beckwith, Debra K. DeBiase  
 and Carol A. Crookston

**CASE INFORMATION**

Initiating Document: Petition to Set Aside Nominating Petition

Case Status: Closed

Case Processing Status: March 5, 2012 Completed

Journal Number:

Case Category: Election Case Type(s): Election

**CONSOLIDATED CASES****RELATED CASES****COUNSEL INFORMATION**

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**FEE INFORMATION**

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02/21/2012	Miscellaneous Docket Filing Fee	53.50	02/21/2012	2012-CMW-H-000403	53.50
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02/27/2012	Subpoena	10.00	02/27/2012	2012-CMW-H-000562	10.00
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**AGENCY/TRIAL COURT INFORMATION**

Court Below:  
 County: Division:  
 Order Appealed From: Judicial District:  
 Documents Received: February 21, 2012 Notice of Appeal Filed:  
 Order Type:  
 OTN(s):  
 Lower Ct Docket No(s):  
 Lower Ct Judge(s):

**ORIGINAL RECORD CONTENT**

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Date of Remand of Record:

**BRIEFING SCHEDULE**

None	None
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<b>February 21, 2012</b>	Petition to Set Aside Nominating Paper Filed Akers, Richard D. Beckwith, Jim DeBiase, Debra K.		Petitioner Petitioner Petitioner	
<b>February 22, 2012</b>	Order Filed Per Curiam Document Name: SCHEDULING AND CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER - Hearing on the petition to set aside nomination Comment: petition is scheduled for 3/2/2012 at 9:30 a.m., Rm. 330, 3rd Fl., Frick Bldg., Pittsburgh, PA 15219-6002. Objector is directed to secure the services of a court stenographer for the hearing. Failure to secure the services of a court stenographer may result in the dismissal of this matter. (See Order)			02/22/2012
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Application for Relief Altmire, Jason Document Name: Motion in Limine to preclude the introduction of evidence and the questioning of witnesses regarding Comment: pages withdrawn from the nomination petition.		Respondent	03/01/2012
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Memorandum of Law Filed Altmire, Jason Document Name: in support of nom. pet. of Jason Altmire as a candidate for the democratic nomination for rep. in Comment: the U.S. Congress for the 12th District of PA.		Respondent	03/01/2012
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Pre-trial Statement Altmire, Jason Document Name: Respondent Jason Altmire's Pre-Hearing Statement		Respondent	
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Report Filed Altmire, Jason Document Name: Report of Examination		Respondent	
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Memorandum of Law Filed Akers, Richard D. Beckwith, Jim DeBiase, Debra K. Crookston, Carol A. Document Name: in support of pet. to set aside nom. petition of Jason Altmire		Petitioner Petitioner Petitioner Petitioner	
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Application for Relief Beckwith, Jim DeBiase, Debra K. Crookston, Carol A. Document Name: Motion to Submit Expert Report		Petitioner Petitioner Petitioner	
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Filed - Other Akers, Richard D. Beckwith, Jim DeBiase, Debra K. Crookston, Carol A. Document Name: List of all petitioners' witnesses expected to be called to testify at 3/2/2012 Hearing.		Petitioner Petitioner Petitioner Petitioner	

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<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Application for Relief Crookston, Carol A.		Petitioner	
	Document Name: Motion for withdrawal of petitioner			
<b>March 1, 2012</b>	Application to Amend Altmire, Jason		Respondent	
	Document Name: Respondent Jason Altmire's Motion for Leave of Court to Amend Circulator Affidavits			
<b>March 5, 2012</b>	Order Granting Application for Relief Pellegrini, Dan			
	Document Name: The petition of Carol A. Crookston to withdraw as an objector is granted.			
<b>March 5, 2012</b>	Petition to Set Aside Denied Pellegrini, Dan			03/05/2012
	Document Name: Memorandum Opinion (13 Pages)			
	Comment: The petition to set aside the nomination of Jason Altmire as a Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Representative in the US Congress for the Twelfth Congressional District of Pa is denied. The Secretary of the Commonwealth is directed to certify the name of Jason Altmire to the proper officials for inclusion on the ballot of the Democratic Primary to be held on 4-24-2012. Costs are awarded against Petitioners.			
<b>March 6, 2012</b>	Amended Pellegrini, Dan			03/06/2012
	Document Name: Amending Order of Mem. Opinion Filed 3-5-12. See Order and Opinion Filed.			

## DISPOSITION INFORMATION

Final Disposition:	Yes	Judgment Date:	March 5, 2012
Related Journal No:		Disposition Author:	Pellegrini, Dan
Category:	Decided	Disposition Date:	March 5, 2012
Disposition:	Petition to Set Aside Denied		
Disposition Comment:	The petition to set aside the nomination of Jason Altmire as a Candidate for the Democratic Nomination for Representative in the US Congress for the Twelfth Congressional District of Pa is denied. The Secretary of the Commonwealth is directed to certify the name of Jason Altmire to the proper officials for inclusion on the ballot of the Democratic Primary to be held on 4-24-2012. Costs are awarded against Petitioners.		
Dispositional Filing:	<b>Memorandum Opinion</b>	Filing Author:	Pellegrini, Dan
Filed Date:	3/5/2012 12:00:00AM		