

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS

**RATIO CHRISTI AT THE UNIVERSITY
OF HOUSTON—CLEAR LAKE; ANDREA
DEROBLES; and RUTH LASS,**

Plaintiffs,

v.

RENU KHATOR, Chancellor,
University of Houston System, in
her official capacity; **RICHARD
WALKER**, Interim President,
University of Houston—Clear Lake,
in his official capacity;

AARON HART, Vice President of
Student Affairs; **YVONNE
HERNANDEZ FRIEDMAN**, Assistant
Vice President for Student
Engagement, Division of Student
Affairs; **DAVID RACHITA**, Dean of
Students; **PATRICK CARDENAS**,
Director, Office of Student
Involvement and Leadership; **ERICA
NJOKU**, Associate Director, Office of
Student Involvement and
Leadership; and **SHELBY KUEPKER**,
Coordinator, Organizations and
Activities, Office of Student
Involvement and Leadership; all
individually and in their official
capacities,

Defendants.

Case No. 4:21-cv-3503

JUDGE CHARLES ESKRIDGE

PLAINTIFFS' NOTICE OF VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(a)(1)(A)(i), Plaintiffs Ratio Christi at the University of Houston-Clear Lake, Andrea DeRobles, and Ruth Lass give notice of dismissal of their Complaint. Pursuant to the agreement of the parties, the dismissal is with prejudice *except* as to any claim related to Defendants' collection or distribution of student fees, including the claim that such collection or distribution violates the First Amendment protection against

compelled speech or viewpoint discrimination. Any such claim related to student fees are dismissed without prejudice.

Submitted this 15th day of February, 2022.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 15, 2022, I electronically served the foregoing document on all counsel of record via the Court's CM/ECF system.

/s/ Ryan L. Bangert
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