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**Verafirma Files Suit in San Mateo County Superior Court Asking  
For Electronic Signatures to Be Counted**

Oakland, CA – February 22, 2010: Verafirma filed a lawsuit in San Mateo County Superior Court asking the court to require the San Mateo County Registrar of Voters to accept an electronic signature which as recently submitted on an initiative petition.

Detail of the lawsuit can be found here: <http://democracy.verafirma.com/Memo.pdf>

**About Verafirma ([www.democracy.verafirma.com](http://www.democracy.verafirma.com))**

Verafirma is a Silicon Valley technology company. The Verafirma team has developed electronic signature solutions for major government and financial institutions. Our newest efforts, which we call the Democracy Project, will pioneer the use of electronic signatures for politics. For a complete discussion of how Verafirma's technology meets the California Elections Code requirements, please read the white paper authored by former Fair Political Practices Commission general counsel and Verafirma attorney Steve Churchwell (<http://democracy.verafirma.com/VFwhitepaper.pdf>).

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