

## ANDREW STRAW'S LAWSUITS & COMPLAINTS

Each of my lawsuits expands a disability right that is a critical part of the constellation of rights necessary for people with disabilities to fully engage with society without structural discrimination constantly erecting barriers. America is not accessible yet. 7/26/2019 is the **29<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the signing of the ADA**

My background can be found on my CV: [www.andrewstraw.com](http://www.andrewstraw.com)

My disabilities from public service: [www.andrewudstraw.com](http://www.andrewudstraw.com)

These cases are all new projects, having been filed within 2018 & 2019.

Documents go to links.

***Straw v. Avvo***, 2019-July (Arbitration for false Avvo postings on my profile making it seem like I am not a lawyer anywhere). **\$250,000**

RIGHT PROTECTED: Disability attorneys must be defended and protected from discrimination at risk of losing them as a protective shield to defend disability rights. Avvo placed false information on its profile of myself to make it look like I am not a practicing lawyer when that was false and this deceived anyone who visited my profile on that national service. <http://avvo.andrewstraw.com/>

***Straw v. U.S. Department of State***, 1:19-cv-02294 (D.MD.) - Rehab Act, etc., violations, using my medical certificate of fitness to fly to falsely claim I am not disabled and need no accommodation. **>\$1 million**

RIGHT PROTECTED: The State Department offered a small loan to destitute Americans overseas who need help getting home. The Embassy in Manila asked for a medical certificate that I was fit to travel and then misused this certificate to say I am not disabled and don't need accommodations such as an escort. This case also represents discrimination in a federal lending program, and this is illegal.

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***Straw v. Wilkie***, 18-7129 (U.S. CAVC) – 2nd level of appeal of Camp LeJeune Family Member Program Application. *Attig Steel* law firm represents me. About \$100,000 in claims pending. *IFP* was granted. **>\$100,000** in pending claims.

RIGHT PROTECTED: I was born at Camp LeJeune in 1969, during a period in which that base was a toxic nightmare and I received disabilities and my mother died from her exposure, but the VA would not provide health care to me because my family slept off base. I was ordered by a USMC officer to be born on what is now an EPA Superfund site and my disabilities have not been compensated and I was granted no healthcare under the CLFMP. This case is about demonstrating that disabled dependents of veterans are going to be covered by this program ***no matter where they slept.***

<https://efiling.uscourts.cavc.gov/cmecf/servlet/TransportRoom?servlet=CaseSummary.jsp&caseNum=18-7129&incOrigDkt=Y&incDktEntries=Y>

***Straw v. North Carolina***, 7:18-cv-74-D (E.D. N.C.) – attacking statute of repose applied to Camp LeJeune. **\$10 million**. Vetted by judge; *IFP* granted. NC served by US Marshal on July 11, 2019. Answer due on **9/19/2019**.

RIGHT PROTECTED: the right to be compensated when a state creates a law that overwhelmingly harms disabled individuals while only rarely having any negative impact on those without disabilities. This is again, indirectly, about Camp LeJeune poisoning because the NC law was falsely used by the 11th Circuit to deny justice. The judge here provided a compelling argument for why this case needs to proceed.

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***Straw v. United States, et. al.***, 1:18-cv-278-CMH (E.D. Va.) – Fifth Am. damages for court due process violations. **>\$10 million**. Vetted by judge; *IFP* granted.

RIGHT PROTECTED: I was attacked for my ADA work by an ADA coordinator immediately after I made a complaint to her. This false attack led to my being suspended indefinitely and the federal courts were dishonest, hiring my hearing officer from Indiana during the middle of my appeal against him. Disabled individuals like myself need the federal courts to be neutral and fair. I have not experienced neutral and fair anywhere in the Midwest and this is to set that house in ORDER for all disabled people. This is a blockbuster case that will change the federal courts forever and disability rights are the light shining on the darkness of due process violations and ADA violations.

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***Straw v. IL State Bd. of Elections***, 141-4-19 Wrcv (Windsor Co. Sup. Ct., Vt.) – ADA in elections. **>\$7 million**. *IFP* granted.

RIGHT PROTECTED: the right to ask for accommodations as a federal candidate with mobility impairments to gain ballot access. Gathering signatures unduly burdens disabled candidates, favoring those without disabilities. Since we need more disabled candidates, this case is a must win.

***Straw v. State of Indiana***, 140-4-19 Wrcv (Windsor Co. Sup. Ct., Vt.) – suspension abuse. **\$46.5 million**. *IFP* granted.

RIGHT PROTECTED: This case is about disabled lawyers having the right to practice law and use the ADA without interference. Indiana Supreme Court bans all disabled individuals from being lawyers and this practice must end. Without disabled lawyers, like women and minorities, the bar will never represent the interests of disabled Americans.

***Straw v. Village of Streamwood, IL***, 139-4-19 Wrcv (Windsor Co. Sup. Ct., Vt.) – ADA; snow in sidewalks. **\$12,500**. *IFP* granted.

RIGHT PROTECTED: the right not to have vehicle-sized piles of snow and ice left in municipal sidewalks all winter.

*Straw v. Illinois State Board of Elections, et. al.*, 2019-147 (Vt.) - appeal of above. *IFP* granted. Sanctions anticipated on appellees for filing no brief when ordered to do so. Jurisdiction highly likely to be upheld because appellees were ordered to file briefs but they failed to do so. **Total >\$50 million**

RIGHT PROTECTED: the right to demand disability protections under law and have the appellee respond so that justice may be done. Here, the appellees failed to respond even with a state supreme court ORDER demanding that they file briefs, but they did not.

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There will be more disabled lawyers and more protections for disabled candidates, meaning the laws will better protect people with disabilities, not to mention more rights to justice and courts that function without cheating and without violating the law or the Constitution for people like me with disabilities.

I proposed an ORDER to the Indiana Supreme Court to reverse the foolishness and discrimination of that Court and its staff. It was ignored.

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Virginia State Bar rejected Indiana's foolishness 100%, refusing to impose any sanction on me.

<https://www.vsb.org/docs/Straw-062217.pdf>

Filed domestication lawsuit to use the VSB ORDER in Indiana and get relief.

*Andrew U. D. Straw v. State of Indiana, by Gov. Eric Holcomb*, 49D10-1907-PL-030392 (Marion County Superior Court #10)