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STATE COURT
KLAHOMA
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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF)
THE OKLAHOMA CAPITOL IMPROVEMENT)
AUTHORITY FOR APPROVAL OF \$120 MILLION)
OKLAHOMA CAPITOL IMPROVEMENT)
AUTHORITY STATE FACILITIES REVENUE)
BONDS, SERIES 2014 (SERIES 2014 BONDS))

113303
No. _____

**APPLICATION FOR ASSUMPTION OF ORIGINAL JURISDICTION
AND VALIDATION OF BONDS**

Pursuant to Title 73, Section 160 of the Oklahoma Statutes and Oklahoma Supreme Court Rule 1.191, Petitioner Oklahoma Capitol Improvement Authority (“Petitioner”) asks this Court to assume original jurisdiction and to validate the “Oklahoma Capitol Improvement Authority State Facilities Revenue Bonds, Series 2014” (“Series 2014 Bonds”), the bonds at issue in this validation suit, for the reasons given in Petitioner’s Brief in Support.

Petitioner is a governmental agency of the State of Oklahoma, a body corporate and politic, created and operating under 73 O.S.2011 §§ 151-344. On May 23, 2014, Governor Mary Fallin signed into law House Joint Resolution 1033 (“HJR 1033”), to be codified at 73 O.S. § 345.¹ HJR 1033 authorized the Series 2014 Bonds to be issued in an aggregate amount not to exceed \$120,000,000 for the renovation, repair, and remodeling of the Capitol Building.²

Petitioner further requests this Court enter its order setting the Application for hearing upon at least ten days’ notice by publication as required by 73 O.S. § 160. OCIA additionally requests this Court give this matter precedence over other business of the Court and consider

¹ HJR 1033 is attached as Exhibit 2 of the Appendix filed contemporaneously with this Application and Brief in Support.

² The Series 2014 Bonds were authorized to be issued in the form set forth in Exhibit 6, page 12 of the Appendix filed contemporaneously with this Application and Brief in Support. That form is incorporated by reference.

and pass upon this Application and any protests which may be lodged against it as expeditiously as possible, as expressly authorized by 73 O.S. § 160.

Once rendered, this Court's decision shall be a judicial determination as to the validity of the Series 2014 Bonds, and shall be conclusive as to OCIA; the State of Oklahoma; its officers, agents, and instrumentalities; and all other persons. If approved, the Series 2014 Bonds shall be incontestable in any court in the State of Oklahoma as provided in 73 O.S. § 160.

Respectfully submitted,



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