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To: Senate Redistricting

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Date: 2021-10-05 First Name: Namrata Last Name: Misra

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Regarding: Senate

Message:

Hello, my name is Namrata Sharma Misra and I am a a resident of Allen (CD3). I am part of the South Asian community that contributes to the economic, social, and civic success of this area.

I work in the tech sector which provides me the opportunityr to interact with folks from all walks to life in Texas, US and the world.

We have created community meeting centers including Hindu temples and community halls and enjoy our traditional foods at restaurants such as Honest, Chennai Cafe, Patel brothers.

Our community has had a substantial impact on Texas. We have a significant presence in CD3 "and yet we are not able to elect candidates that represent our voices. Some of the issues we are particularly concerned about are abortion rights, Covid management and education..

For far too long, AAPI communities, which are the fastest-growing across Texas, have been unfairly divided into multiple legislative districts and thus, have been prevented from having the ability to elect a candidate of their choice. All I ask is that we are given equal representation through fair legislative districting. We ask that you honor the Voting Rights Act which prohibits you from drawing lines that dilute our voices. Your maps are deliberately breaking up our community.