

**UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE TWELFTH CIRCUIT**

BREMERLEY FAMILY FARMS; WILLIAM
BREMERLEY,

Defendants-Appellants,

v.

ANIMAL ACTION NOW; BLAINE CARDILLO,

Plaintiffs-Respondents.

BRIEFING ORDER

This matter comes to this Court on the Appellants' appeal from the judgment entered in the United States District Court for the Western District of Wisconsin, Case No. 3:21-cv-86753-RWS, Reginald W. Sillbird, District Judge, Presiding.

Bremerley Family Farms and William Bremerley ("Appellants") appeal the District Court's grant of Animal Action Now and Blaine Cardillo's ("Respondents") motion for summary judgment.

Each party is directed to brief the following questions:

1. Does the Wisconsin Public Speech and Participation Act apply in a federal diversity action?
2. Does Bremerley Family Farms and William Bremerley's defamation action fall within the Wisconsin Public Speech and Participation Act because Animal Action Now's and Cardillo's speech activity is covered under the Act and the action was filed primarily because of that speech activity?

The parties' briefs shall be limited to these issues, but the parties are not limited in their briefing to the arguments or authority upon which the District Court relied. The parties may rely upon caselaw from any state or federal court of the United States.

IT IS SO ORDERED this 29th day of September, 2022.

Hon. Marisol L. Fuentes
United States Circuit Judge