SUPERIOR COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA CIVIL DIVISION

MICHAEL E. MANN, PH.D.,))
Plaintiff,) Case No 2012 CA 008263 B) Judge Alfred S. Irving, Jr.
V.)))
NATIONAL REVIEW, INC., et al., Defendants.)))

DECLARATION OF JOHN B. WILLIAMS IN SUPPORT OF PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR STAY OF AMENDED ORDER GRANTING IN PART NATIONAL REVIEW INC.'S MOTION FOR ATTORNEYS' FEES AND SUPPLEMENTAL MOTION FOR FEES ON FEES

Pursuant to Superior Court Rule of Civil Procedure 43, I, John B. Williams, declare:

- 1. I am currently a member in good standing of the Bar of the District of Columbia. I am an attorney at Williams Lopatto PLLC, and counsel in this matter for Plaintiff Michael E. Mann, Ph.D. I submit this declaration in support of *Plaintiff's Motion for Stay of Amended Order Granting in Part National Review Inc.'s Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Supplemental Motion for Fees on Fees*. I have personal knowledge of the facts stated herein and, if called as a witness, I could competently testify to them.
- 2. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a true and correct copy of a slide from Defendant Rand Simberg's opening statement at trial presented on January 18, 2024.

3. Attached hereto as Exhibit 2 is a true and correct copy of a slide from Defendant Rand Simberg's closing statement at trial presented on February 7, 2024.

Executed this 6th day of February, 2025, in Washington, D.C.

/s/ John B. Williams JOHN B. WILLIAMS

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on February 6, 2025, I caused a copy of the foregoing Declaration of John B. Williams in Support of Plaintiff's Motion for Stay of Amended Order Granting in Part National Review Inc.'s Motion for Attorneys' Fees and Supplemental Motion for Fees on Fees to be served via electronic filing on the following:

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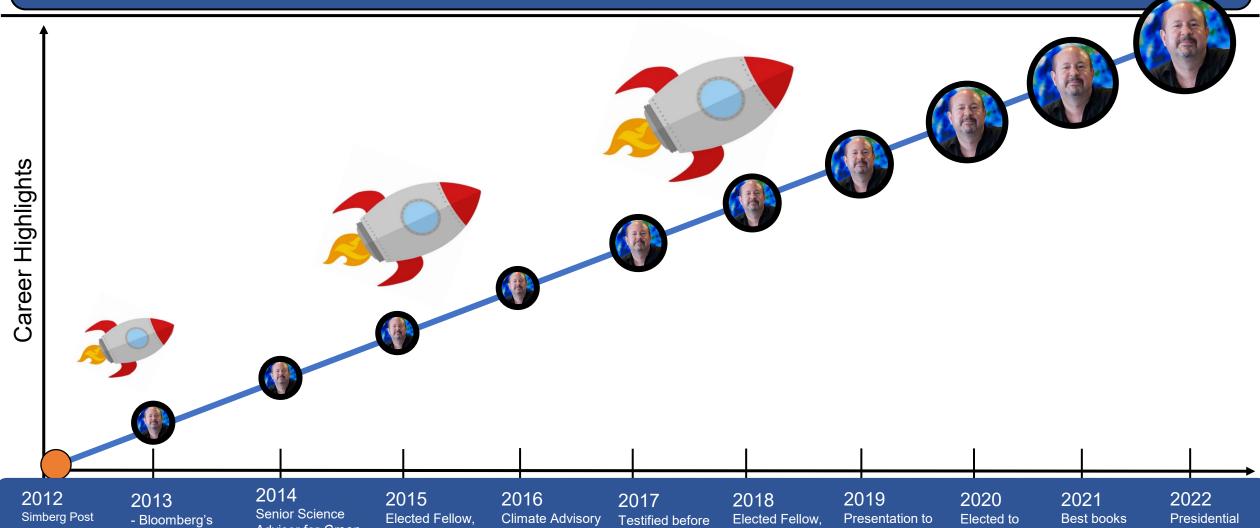
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EXHIBIT 1

Prof. Mann's Continued Success Since 2012



- Bloomberg's 50 Most Influential People

Influential Pec - Promoted to Distinguished Professor Senior Science
Advisor for *Green*World Rising
produced by the
Leonardo DiCaprio
Foundation

Elected Fellow American Association for the Advancement of Science Climate Advisory Committee, Hillary Clinton Presidential Campaign

Testified before U.S. House of Representatives

Elected Fellow, Geological Society of America Presentation to U.S. Senate Climate Change Task Force Elected to National Academy of Sciences Best books of 2021 for Climate and Environment, Financial Times Presidential
Distinguished
Professor,
University
of Pennsylvania

EXHIBIT 2

No Evidence of Lost Summer Funding

- > No documentary evidence
 - No pay stubs
 - No emails
 - W-2s show income increased every year after 2012!
- ➤ <u>No</u> corroborating witnesses
 - No dean
 - No HR staff member