

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
FAYETTEVILLE DIVISION**

**MATTHEW DICKSON and JENNIFER DICKSON,
Individually and on behalf of all others similarly
situated**

PLAINTIFFS

v.

No. 5:16-CV-05027 PKH

GOSPEL FOR ASIA, INC.;
GOSPEL FOR ASIA-INTERNATIONAL;
K.P. YOHANNAN; GISELA PUNNOSE;
DANIEL PUNNOSE; DAVID CARROLL;
and PAT EMERICK

DEFENDANTS

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 9 U.S.C. § 16(a)(1) and Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure 3(a) and 4(a), notice is hereby given that Defendants Gospel For Asia, Inc., Gospel for Asia-International,¹ K.P. Yohannan, Gisela Punnose, Daniel Punnose, David Carroll, and Pat Emerick, Defendants in the above named case, hereby appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit from the Opinion and Order of the District Court issued in this action and entered on January 18, 2017, at Docket No. 39. The District Court denied Defendants' Motion to Compel Arbitration and Stay Proceeding Pending Arbitration, and the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit has interlocutory appellate jurisdiction over that order pursuant to the Federal Arbitration Act, 9 U.S.C. § 16(a)(1).

¹ Gospel for Asia-International does not currently exist.

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Respectfully submitted,

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