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Statement from Acting County Clerk Taylor Bruck on Filing from Texas Attorney General Ken Paxton

*Clerk rejects filing of judgement against Ulster County Doctor charged with providing mifepristone to Texas
resident via telehealth*

“Today, I informed Texas State Attorney General Ken Paxton that the Ulster County Clerk’s Office will not be filing a summary judgment against a New Paltz physician who is facing charges in Texas for providing mifepristone via telehealth to a Texas resident. The judgment in question seeks a civil penalty exceeding \$100,000 due to the doctor’s failure to appear in court.

As the Acting Ulster County Clerk, I hold my responsibilities and the oath I have taken in the highest regard. In accordance with the New York State Shield Law, I have refused this filing and will refuse any similar filings that may come to our office. Since this decision is likely to result in further litigation, I must refrain from discussing specific details about the situation. It is truly an honor to serve as Acting Ulster County Clerk, and I am particularly grateful for the opportunity to serve the residents of our County today.”

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