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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE 1971 DEC SURERICE COURT DIVISION

FILE NO. 21 CVS 015426 WAKE CO., C.S.C.

COUNTY OF WAKE

NORTH CAROLINA LEAGUE, OF CONSERVATION VOTERS, INC., et 8

al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

REPRESENTATIVE DESTIN HALL, in his official capacity as Chair of the House Standing Committee on Redistricting, et al.,

Defendants.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF WAKE

REBECCA HARPER, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

REPRESENTATIVE DESTIN HALL. in his official capacity as Chair of the House Standing Committee on Redistricting, et al.,

Defendants.

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION FILE NO. 21 CVS 500085

ORDER

THIS MATTER came before the undersigned three-judge panel upon Legislative Defendants' motion to compel, filed December 14, 2021. Pursuant to its inherent authority and discretion to manage proceedings before the Court in these consolidated cases, the Court enters the following:

In recognition of the urgency of the issues presented in this litigation, particularly in light of the Supreme Court's directive to this Court to resolve all claims on the merits by January 11, 2022, the Court, in its discretion, hereby **ORDERS** that the following schedule shall apply for the briefing and hearing of Legislative Defendants' motion to compel:

- 1. Plaintiffs in these consolidated cases may submit a written response to Legislative Defendant's motion to compel no later than 2:00 PM EST on December 15, 2021.
- 2. Documents should be submitted as provided in paragraph 3 of the December 13, 2021 Scheduling Order.
- 3. The Court will thereafter promptly rule upon Legislative Defendants' motion to compel without oral argument.

This the 15th day of December, 2021.

A. Graham Shirley, Superior Court Judge

/s/ Nathaniel J. Poovey

Nathaniel J. Poovey, Superior Court Judge

/s/ Dawn M. Layton

Dawn M. Layton, Superior Court Judge

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This the 15th day of December 2021.

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