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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MARICOPA

IN THE MATTER OF the November 8, 2022,) No. CV2022-015915
General Election for Attorney General; Superintendent of Public Instruction; and State Representative for District 13	ORDER TO CONDUCT RECOUNT
	Priority Case – A.R.S. § 16-663(A)
)

The facts requiring a recount of the votes cast in the November 8, 2022 General Election for the offices of Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Instruction, and State Representative for District 13 having been certified to this Court,

IT IS ORDERED pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 16-624(D) and 16-663 that:

- A. A recount of the votes cast in the November 8, 2022 General Election for the offices of Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Inspection, and State Representative for District 13 shall be conducted;
- B. The Apache, Cochise, Coconino, Gila, Graham, Greenlee, La Paz, Maricopa, Mohave, Navajo, Pima, Pinal, Santa Cruz, Yavapai, and Yuma Counties' Boards of Supervisors, as the designees of the Secretary of State, shall conduct the recount on an automatic tabulating system to be furnished and programmed under the authority of the respective Boards of Supervisors to electronically tabulate the ballots. The Boards of Supervisors shall satisfy A.R.S. § 16-664(C) by reprogramming the automatic tabulating system to recount only the votes cast in the November 8, 2022 General Election for the offices of Attorney General, Superintendent of Public Inspection, and State Representative for District 13 (in Maricopa County);
- C. The Secretary and the Apache, Cochise, Coconino, Gila, Graham,
 Greenlee, La Paz, Maricopa, Mohave, Navajo, Pima, Pinal, Santa Cruz, Yavapai, and Yuma

Counties' Boards of Supervisors shall conduct logic and accuracy testing on the automatic tabulating system in accordance with A.R.S. § 16-449;

- D. If the ballots are not currently in the possession of the Apache, Cochise, Coconino, Gila, Graham, Greenlee, La Paz, Maricopa, Mohave, Navajo, Pima, Pinal, Santa Cruz, Yavapai, and Yuma Counties' Boards Supervisors or their designees, the respective Counties' Treasurers shall deliver to the respective Counties' Boards of Supervisors the packages or envelopes containing the ballots cast in the November 8, 2022 General Election, pursuant to A.R.S. § 16-624(D);
- E. The Apache, Cochise, Coconino, Gila, Graham, Greenlee, La Paz, Maricopa, Mohave, Navajo, Pima, Pinal, Santa Cruz, Yavapai, and Yuma Counties' Boards of Supervisors shall certify, through their designees, their recount results to the Secretary of State by 5:00 p.m. on December 21, 2022, by e-mail to Elections Director Kori Lorick at klorick@azsos.gov;
- F. Apache, Cochise, Coconino, Gila, Graham, Greenlee, La Paz, Maricopa, Mohave, Navajo, Pima, Pinal, Santa Cruz, Yavapai, and Yuma Counties shall not release to the public the results of the recount, including daily vote totals, until the Court has certified the results;
- G. All participants to the recount keep confidential any information they may acquire that would disclose the vote of any elector and destroy any notes that would disclose the same; and
- H. Setting a hearing for December 22, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. for the presentation of the results under A.R.S. § 16-665(A) before Judge Timothy J. Thomason, 101 W. Jefferson, Phoenix, AZ 85003, 7th Floor, Courtroom 713.

DONE IN OPEN COURT this 5th day of December, 2022.

Timothy J. Thomason

Hon. Timothy J. Thomason

Judge of the Superior Court for Maricopa County

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