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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF NEVADA

REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE, NEVADA REPUBLICAN PARTY, and SCOTT JOHNSTON,

Plaintiffs,

VS.

FRANCISCO AGUILAR, in his official capacity as Nevada Secretary of State; LORENA PORTILLO, in her official capacity as the Registrar of Voters for Clark County; WILLIAM "SCOTT" HOEN, AMY BURGANS, STACI LINDBERG, and JIM HINDLE, in their official capacities as County Clerks,

Defendants.

Case No. 2:24-cv-00518-CDS-MDC

DEFENDANT WILLIAM "SCOTT" HOEN'S JOINDER IN DEFENDANT SECRETARY OF STATE'S REPLY TO RESPONSE TO [26] MOTION TO DISMISS [ECF NO. 60]

Defendant, WILLIAM "SCOTT" HOEN, in his official capacity as the Clerk-Recorder for the Consolidated Municipality of Carson City, by and through counsel, JASON D. WOODBURY, District Attorney and BENJAMIN R. JOHNSON, Senior Deputy District Attorney, hereby joins the Nevada Secretary of State's Reply to Response Motion to Dismiss (ECF No. 60).

Defendant HOEN joins the Reply in its entirety and incorporates and adopts the supporting memorandum of points and authorities and arguments of the Motion as if fully set forth herein.

	1	Defendant HOEN respectfully requests an Order from this Court dismissing Plaintiffs'		
	2	Complaint for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief.		
	3	DATED this 17th day of May, 2024.		
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I electronically filed the foregoing **DEFENDANT WILLIAM** "SCOTT" **HOEN'S JOINDER IN DEFENDANT SECRETARY OF STATE'S REPLY TO RESPONSE MOTION TO DISMISS [ECF NO. 60]** with the Clerk of the Court for the United States District Court by using the court's CM/ECF system on the 17th day of May, 2024. I further certify that all participants in the case are registered CM/ECF users and that service will be accomplished by the CM/ECF system as follows:

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               OF STATE'S REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO DISMISS
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          COMES NOW LORENA PORTILLO, in her official capacity as the Registrar of
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    Voters for Clark County, by and through her attorney, STEVEN B. WOLFSON, District
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    Attorney, by LISA V. LOGSDON, County Counsel, and hereby joins in Defendant Secretary
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    of State's Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss.
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          LORENA PORTILLO joins Defendant Secretary of State's Reply in Support of
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    Motion to Dismiss in its entirety, thereby adopting the supporting points and authorities filed
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1 therein, and respectfully requests an Order from this Court dismissing Plaintiffs' Complaint 2 for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief. DATED this 20th day of May, 2024. 3 STEVEN B. WOLFSON 4 DISTRICT ATTORNEY 5 By: /s/Lisa V. Logsdon 6 LISA V. LOGSDON, COUNTY COUNSEL State Bar No. 011409 7 500 South Grand Central Pkwy. 5th Floor, Ste. 5075 8 Las Vegas, Nevada 89155-2215 Attorney for Defendant 9 Lorena Portillo 10 CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE 11 I certify that I am an employee of the Office of the Clark County District Attorney and 12 that on this 20th day of May, 2024, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing 13 DEFENDANT LORENA PORTILLOS JOINDER IN DEFENDANT SECRETARY 14 OF STATE'S REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO DISMISS through CM/ECF 15 Electronic Filing system of the United States District Court for the District of Nevada (or, if 16 necessary, by U.S. Mail, first class, postage pre-paid), upon the following: 17 Jeffrey F. Barr, Esq. Sigal Chattah, Esq. 18 Nevada Bar #7269 Nevada Bar #8264 8275 South Eastern Avenue, Suite 200 5875 S. Rainbow Blvd. #204 19 Las Vegas, NV 89123 Las Vegas, NV 89118 barrj@ashcraftbarr.com sigal@thegoodlawyerlv.com 20 Counsel for the Nevada Republican Party Thomas R. McCarthy, Esq. 21 VA Bar #47145 David R. Fox Gilbert C. Dickey, Esq. VA Bar #98858 Nevada Bar No. 16536 22 Christopher D. Dodge, Esq. Conor D. Woodfin, Esq. (pro hac vic forthcoming) 23 VA Bar #989377 Marisa A. O'Gara, Esq. 1600 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 700 (pro hac vice forthcoming) 24 **Elias Law Group LLP** Arlington, VA 22209 tom@consovoymccarthy.com 250 Massachusetts Ave NW, Suite 400 25 Washington, DC 20001 gilbert@consovoymccarthy.com (202) 968-4490 conor@consovoymccarthy.com 26 Counsel for the Republican National dfox@elias.law cdodge@elias.law mogara@elias.law Committee, the Nevada Republican Party, 27 and Scott Johnston 28 ///

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11	Plaintiffs,		
12	vs. DEFENDANT JIM HINDLE, in his official capacity as clerk for Storey County's,		
13	FRANCISCO AGUILAR, in his official JOINDER IN DEFENDANT SECRETARY		
14	capacity as Nevada Secretary of State; LORENA PORTILLO, in her official capacity as the Peristrer of Voters for Clark County.		
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16	HINDLE, in their official capacities as County Clerks,		
17	Defendants Defendants		
18	Defendants		
19	COMES NOW Defendant JIM HINDLE, in his official capacity as clerk for Storey		
20	County, by and through his attorneys Thorndal Armstrong, PC, and hereby joins in Defendant		
21	Secretary of State's Reply in Support of Motion to Dismiss [ECF 60] filed on May 17, 2024.		
22	Defendant Jim Hindle hereby incorporates the same arguments and grounds as stated therein as		
23	through fully set forth herein.		
24	DATED this 20 th day of May, 2024.		
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE 1 2 Pursuant to FRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of Thorndal Armstrong, PC, and 3 that on this date I caused the foregoing DEFENDANT JIM HINDLE, in his official capacity as 4 clerk for Storey County's, JOINDER IN DEFENDANT SECRETARY OF STATE'S REPLY IN 5 SUPPORT OF MOTION TO DISMISS [ECF 60] to be served on all parties to this action by: placing an original or true copy thereof in a sealed, postage prepaid, envelope in the 6 7 United States mail at Reno, Nevada. 8 X United States District Court CM/ECF system 9 electronic means (fax, electronic mail, etc.) 10 Federal Express/UPS or other overnight delivery fully addressed as follows: 11 12 Jeffrey F. Barr, Esq. David R. Fox, Esq. 13 8275 South Eastern Avenue, Suite 200 Christopher D. Dodge, Esq. Las Vegas, NV 89123 Marisa A. O'Gara, Esq. 14 Elias Law Group LLP 15 250 Massachusetts Ave NW, Suite 400 Thomas R. McCarthy, Esq. Gilbert C. Dickey, Esq. Washington, DC 20001 16 Conor D. Woodfin, Esq. 1600 Wilson Blvd., Suite 700 Bradley S. Schrager, Esq. 17 Arlington, VA 22209 Daniel Bravo, Esq. 18 Attorneys for Plaintiffs Bravo Schrager LLP 6675 South Tenaya Way, Suite 200 19 Las Vegas, NV 89113 Attorneys for Intervenor Defendants 20 Rise Action Fund, Institute for a Progressive 21 Nevada, and Nevada Alliance for Retired Americans 22 23 Sigal Chattah, Esq. Aaron D. Ford, Attorney General 5875 S. Rainbow Blvd., #204 Laena St.-Jules, Esq. 24 Las Vegas, NV 89118 Senior Deputy Attorney General Attorney for Plaintiff Office of the Attorney General 25 Nevada Republican Party 100 North Carson Street 26 Carson City, NV 89701 Attorneys for Defendant Secretary of State 27

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Douglas County District Attorney Post Office Box 218 Minden, Nevada 89423 AMY BURGANS, joins Defendant Secretary of State's Reply In Support of Motion to Dismiss in its entirety, thereby adopting the supporting points and authorities filed therein, and respectfully requests an Order from this court dismissing Plaintiff's Complaint for Declaratory and Injunctive Relief.

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I hereby certify that I am an employee of the Douglas County District Attorney's Office, and that on this 20th day of May, 2024, the foregoing DEFENDANT DOUGLAS COUNTY CLERK AMY BURGANS', JOINDER IN SECRETARY OF STATE'S REPLY IN SUPPORT OF MOTION **TO DISMISS** was served via the United States District Court CM/ECF system on all parties or persons requiring notice.

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