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1 2 3 4 5 6 IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT OF THE STATE OF NEVADA 7 IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF WASHOE 8 Case No.: CV24-02182 CITIZENS OUTREACH 9 FOUNDATION, CHARLES MUTH, Dept. No. 10 individually, 11 Petitioners, 12 vs. 13 CARRE-ANN BURGESS, in her 14 official capacity as the acting 15 Registrar of Voters, for Washoe County, 16 17 Respondent, 18 and 19 FRANCISCO V. AGUILAR, in his 20 official capacity as Nevada Secretary of State; RISE; INSTITUTE FOR A 21 PROGRESSIVE NEVADA; NEVADA 22 ALLIANCE FOR RETIRED AMERICANS; AMERICAN CIVIL 23 LIBERTIES UNION OF NEVADA. 24 Intervenor-Respondents. 25 26 27 28

ORDER GRANTING MOTIONS TO INTERVENE

Presently before the Court is the Nevada Secretary of State's Motion to Intervene as Respondent ("Motion to Intervene"), filed by Proposed Intervenor-Respondent Francisco V. Aguilar, in his official capacity as Nevada Secretary of State ("Secretary Aguilar"), on September 27, 2024.

Also before the Court is a Motion to Intervene as Respondents ("Motion to Intervene"), filed by Proposed Intervenor-Respondents RISE, the Institute for a Progressive Nevada ("IPN"), and the Nevada Alliance for Retired Americans (the "Alliance") on September 27, 2024.

Also before the Court is a Motion to Intervene by American Civil Liberties Union of Nevada ("Motion to Intervene"), filed by Proposed Intervenor-Respondent American Civil Liberties Union of Nevada ("ACLUNV") on September 28, 2024.

On October 2, 2024, this Court entered its *Order Re: Motions for Order Shortening Time; Order to Set In-Person Hearing* ("*Order*"). The Court granted the Proposed Intervenor-Respondents' Motions for Order Shortening Time and set a briefing schedule for the outstanding Motions to Intervene. *See Order*, at 2:11-22. Specifically, the Court stated that "(1) all opposing points and authorities shall be filed by 9:00 A.M. on Thursday, October 3, 2024; (2) all reply points and authorities shall be filed by 5:00 P.M. on Thursday, October 3, 2024." *Id.* at 2:20-22. Petitioners Citizens Outreach Foundation and Charles Muth ("Petitioners") declined to file opposing points and authorities by the stated deadline.

Pursuant to DCR 13(3), "[f]ailure of the opposing party to serve and file a written opposition may be construed as an admission that the motion is meritorious and a consent to granting the same." Accordingly, the Court construes the lack of opposition by Petitioners as an admission that the Motions to Intervene are meritorious and as consent to granting the same.

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1	Therefore, for the foregoing reasons, and good cause appearing,
2	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Secretary Aguilar's Motion to
3	Intervene is GRANTED .
4	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that RISE, IPN, and the Alliance's
5	Motion to Intervene is GRANTED .
6	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that ACLUNV's Motion to Intervene is
7	GRANTED.
8	IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Intervenor-Respondents shall each file
9	their Proposed Answer to Petition for Writ of Mandamus by 12:00 P.M. on Friday,
10	October 4, 2024.
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12	IT IS SO ORDERED.
13	DATED this 3rd day of October, 2024.
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to NRCP 5(b), I hereby certify that I am an employee of the Second Judicial District Court of the State of Nevada, County of Washoe; that on this 3rd day of October, 2024, I electronically filed the following with the Clerk of the Court by using the ECF system which will send a notice of electronic filing to the following:

DAVID O'MARA, ESQ. DEVIN OLIVER, ESQ. LAENA ST-JULES, ESQ. BRADLEY SCHRAGER, ESQ.

Judicial Assistant

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