SUPREME COURT OF ARIZONA

ARIZONA INDEPENDENT REDISTRICTING COMMISSION, an Independent Constitutional Body, Petitioner, and COLLEEN COYLE MATHIS, Petitioner-Intervenor, vs. JANICE K. BREWER, in her official capacity as the Governor of the State of Arizona; ARIZONA STATE SENATE; RUSSELL PEARCE, in his official capacity as Senate President, Respondents.	Arizona Supreme Court No. CV-11-0313-SA

RESPONDENTS' JOINT MOTION FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION

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Respondents Janice K. Brewer, Governor of the State of Arizona ("Governor"), and the Arizona State Senate and Senate President (the "Senate") jointly move for expedited consideration of their Joint Motion to Reconsider Order of November 17, 2011 and Joint Motion to Stay.

As explained more fully in the Joint Motion to Reconsider and Motion to Stay, time is of the essence. The current state of affairs leaves the Governor and Senate paralyzed and unable to exercise their constitutional authority in a manner that this Court believes to be in compliance with the constitution until this Court's opinion eventually issues. In the meantime, Ms. Mathis is reinstated as Chair and is free to resume the same behavior that led to her removal, but this time with impunity.

The matters presented in the Joint Motion to Reconsider and Motion to Stay are of statewide importance and deserving of this Court's expedited consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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