

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
DURHAM DIVISION
Civil Action No. 1:13-CV-00949

DAVID HARRIS and CHRISTINE)
BOWSER,)
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Plaintiffs,)
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v.)
)
PATRICK MCCRORY, in his capacity)
as Governor of North Carolina, NORTH)
CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF)
ELECTIONS, and JOSHUA HOWARD,)
in his capacity as Chairman of the North)
Carolina State Board of Elections,)
)
Defendants.)

**DEFENDANTS' RENEWED
MOTION TO STAY, DEFER, OR
ABSTAIN**

Defendants Patrick McCrory, North Carolina State Board of Elections, and Joshua Howard (collectively "Defendants") renew their motion for this Court to Stay, Defer, or Abstain from further proceedings in this action because parallel litigation involving the same claims and issues is currently pending before the North Carolina Supreme Court.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons stated in Defendants' contemporaneously filed Memorandum of Law, Defendants respectfully renew their request that the Court enter an order staying, deferring, or abstaining from further proceedings in this matter until the conclusion of the parallel litigation described in Defendants' Memorandum of Law.

This the 17th day of September, 2015.

NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Thomas A. Farr, hereby certify that I have this day electronically filed the foregoing **Defendants' Renewed Motion to Stay, Defer, or Abstain** with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system which will provide electronic notification of the same to the following:

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