## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

OHIO STATE CONFERENCE OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE

**ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE, et al.,** : Case No. 2:14-cv-00404

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Plaintiffs, : Judge Peter C. Economus

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v. : Magistrate Judge

Norah McCann King

JON HUSTED, et al.,

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Defendants. :

## DEFENDANT OHIO ATTORNEY GENERAL MIKE DEWINE'S SUPPLEMENTAL MEMORANDUM CONTRA PLAINTIFFS' MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION

On July 23, 2014, Defendant Ohio Attorney General Mike DeWine filed a memorandum contra Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction (Doc. No. 42). In that memorandum, Attorney General DeWine stated that he "endorses and incorporates by reference the arguments submitted by the Ohio Secretary of State (Doc No. 41) and the Ohio General Assembly (Doc. No. 40) in opposition to Plaintiffs' motion for preliminary injunction." (Doc. No. 42, PAGEID No. 1458). Attorney General DeWine did not attach the separately filed oppositions of the Secretary of State and Ohio General Assembly to his memorandum nor did he reiterate the arguments made in those separately filed oppositions as they were already part of the record and to do so would unnecessarily clutter the record.

Subsequently, on July 30, 2014, this Court denied the Ohio General Assembly's motion to intervene and struck the General Assembly's opposition to Plaintiff's motion for preliminary

injunction. (Doc. No. 48). In the interest of clarifying the record in response to this Court's July 30, 2014 ruling, Attorney General DeWine hereby supplements his previously filed memorandum contra Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction with the General Assembly's opposition to Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction. As Attorney General DeWine previously incorporated the attached memorandum by reference, this supplemental memorandum does not advance any new arguments or present new evidence, but is intended only to clarify the record.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that the foregoing was electronically filed with the U.S. District Court, Southern District of Ohio, on July 31, 2014, and served upon all parties of record via the court's electronic filing system.

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