## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA WESTERN DIVISION

No. 5:24-cv-724-M

JEFFERSON GRIFFIN,	)
Petitioner,	) )
v.	)
NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS,	) ) )
Respondent.	)

## PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER

For the reasons set forth in the accompanying Memorandum, Petitioner Judge Jefferson Griffin respectfully requests that this Court enter a temporary restraining order prohibiting Respondent from certifying the election results for the November 2024 general election for Seat 6 of the North Carolina Supreme Court.

Immediately prior to filing this motion with the Court, Petitioner conferred with Respondent regarding whether is would consent to stay certification of the election results pending resolution of these judicial proceedings. As of the time of filing, Respondent had not responded to that request. Dated: December 20, 2024

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Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on December 20, 2024, I electronically filed the foregoing Petitioner's Memorandum in Support of His Motion For Temporary Restraining Order with the Clerk of Court using the CM/ECF system, which will send notification of such filing to the Respondent, the North Carolina State Board of Elections.

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