# EXHIBIT A

### NINETEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT PARISH OF EAST BATON ROUGE STATE OF LOUISIANA

JAMES BULLMAN, KIRK GREEN, STEPHEN HANDWERK, DARRYL MALEK-WILEY, AMBER ROBINSON, and POOJA PRAZID,

Civil Action No. C-716690

Plaintiffs,

v.

R. KYLE ARDOIN, in his official capacity as Louisiana Secretary of State,

Div.: C Sec.: 24

Defendant.

NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE LOUISIANA STATE CONFERENCE, POWER COALITION FOR EQUITY AND JUSTICE, DOROTHY NAIRNE, EDWIN RENÉ SOULÉ, ALICE WASHINGTON, and CLEE EARNEST LOWE,

Civil Action No. C-716837 (consolidated with Civil Action No. C-716690)

Plaintiffs,

v.

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Defendant.

Div.: C Sec.: 25

### STIPULATION REGARDING PARTY APPEARANCES AND LEGISLATIVE INTERVENTION

### MAY IT PLEASE THE COURT:

Plaintiffs James Bullman, Kirk Green, Stephen Handwerk, Darryl Malek-Wiley, Amber Robinson, and Pooja Prazid (the "Bullman Plaintiffs"); Plaintiffs National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Louisiana State Conference, Power Coalition for Equity and Justice, Dorothy Nairne, Edwin René Soulé, Alice Washington, and Clee Earnest Lowe (the "NAACP Plaintiffs"); Intervenor-Plaintiffs Michael Mislove, Lisa J, Fauci, Robert Lipton, and Nicholas Mattei (the "Math/Science Intervenors"); Defendant Louisiana Secretary of State R. Kyle Ardoin (the "Secretary"); and Proposed Intervenor-Defendants Speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives Clay Schexnayder and President of the Louisiana Senate Patrick Page Cortez (the "Legislative Intervenors"), by and through their undersigned counsel, respectfully stipulate to the following issues.

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First, on the issue of party appearances, all parties request the Court to allow the respective parties to be represented by their counsel without the need for in-person or video presence by any party, at any hearing or setting in the case, unless directed in advance by the Court or requested reasonably in advance by another party for purposes of providing testimony or on other reasonable grounds specified.

Second, Legislative Intervenors agree that they will not use or seek to use any provision of law that allows for a legislative continuance or any similar remedy or protection afforded specifically to legislators to postpone, delay, stay, or continue any hearing or conference or other setting in this matter.

Third, the parties do not object to Legislative Intervenors' intervention in this matter.

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a copy of the above and foregoing has been electronically mailed this date to all known counsel of record on this 28th day of March, 2022.

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#### NINETEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

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### ORDER PURSUANT TO STIPULATION REGARDING PARTY APPEARANCES AND LEGISLATIVE INTERVENTION

CONSIDERING THE STIPULATION filed on behalf of Plaintiffs James Bullman, Kirk Green, Stephen Handwerk, Darryl Malek-Wiley, Amber Robinson, and Pooja Prazid (the "Bullman Plaintiffs"); Plaintiffs National Association for the Advancement of Colored People Louisiana State Conference, Power Coalition for Equity and Justice, Dorothy Nairne, Edwin René Soulé, Alice Washington, and Clee Earnest Lowe (the "NAACP Plaintiffs"); Intervenor-Plaintiffs Michael Mislove, Lisa J, Fauci, Robert Lipton, and Nicholas Mattei (the "Math/Science Intervenors"); Defendant Louisiana Secretary of State R. Kyle Ardoin (the "Secretary"); and Proposed Intervenor-Defendants Speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives Clay Schexnayder and President of the Louisiana Senate Patrick Page Cortez (the "Legislative Intervenors"):

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the respective parties can be represented by their counsel without the need for the parties' in-person or video presence, at any hearing or setting in the case, unless the party is needed for testimony or a specific reason or basis articulated, in advance, by the Court or another party.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the request of Proposed Intervenor-Defendants Speaker of the Louisiana House of Representatives Clay Schexnayder and President of the Louisiana Senate Patrick Page Cortez is hereby GRANTED.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Court approves the terms of the parties' stipulation.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED, this 28 day of March, 2022, Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

HONORABLE FONALD R. JOHNSON, 19TH JDC

PLEASE PROVIDE NOTICE TO ALL PARTIES PURSUANT TO LSA-CCP ART. 1913

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT ON THIS DAY A COPY OF THE WRITTEN REASONS FOR JUDGMENT / JUDGMENT / ORDER / COMMISSIONER'S RECOMMENDATION WAS MAILED BY ME WITH SUFFICIENT POSTAGE AFFIXED. SEE ATTACHED LETTER FOR LIST OF RECIPIENTS.

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