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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND

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MELVIN JOHNSON, et al.

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v. : Civil Action No. DKC 17-2867

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PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS, et al.

ORDER

For the reasons stated in the foregoing Memorandum Opinion, it is this $27^{\rm th}$ day of February, 2018, by the United States District Court for the District of Maryland, ORDERED that:

- 1. The motions to dismiss filed by Defendants Linda Lamone (ECF No. 8) and Maryland State Board of Elections (ECF No. 13-38) BE, and the same hereby ARE, GRANTED IN PART;
- 2. Plaintiffs' claims under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 (including for declaratory relief) BE, and the same hereby ARE, DISMISSED;
- 3. Plaintiffs' state law claims BE, and the same hereby ARE, REMANDED to the Circuit Court for Prince George's County;
- 4. The clerk take all necessary steps to effectuate this remand promptly; and
- 5. The clerk will transmit copies of the Memorandum Opinion and this Order to counsel for the parties and CLOSE this case.

/s/

DEBORAH K. CHASANOW
United States District Judge