

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:16-913-D

FRANCIS X. DE LUCA,

Plaintiff,

v.

THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE  
BOARD OF ELECTIONS; KIM  
WESTBROOK STRACH, in her official  
capacity as the Executive Director of the  
State Board; and A. GRANT WHITNEY,  
RHONDA K. AMOROSO, JOSHUA D.  
MALCOLM; JAMES BAKER and MAJA  
KRICKER, in their official capacities as  
members of the State Board of Elections,

Defendants,

and

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF  
NORTH CAROLINA, NORTH  
CAROLINA A. PHILIP RANDOLPH  
INSTITUTE, COMMON CAUSE NORTH  
CAROLINA, KAY BRANDON, SARA  
STOHLER, HUGH STOHLER,  
ANTHONY MIKHAIL LOBO, ANNA  
JAQUAYS, and MICHAEL T.  
KUYKENDALL, NORTH CAROLINA  
STATE CONFERENCE OF THE  
NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE  
ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED  
PEOPLE,

Defendant-Intervenors,

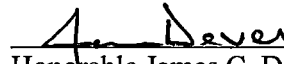
**ORDER ALLOWING WITHDRAWAL  
OF MOTION FOR  
PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION**

This matter comes before the Court on Plaintiff's Motion to Withdraw Request for Preliminary Injunction in this matter. For good cause shown, the Motion is hereby GRANTED.

Plaintiff has further moved the Court to abate the briefing schedule until further docketing Order of the Court. The prior deadline for briefs from the Defendants and Intervenors is stayed pending further scheduling orders of this court.

SO ORDERED.

This the 5 day of December, 2016.

  
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Honorable James C. Dever, III  
Chief United States District Judge