

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA
TALLAHASSEE DIVISION

VOTEVETS ACTION FUND;
DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL
COMMITTEE OF FLORIDA, and DSCC
a/k/a DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL
CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE,

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 4:18-cv-00524-MW-CAS

v.

KENNETH DETZNER, in his official
capacity as the Florida Secretary of State,

Defendant.

**SECRETARY'S NOTICE OF COMPLIANCE
WITH SCHEDULING ORDER**

Per the Scheduling Order entered on November 13, 2018, the Secretary takes the position that the Plaintiffs' claims fail as a matter of law and that Plaintiffs have failed to provide sufficient evidence justifying the extraordinary relief they seek. Accordingly, the Secretary does not request an evidentiary hearing at this time. However, the Secretary respectfully objects to the Scheduling Order insofar as it provided the Secretary less than one business day to consider the matter and to develop counter-declarations and testimony.

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Dated: November 14, 2018.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served via electronic mail through the Court's CM/ECF system to all counsel of record on this 14th day of November, 2018.

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