## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA TALLAHASSEE DIVISION

**CASE NO.: 4:18-cv-524-MW/CAS** 

VOTEVETS ACTION FUND, DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE, and DEMOCRATIC SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE,

Plaintiffs,

v.

KENNETH W. DETZNER, in his official Capacity as the Florida Secretary of State,

Defendant,	

## INTERVENOR, REPUBLICAN PARTY OF FLORIDA'S REQUEST FOR CONTINUANCE OF EVIDENTIARY HEARING

Intervenor, Republican Party of Florida ("RPOF"), by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby requests a brief continuance of the November 15, 2018 evidentiary hearing and states:

1. This Court recently ordered an evidentiary hearing scheduled for **November 15, 2018 at 10 a.m.** [ECF No. 39] in response to Intervenor, Attorney General's Notice Concerning State of the Record and Need for Evidentiary Hearing. [ECF No. 35].

2. In the Order, the Court acknowledged that the RPOF (and other

intervenors) had not sought an evidentiary hearing; however, the order appears to

require RPOF's attendance.

3. To the extent RPOF is required to attend and participate, RPOF

requests a continuation of the hearing because it will be unable to adequately

prepare for an evidentiary hearing as it is actively drafting the legal briefs

associated with the injunction, which the Court has ordered are due on November

15, 2018 by 6 p.m.

4. RPOF respectfully requests that any evidentiary hearing be scheduled

for Friday or Saturday of this week. This would give all parties the opportunity to

finish briefing and prepare for the evidentiary hearing, would minimize the use of

court resources by conducting only one evidentiary hearing for all parties, and

would ensure that all parties can meaningfully participate with sufficient

preparation time.

Respectfully submitted,

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