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**U.S. District Court
Eastern District of Michigan (Detroit)
CIVIL DOCKET FOR CASE #: 2:16-cv-14233-MAG-EAS**

Stein et al v. Thomas et al
Assigned to: District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith
Referred to: Magistrate Judge Elizabeth A. Stafford
Case in other court: U.S. Court of Appeals - Sixth Circuit, 16-02690
U.S. Court of Appeals - Sixth Circuit, 16-02691
Cause: 42:1983 Civil Rights Act

Date Filed: 12/02/2016
Date Terminated: 03/31/2017
Jury Demand: None
Nature of Suit: 440 Civil Rights: Other
Jurisdiction: Federal Question

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Date Filed	#	Docket Text
12/02/2016	1	COMPLAINT <i>For Declaratory and Injunctive Relief</i> filed by All Plaintiffs against All Defendants. Plaintiff requests summons issued. Receipt No: 0645-5984939 - Fee: \$ 400. County of 1st Plaintiff: Lexington - County Where Action Arose: Wayne - County of 1st Defendant: Ingham. [Previously dismissed case: No] (Attachments: # 1 Civil Cover Sheet) (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/02/2016)
12/02/2016	2	MOTION for Temporary Restraining Order <i>and Preliminary Injunction</i> by All Plaintiffs. (Attachments: # 1 Document Continuation Memo of Law, # 2 Proposed Order) (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/02/2016)
12/02/2016	3	DECLARATION by Mark Brewer filed by All Plaintiffs (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit, # 2 Exhibit, # 3 Exhibit, # 4 Exhibit, # 5 Exhibit, # 6 Exhibit, # 7 Exhibit, # 8 Exhibit, # 9 Exhibit, # 10 Exhibit, # 11 Exhibit, # 12 Exhibit, # 13 Exhibit, # 14 Exhibit, # 15 Exhibit, # 16 Exhibit, # 17 Exhibit) (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/02/2016)
12/03/2016	4	ORDER Setting Hearing (Motion Hearing set for 12/4/2016 at 11:00 AM before District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith). Signed by District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/03/2016)
12/03/2016		Set/Reset Deadlines as to 2 MOTION for Temporary Restraining Order <i>and Preliminary Injunction</i> . Motion Hearing set for 12/4/2016 at 10:30 AM before District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith (TIME CORRECTED FROM PREVIOUS ENTRY) (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/03/2016)
12/03/2016	5	MOTION Permit Witnesses to Appear by Telephone by All Plaintiffs. (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/03/2016)
12/04/2016	6	RESPONSE to 2 MOTION for Temporary Restraining Order <i>and Preliminary Injunction</i> filed by Jeanette Bradshaw, Julie Matuzak, Colleen Pero, Norman Shinkle, Christopher M. Thomas. (Barton, Denise) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	7	NOTICE of Appearance by Erik A. Grill on behalf of Jeanette Bradshaw, Julie Matuzak, Colleen Pero, Norman Shinkle, Christopher M. Thomas. (Grill, Erik) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	8	NOTICE of Appearance by Heather S. Meingast on behalf of Jeanette Bradshaw, Julie Matuzak, Colleen Pero, Norman Shinkle, Christopher M. Thomas. (Meingast, Heather) (Entered: 12/04/2016)

12/04/2016	9	NOTICE of Appearance by Jason T Hanselman on behalf of Michigan Republican Party. (Hanselman, Jason) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	10	MOTION to Intervene by Michigan Republican Party. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 - Petition, # 2 Exhibit 2 - Objections, # 3 Exhibit 2 - App for Leave to Appeal) (Hanselman, Jason) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	11	NOTICE of Appearance by Gary P. Gordon on behalf of Michigan Republican Party. (Gordon, Gary) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	12	NOTICE of Appearance by John J. Bursch on behalf of Bill Schuette. (Bursch, John) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	13	MOTION to Intervene <i>and Brief in Opposition to TRO</i> by Bill Schuette. (Bursch, John) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	14	NOTICE of Appearance by Kathryn M. Dalzell on behalf of Bill Schuette. (Dalzell, Kathryn) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016	15	RESPONSE to 2 MOTION for Temporary Restraining Order <i>and Preliminary Injunction</i> filed by Bill Schuette. (Bursch, John) (Entered: 12/04/2016)
12/04/2016		Minute Entry for proceedings before District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith: Motion Hearing held on 12/4/2016 re 2 MOTION for Temporary Restraining Order <i>and Preliminary Injunction</i> filed by Jill Stein, Louis Novak. (Court Reporter: David Yarbrough) (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/04/2016		TEXT-ONLY ORDER: As stated on the record the Motion to Intervene by Michigan Republican Party (Dkt. 10) is granted. The Motion to Permit Witnesses to Appear by Telephone (Dkt. 5) is denied as Moot. SO ORDERED. Signed by District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016	16	OPINION & ORDER Granting Plaintiffs' Motion for Temporary Restraining Order (Dkt. 2). Signed by District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016	17	NOTICE of Appearance by Matthew J. Schneider on behalf of Bill Schuette. (Schneider, Matthew) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016	18	SUMMONS Issued for *Jeanette Bradshaw, Julie Matuzak, Colleen Pero, Norman Shinkle, Christopher M. Thomas* (DTyl) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016		A United States Magistrate Judge of this Court is available to conduct all proceedings in this civil action in accordance with 28 U.S.C. 636c and FRCP 73. The Notice, Consent, and Reference of a Civil Action to a Magistrate Judge form is available for download at http://www.mied.uscourts.gov (DTyl) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016	19	NOTICE of Appearance by Eric E. Doster on behalf of Michigan Republican Party. (Doster, Eric) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016	20	NOTICE of Appearance by John D. Pirich on behalf of Michigan Republican Party. (Pirich, John) (Entered: 12/05/2016)

12/05/2016	21	NOTICE of Appearance by Andrea L. Hansen on behalf of Michigan Republican Party. (Hansen, Andrea) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016	22	NOTICE OF APPEAL by Michigan Republican Party re 16 Memorandum Opinion & Order. Receipt No: 0645-5986345 - Fee: \$ 505 - Fee Status: Fee Paid. (Gordon, Gary) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016	23	Certificate of Service re 22 Notice of Appeal. (DTyl) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/05/2016		TEXT-ONLY ORDER: Plaintiffs' shall file a Response to the Motion to Intervene filed by Bill Schuette (Dkt. 13) by 10:00 a.m. on 12/6/2016 . SO ORDERED. Signed by District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/05/2016)
12/06/2016	24	MOTION to Intervene by All Plaintiffs. (Brewer, Mark) [DOCKET ERROR - WRONG EVENT USED - DOCUMENT IS TITLED NON-OPPOSITION] Modified on 12/7/2016 (Ahmed, N). (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016		TEXT-ONLY ORDER: Upon review, the Court grants the Motion to Intervene filed by Bill Schuette (Dkt 13). SO ORDERED. Signed by District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016	25	NOTICE OF APPEAL by Bill Schuette re 16 Memorandum Opinion & Order. Receipt No: 0645-5988007 - Fee: \$ 505 - Fee Status: Fee Paid. (Dalzell, Kathryn) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016	26	MOTION to Set Aside 16 Memorandum Opinion & Order <i>granting TRO</i> by Bill Schuette. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit Exhibit 1, # 2 Exhibit Exhibit 2) (Bursch, John) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016	27	NOTICE OF HEARING on 26 MOTION to Set Aside 16 Opinion & Order <i>granting TRO</i> . Motion Hearing set for 12/7/2016 at 10:30 AM before District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016	28	Emergency MOTION Dissolve TRO <i>and Implement the 6th Circuit's Directive</i> by Michigan Republican Party. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1 - Sixth Circuit Order, # 2 Exhibit 2 - COA Order) (Hanselman, Jason) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016		Set/Reset Deadlines as to 28 Emergency MOTION Dissolve TRO <i>and Implement the 6th Circuit's Directive</i> . Motion Hearing set for 12/7/2016 at 10:30 AM before District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016	29	MOTION to Set Aside <i>Temporary Restraining Order</i> by Colleen Pero, Norman Shinkle, Christopher M. Thomas. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 6th Circuit Order, # 2 Exhibit Michigan Court of Appeals Order) (Grill, Erik) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016	30	AMENDED COMPLAINT <i>For Declaratory and Injunctive Relief</i> filed by All Plaintiffs against All Defendants. NO NEW PARTIES ADDED. (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/06/2016)
12/06/2016	37	ORDER from U.S. Court of Appeals - Sixth Circuit re 22 Notice of Appeal filed by Michigan Republican Party [Appeal Case Number 16-2690] (Ahmed, N) (Entered: 12/12/2016)

12/07/2016	31	NOTICE of Appearance by Mark C. Brewer on behalf of All Plaintiffs. (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/07/2016)
12/07/2016	32	NOTICE of Appearance by Mark C. Brewer on behalf of All Plaintiffs. (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/07/2016)
12/07/2016	33	RESPONSE to 29 MOTION to Set Aside <i>Temporary Restraining Order</i> , 28 Emergency MOTION Dissolve TRO <i>and Implement the 6th Circuit's Directive</i> , 26 MOTION to Set Aside 16 Memorandum Opinion & Order <i>granting TRO</i> filed by All Plaintiffs. (Brewer, Mark) (Entered: 12/07/2016)
12/07/2016	34	Certificate of Service re 25 Notice of Appeal. (Ahmed, N) (Entered: 12/07/2016)
12/07/2016		Minute Entry for proceedings before District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith: Motion Hearing held on 12/7/2016. Disposition: Motion taken under advisement. (Court Reporter: David Yarbrough) (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/07/2016)
12/07/2016	35	SUPPLEMENTAL BRIEF re 28 Emergency MOTION Dissolve TRO <i>and Implement the 6th Circuit's Directive</i> filed by Michigan Republican Party. (Attachments: # 1 Exhibit 1- Doster Affidavit, # 2 Exhibit 2 - Detroit News Article) (Hanselman, Jason) (Entered: 12/07/2016)
12/07/2016	36	ORDER Dissolving Temporary Restraining Order (Dkt. 16). Signed by District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 12/07/2016)
12/13/2016	38	NOTICE of Voluntary Dismissal by Louis Novak, Jill Stein <i>with Certificate of Service</i> (Horowitz, Hayley) (Entered: 12/13/2016)
12/27/2016	39	ORDER from U.S. Court of Appeals - Sixth Circuit re 25 Notice of Appeal filed by Bill Schuette [Appeal Case Number 16-2691] (Ahmed, N) (Entered: 12/28/2016)
01/03/2017	40	MANDATE from U.S. Court of Appeals - Sixth Circuit as to 22 Notice of Appeal filed by Michigan Republican Party, 37 Appeal Order/Opinion/Judgment [Appeal Case Number 16-2690] (Ahmed, N) (Entered: 01/03/2017)
03/31/2017	41	ORDER DISMISSING CASE WITH PREJUDICE. Signed by District Judge Mark A. Goldsmith. (Sandusky, K) (Entered: 03/31/2017)

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