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Jordan "Danny" Bickell
Deputy Clerk for Practice and Procedure
Supreme Court of the United States
1 First Street, N.E.
Washington, DC 20543

Re: Docket No. 14A358

Dear Mr. Bickell:

The United States District Court for the Middle District of North Carolina held a status conference today to address how Defendants intend to comply with its Order of Preliminary Injunction (dated October 3, 2014). The Defendants represented to the Court that implementation of the preliminary injunction with respect to out-of-precinct voting was simple. Provisional ballots will be provided as required under federal law to voters as necessary and the County Boards of Election will simply count the ballot. With respect to Same Day Registration, the State Board of Election has instituted a process to provide for same day registration in which voters will not notice the difference although some additional administrative burden will be incurred by the County Boards of Election. We will provide the full transcript as soon as it is received.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'MFW', with a long horizontal line extending to the right.

Michael F. Williams