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### STATE OF MINNESOTA

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## DISTRICT COURT

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT

#### **COUNTY OF RAMSEY**

In the Matter of the Contest of General Election held on November 4, 2008, for the purpose of electing a United States Senator for the State of Minnesota

District Court File No. 62-CV-09-56

Cullen Sheehan and Norm Coleman,

Contestants,

VS.

Al Franken,

Contestees,

Dennis Peterson, et. al.,

Petitioners,

Supreme Court File No. A09-65

VS.

Mark Ritchie, Minnesota Secretary of State, et. al.,

Respondents.

### NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL BY PETITIONERS ROBERT GIRTZ, BRIAN JOHNSON AND EVELYN KOEHNEN

Robert Girtz, Brian Johnson, and Evelyn Koehnen hereby withdraw as Petitioners in the above-captioned matter.

Date: January 29, 2009

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