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Re: *Sara Hippert, et al. v. Mark Ritchie, et al.*  
Case Number A11-152

Dear Ms. Gernander:

Enclosed for filing please find a Stipulation which has been signed by the parties in connection with the above matter.

Sincerely,

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A11-152

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Sara Hippert, Dave Greer, Linda Markowitz,  
Dee Dee Larson, Ben Maas, Gregg Peppin,  
Randy Penrod and Charles Roulet, individually and  
on behalf of all citizens and voting residents of  
Minnesota similarly situated,

Plaintiffs,

STIPULATION

Kenneth Martin, Lynn Wilson, Timothy O'Brien,  
Irene Peralez, Josie Johnson, Jane Krentz, Mark  
Altenburg, and Debra Hasskamp, individually and on  
behalf of all citizens of Minnesota similarly situated,

Intervenors,

Audrey Britton, David Bly, Cary Coop, and  
John McIntosh, individually and on behalf  
of all citizens of Minnesota similarly situated,

Intervenors,

vs.

Mark Ritchie, Secretary of State of Minnesota; and  
Robert Hiivala, Wright County Auditor, individually  
and on behalf of all Minnesota county chief election  
officers,

Defendants.

It is hereby stipulated and agreed, by and between all of the Plaintiffs, Defendants and  
Intervenors herein ("the Parties"), as follows:

The Parties agree that they waive the right to appeal the Special Redistricting Panel's  
Final Order Adopting A Congressional Redistricting Plan, dated February 21, 2012, the Special  
Redistricting Panel's Final Order Adopting A Legislative Redistricting Plan, dated February 21,

2012, and the Special Redistricting Panel's Order Awarding Attorney Fees and Costs, dated August 16, 2012.

The Parties acknowledge that neither this Stipulation nor the Stipulation for Dismissal with Prejudice in *Britton, et al. v. Ritchie, et al.*, U.S. District Court, District of Minnesota, Civil File No. 11-CV-93 PJS/AJB, affects Plaintiffs' or Intervenors' ability to attempt to collect attorney fees and costs pursuant to the Special Redistricting Panel's August 16, 2012 Order Awarding Attorney Fees and Costs, or the Defendants' right to defend against any such attempted collection.

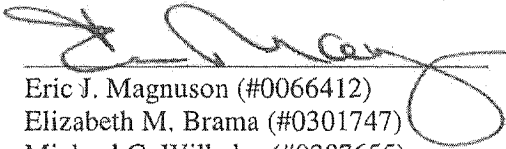
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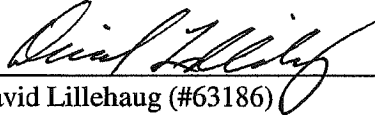
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