

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA

DAVID HARRIS and CHRISTINE)
BOWSER,)
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Plaintiffs,)
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v.) 1:13CV949
)
PATRICK MCCRORY, in his)
capacity as Governor of North)
Carolina, NORTH CAROLINA)
STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS,)
and JOSHUA HOWARD, in his)
capacity as Chairman of the)
North Carolina State Board)
of Elections,)
)
Defendants.)

ORDER

The parties have jointly moved the court to defer ruling on Plaintiffs' Motion for Award of Attorneys' Fees and Litigation Expenses until after the Supreme Court of the United States either grants Plaintiffs' Motion to Affirm this Court's Final Judgment or resolves the appeal after full briefing and argument. (See Doc. 169.) For good cause shown,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the parties' joint motion to stay (Doc. 169) is **GRANTED** and that the court will **DEFER** ruling on Plaintiffs' Motion for Award of Attorneys' Fees and Litigation Expenses until after the Supreme Court of the United States has ruled on Plaintiffs' Motion to Affirm.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Plaintiffs must notify this court within twenty (20) days of any decision by the Supreme Court regarding Plaintiffs' Motion to Affirm.

This the 2nd day of November, 2016.

William L. Ostun, Jr.

United States District Judge