UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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STATE OF GEORGIA,)	
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Plaintiff,)	
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V.)	Civil Action No. 11-1788
)	(RBW-DST-BAH)
ERIC H. HOLDER, Attorney General of)	
the United States,)	
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Defendant.)	
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ORDER

On October 6, 2011, the plaintiff filed this action under Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1973c (2006) ("Section 5"), seeking judicial preclearance of Georgia's 2011 state House of Representatives, state Senate, and Congressional redistricting plans. After receiving a request for administrative preclearance of the redistricting plans on October 24, 2011, the Attorney General advised the State of Georgia on December 23, 2011, that he did not interpose any objection to the redistricting plans under Section 5. On December 23, 2011, the defendant filed a motion to dismiss, arguing that because he interposed no objection to the redistricting plans, the complaint should be dismissed as moot. That same day, the plaintiff filed a notice that it did not oppose the defendant's motion to dismiss. Accordingly, it is hereby

ORDERED that the defendant's motion is GRANTED. It is further

ORDERED that the pending motions to intervene are DENIED AS MOOT. It is further

ORDERED that the pending motions for pro hac vice admission are DENIED AS

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ORDERED that this case is **DISMISSED** and **CLOSED**.

SO ORDERED this 3rd day of January, 2012.

REGGIE B. WALTON United States District Judge