

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
CENTRAL DIVISION**

THE ARKANSAS STATE CONFERENCE NAACP, *et al.*,

PLAINTIFFS,

v.

Case No. 4:21-cv-01239-LPR

THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF APPORTIONMENT, *et al.*

DEFENDANTS.

**BRIEF IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO QUASH CONSTITUTIONAL-OFFICER SUBPOENAS AND FOR
EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION**

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 45, and for the reasons explained in the accompanying brief, Governor Asa Hutchinson, Attorney General Leslie Rutledge, and Secretary of State John Thurston move for an order quashing subpoenas issued to them for their appearance at the January 27, 2022 preliminary-injunction hearing in this matter.

Due to the extremely time-sensitive nature of this motion, the constitutional officers respectfully request that the Court (1) consider this motion on an expedited basis and (2) order Plaintiffs to respond no later than 1:00pm on Monday, January 24, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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