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THE THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT IN AND FOR SALT LAKE COUNTY, STATE OF UTAH

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF UTAH, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

V.

UTAH STATE LEGISLATURE, et al.,

Defendants.

ORDER DEFERRING DECISION ON PLAINTIFFS' STATEMENT OF DISCOVERY ISSUES RE: PURPORTED LEGISLATIVE PRIVILEGE

Civil Action No. 220901712

Honorable Dianna M. Gibson

This matter came before the Court on Plaintiffs' Statement of Discovery Issues re: Purported Legislative Privilege ("SODI"). The Court considered the parties' arguments and hereby concludes that it must DEFER ruling on the Statement of Discovery Issues. The Court granted the Legislative Defendants' motion to stay all proceedings in this case, including discovery. There is a possibility that the Utah Supreme Court's decision could significantly impact this case and the pending issues. Further, this Court will require additional briefing before it can decide the legal issues presented in the SODI. Given the Utah Supreme Court granted the parties' respective petitions for interlocutory appeal, this Court concludes that deferring the decision, pending the Utah Supreme Court's decision, is in the interest of justice.

All parties shall bear their own attorney fees and costs in connection with this motion.

END OF ORDER Entered as indicated by the signature above