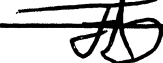


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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
WESTERN (LITTLE ROCK) DIVISION**

**LIBERTARIAN PARTY OF ARKANSAS,
KRISTIN VAUGHN, ROBERT CHRIS HAYES,
DEBRAH STANDIFORD, and MICHAEL PAKKO**

PLAINTIFFS

VS.

NO. 4:15-CV-635-JM

**HONORABLE MARK MARTIN
in his official capacity as
Arkansas Secretary of State**

DEFENDANT

NOTICE OF APPEAL

COMES NOW, Defendant, Honorable Mark Martin, (“Defendant Secretary”), in his official capacity as Arkansas Secretary of State, by and through his counsel, for his Notice of Appeal for the above-referenced case and states the following:

1. Defendant Secretary of State gives notice of appeal from the Order entered by this Court on July 15, 2016 (Dkt. No. 49) to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.

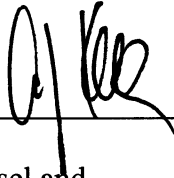
2. Defendant Secretary of State gives notice of appeal from the Judgment entered by this Court on July 18, 2016 (Dkt. No. 50) to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.
3. Defendant Secretary of State gives notice of appeal from the Order denying Defendant Secretary's Motion to Reconsider, Alter, or Amend Judgment (Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 52, 59(e), and 60) entered on by this Court on September 12, 2016 (Dkt. No. 65) to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.
4. Defendant Secretary further notifies all parties that he takes this appeal against every named Plaintiff, and challenges every adverse decision of the U.S. District Court at both of the two hearings in this matter.
5. The July 15, 2016 Order (Dkt. No. 49), the July 18, 2016 Judgment (Dkt. No. 50), and the September 12, 2016 Order (Dkt. No. 65) are final appealable orders and subject to jurisdiction by the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.

WHEREFORE, and for the foregoing reasons, Defendant Secretary, in his official capacity, hereby notifies the Court and all parties, that he will take an appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit.

Dated this 28th day of September, 2016.

Respectfully submitted,

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I do hereby certify that on this 28th day of September, 2016, I have served the foregoing via the electronic filing system in the Federal District Court Clerk's Office (CM/ECF) and via fax to the following:

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