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CASE

Judicial Officer	Date Filed	Adjudication	Status
STEPHENS, CYNTHIA	5/20/20	SUMMARY DISPOSITION 8/25/20	CLOSED 8/25/20

PARTICIPANTS

PLAINTIFF 1	COOPER-KEEL JD, NEVIN P	FILED: 5/20/20
	HOME - 3127 127TH AVENUE ALLEGAN, MI 49010	
DEFENDANT 1	THE MICHIGAN SECRETARY OF STATE, JOCELYN BENSON	FILED: 5/20/20
	BUSINESS - 430 W. ALLEGAN ST LANSING, MI 48909	

RECEIVABLES/PAYMENTS

	AD Name	Assessed	Paid/Adjusted	Balance
PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM FEE	\$25.00	\$25.00	\$0.00
	FILING FEE	\$150.00	\$150.00	\$0.00
	TOTAL	\$175.00	\$175.00	\$0.00

CHRONOLOGICAL LIST OF ACTIVITIES

Activity Date	Activity	User	Entry Date
5/20/20	SUMMONS AND COMPLAINT PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD DEF 1 THE MICHIGAN SECRETARY OF STATE, JOCELYN BENSON ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM FEE \$25.00 DUE DATE: 5/20/20 RECEIPT: COC-LAN.0004474 FILING FEE \$150.00 DUE DATE: 5/20/20 RECEIPT: COC-LAN.0004474	\$175.00 mmla mmla	5/20/20 5/20/20
5/20/20	MOTION - EX PARTE MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	mmla	5/20/20
5/20/20	RECEIVABLE ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM FEE DUE DATE: 5/20/20 PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	\$25.00 mmla	5/20/20
5/20/20	RECEIVABLE FILING FEE DUE DATE: 5/20/20 PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	\$150.00 mmla	5/20/20
5/20/20	PAYMENT ELECTRONIC FILING SYSTEM FEE \$25.00 FILING FEE \$150.00 RECEIPT NUMBER: COC-LAN.0004474 PAID BY: ATWATER BAIL BONDS METHOD: CHECK \$175.00	\$175.00 mmla	5/20/20
5/26/20	ORDER	mmla	5/27/20

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	IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that Plaintiffs serve the complaint and request for injunctive relief on defendant's and provide this court with proof of service. Upon receipt of the proof of service the defendant shall have 5 days to file a reply.		
5/29/20	RETURN OF NON-SERVICE PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	mmla	5/29/20
6/1/20	ORDER IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the Defendant shall have 5 days from service to file an expedited reply to the Request for Injunctive Relief. The Plaintiff shall serve this order on the Defendant if Service has not been accomplished and proof of the same filed by June 2, 2020.	mmla	6/1/20
6/11/20	NOTICE OF PROGRESS ON CHALLENGES TO THE MAILING OF ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATIONS In a review of the file of the instant case the court notes that service has not been made. In cases assigned to this court arising from the issuance of absentee ballot 20-000096-MZ Yvonne Black v Jocelyn Benson and 20-000099-MM Robert Davis v Jocelyn Benson, proof of service has been filed with the court and attorneys who have entered an appearance on behalf of the defendant are Erik Grill and Heather Meingast. A hearing on those cases has been set for June 16, 2020 at 12:00 p.m. FROM A REVIEW OF THE PAPERS IN THIS CASE IT APPEARS THAT ONCE SERVICE IS MADE, IT TOO SHOULD BE CONSOLIDATED.	mmla	6/12/20
6/15/20	BRIEF FILED IN OPPOSITION TO PLAINTIFF'S MOTION FOR PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION - ORAL ARGUMENT REQUESTED WITH PROOF OF SERVICE DEF 1 THE MICHIGAN SECRETARY OF STATE, JOCELYN BENSON	amd	6/15/20
6/15/20	ORDER This matter is before the Court on its own motion. The Court having previously entered a June 11, 2020 order consolidating certain cases, the Court determines, for the reasons set forth in that order, that the following additional case, 20-000091-MM, should be similarly consolidated. The conditions and terms of the June 11, 2020 consolidation order shall also apply to this additional case. IT IS SO ORDERED.	amd mmla	6/16/20 8/19/20
6/16/20	MOTION VIA ZOOM SET 6/16/20 12:00 P	amd	6/16/20
6/16/20	PROOF OF SERVICE	amd	6/16/20
6/16/20	ORDER - POST HEARING	amd	6/16/20
6/16/20	MOTION 6/16/20 12:00 PM HELD	mmla	6/18/20
6/17/20	MEMORANDUM OPPOSING AMICUS BRIEF PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	amd	6/17/20
6/18/20	ADDENDUM TO MEMORANDUM OPPOSING AMICUS BRIEF PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	mmla	6/18/20
6/18/20	OPINION AND ORDER DENYING PRELIMINARY INJUNCTION Pending before the Court in these consolidated cases are plaintiffs' respective motions for preliminary injunctive relief filed in Docket Nos. 20-000091-MM and 20-000096-MZ.1 For the reasons that follow, the motions are DENIED. Plaintiffs are unable to demonstrate the existence of a particularized irreparable harm, and they are unable, at this stage of the litigation to establish a likelihood of success on the merits. For those reasons: IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that plaintiff Nevin Cooper-Keel's and plaintiff Yvonne Black's respective motions for preliminary injunction are DENIED. This is not a final order and it does not resolve the last pending claim or close the case. PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	amd	6/18/20
7/6/20	DEFAULT REQUEST, ENTRY, AND JUDGMENT (SUM CERTAIN) PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	amd	7/6/20

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7/6/20	PROOF OF SERVICE OF A COPY 1) DEFAULT REQUEST, ENTRY, AND JUDGMENT, 2) VERIFIED STATEMENT OF FACTS, AND 3) PROOF OF SERVICE PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	amd	7/6/20
7/6/20	DEFAULT REQUEST, ENTRY, AND JUDGMENT (SUM CERTAIN) PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	amd	7/6/20
7/13/20	AMENDED DEFAULT REQUEST AND ENTRY PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	amd	7/13/20
7/13/20	AMENDED VERIFIED STATEMENT OF FACTS PTF 1 NEVIN P COOPER-KEEL JD	amd	7/13/20
8/25/20	OPINION AND ORDER IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that defendant's motion for summary disposition is GRANTED pursuant to MCR 2.116(C)(8) and (C)(10). This order resolves the last pending claim and closes the case. DISPOSITION: SUMMARY DISPOSITION 8/25/20 DEF 1 THE MICHIGAN SECRETARY OF STATE, JOCELYN BENSON	amd	8/25/20
8/25/20	CLOSE CASE STATUS	amd	8/25/20
8/27/20	ORDER Currently pending before the Court is Plaintiff Nevin Cooper-Keel's Default Request and Entry; IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that the default request is DENIED. Note, that the Court has set deadlines in its own order.	amd	8/27/20