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IN THE COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS :

OF PENNSYLVANIA, et al. :

Petitioners :

v. :

: Docket No. 261 MD 2017

THE COMMONWEALTH OF :

PENNSYLVANIA, et al. :

Respondents :

**INTERVENORS' ANSWER TO NEW MATTER OF
GOVERNOR TOM WOLF**

ANSWER TO NEW MATTER

Intervenors Brian McCann, Daphne Goggins, Carl Edward Pfeifer, Jr., Michael Baker, Cynthia Ann Robbins, Ginny Steese Richardson, Carol Lynne Ryan, Joel Sears, Kurtis D. Smith, C. Arnold McClure, Karen C. Cahilly, Vicki Lightcap, Wayne Buckwalter, Ann Marshall Pilgreen, Ralph E. Wike, Martin C.D. Morgis, Richard J. Tems, James Taylor, Lisa V. Nancollas, Hugh H. Sides, Mark J. Harris, William P. Eggleston, Jacqueline D. Kulback, Timothy D. Cifelli, Ann M. Dugan, Patricia J. Felix, Scott Uehlinger, Brandon Robert Smith, Glen Beiler, Tegwyn Hughes, Thomas Whitehead, David Moylan, Kathleen Bowman, James R. Means, Jr., Barry O. Christenson, Bryan Leib, and Rick Saccone file the following Answer to Petitioners' Petition for Review Addressed to the Court's Original Jurisdiction, with New Matter:

121. Intervenors incorporate by reference paragraphs 1–120 of their Answer to Petitioners' Petition for Review Addressed to the Court's Original Jurisdiction, filed November 17, 2017.

122. Denied. The averments contained in paragraph 122 are conclusions of law, to which no response is required.

123. Denied. After a reasonable investigation, the Intervenors are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the averments' truth.

124. Admitted in part, denied in part. It is admitted, upon information and

belief, that Governor Wolf was not in office at the time the 2011 plan became law.

The remaining averments of this paragraph are denied, as the Intervenors, after a reasonable investigation, are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to their truth.

125. Denied. After a reasonable investigation, the Intervenors are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the averments' truth.

126. Denied. After a reasonable investigation, the Intervenors are without knowledge or information sufficient to form a belief as to the averments' truth.

WHEREFORE, the Intervenors respectfully request that this Honorable Court enter judgment in their favor, together with such further relief, as the Court deems just and appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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