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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ARIZONA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MOHAVE

JEANNE KENTCH, an individual; TED
BOYD, an individual; ABRAHAM
HAMADEH, an individual; and
REPUBLICAN NATIONAL COMMITTEE,
a federal political party committee,

Plaintiffs/Contestants,

v.

KRIS MAYES,

Defendant/Contestee,

and

KATIE HOBBS, in her official capacity as the
Secretary of State; LARRY NOBLE, in his
official capacity as the Apache County
Recorder; APACHE COUNTY BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
DAVID W. STEVENS, in his official capacity
as Cochise County Recorder; COCHISE

No. _____

**APPLICATION FOR ORDER TO
SHOW CAUSE**

***(Expedited Election Proceeding
Pursuant to A.R.S. §§ 16-672, et seq.)***

1 COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, in
2 their official capacity; PATTY HANSEN, in
3 her official capacity as the Coconino County
4 Recorder; COCONINO COUNTY BOARD
5 OF SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
6 SADIE JO BINGHAM, in her official
7 capacity as Gila County Recorder; GILA
8 COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, in
9 their official capacity; WENDY JOHN, in her
10 official capacity as Graham County Recorder;
11 GRAHAM COUNTY BOARD OF
12 SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
13 SHARIE MILHEIRO, in her official capacity
14 as Greenlee County Recorder; GREENLEE
15 COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, in
16 their official capacity; RICHARD GARCIA,
17 in his capacity as the La Paz County Recorder;
18 LA PAZ COUNTY BOARD OF
19 SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
20 STEPHEN RICHER, in his official capacity as
21 the Maricopa County Recorder; MARICOPA
22 COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, in
23 their official capacity; KRISTI BLAIR, in her
24 official capacity as the Mohave County
25 Recorder; MOHAVE COUNTY BOARD OF
26 SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
27 MICHAEL SAMPLE, in his official capacity
28 as Navajo County Recorder; NAVAJO
COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, in
their official capacity; GABRIELLA
CAZARES-KELLY, in her official capacity
as the Pima County Recorder; PIMA
COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, in
their official capacity; DANA LEWIS, in her
official capacity as the Pinal County Recorder;
PINAL COUNTY BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
SUZANNE SAINZ, in her official capacity as
the Santa Cruz County Recorder; SANTA
CRUZ COUNTY BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
MICHELLE M. BURCHILL, in her official
capacity as the Yavapai County Recorder;
YAVAPAI COUNTY BOARD OF

1 SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity;
2 RICHARD COLWELL, in his official
3 capacity as the Yuma County Recorder; and
4 YUMA COUNTY BOARD OF
SUPERVISORS, in their official capacity,

5 Defendants.
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7 Pursuant to Arizona Rule of Civil Procedure 7.3, Plaintiffs/Contestants respectfully
8 apply for an order to show cause why the relief requested in the Statement of Election
9 Contest should not be granted.

10 Arizona law prescribes a highly compressed timetable for the resolution of election
11 contests, mandating expedited deadlines for responding to the statement of contest and for
12 the adjudication of the parties' claims and defenses. See A.R.S. §§ 16-675 (setting five
13 day period to respond to statement of contest), 16-676(A) (requiring hearing within 10
14 days after initiation of contest).

15 In the interests of facilitating an efficient and expeditious resolution of these
16 proceedings, Plaintiffs/Contestants respectfully request that the Court set an Order to
17 Show Cause hearing to address case management and other procedural matters at the
18 earliest available date.
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1 **RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED** this 9th day of December, 2022.

2 By: /s/ Timothy A. La Sota

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