

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF ARIZONA

IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF MOHAVE

HONORABLE LEE F. JANTZEN  
DIVISION 4  
DATE: APRIL 11, 2023

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COURT ORDER/NOTICE/RULING

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JEANNE KENTCH, et al., et ux.,  
Plaintiffs,

vs.

CV-2022-01468

KRIS MAYES, et al., et ux.,  
Defendants.

This matter has been brought to the Court's attention to address a number of pleadings that have been filed since the emergency portion of this case was processed around Christmas. The motion for new trial was filed in early January, but the Court has continued to receive supplemental briefings on this motion, including as recently as last week.

The Court will review all the pleadings that have been filed including the recent Supplemental Briefing for New Trial by Plaintiff and each parties' responses to those.

**IT IS ORDERED** granting the Motion of Arizona Senate President Warren Petersen and Speaker of the Arizona House of Representatives Ben Toma for Leave to File a Brief as *Amici Curiae*.

The Court will read all these briefings and pleadings prior to the hearing as well as case law, statutes and rules referred to within the various pleadings. As to Plaintiffs' Motion for An Order Reflecting Additional Rulings of the Court, the Court had read that motion and Defendant Mayes' response back in late December and was considering the options when the Motion for New Trial was filed. The Court will address the need for additional findings during the oral argument set on the Motion for New Trial.

**IT IS ORDERED** setting Plaintiff Abraham Hamadeh's Motion for a New Trial for **Oral Argument on Tuesday, May 16, 2023 at 1:30 p.m.**

Parties may appear by Zoom by following the instructions below.

To join the Zoom meeting by video (**preferred**), participants can go to Zoom.us and click on 'Join'; the Court's meeting ID # is 258656631. The password to join is 2141912.

To attend the Zoom meeting telephonically, the participants may call 1-669-900-6833 or toll free at 1-833-548-0282 with meeting ID # 258656631. The password to join is 2141912.

The Court will reserve the entire afternoon for the hearing.

The Court will consider Defendant Kris Mayes' Motion for Attorneys' Fees when this case is completely resolved.

The Court will also consider Defendant Navajo County's Motion to Compensate Ballot Inspectors, which was joined by and supplemented by Mohave County and Defendant Kris Mayes, and responded to by Plaintiff, when the case is finally resolved.

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