IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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STEPHEN LAROQUE, ANTHONY CUOMO, )
JOHN NIX, KLAY NORTHRUP, LEE )
RAYNOR, and KINSTON CITIZENS FOR )
NON-PARTISAN VOTING, )
) Plaintiffs,
) v.
) ) Civ. No.: 1:10-CV-00561-JDB
) ERIC H. HOLDER, JR. )
) ATTORNEY GENERAL OF THE )
) UNITED STATES )
) Defendant. )

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EXHIBIT A: NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF ELECTIONS, SAMPLE BALLOT,
LENOIR COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA, NOV. 4, 2008
BALLOT MARKING INSTRUCTIONS:

a. With a black ball point pen or the marking device provided, completely fill in the oval ☐ to the left of each candidate or selection of your choice, like this: ☐
b. Where authorized, you may write in a candidate by filling in the oval and writing the name on the Write-In line.
c. If you tear, deface or wrongly mark this ballot, return it to request a replacement.

PRESIDENTIAL CONTEST

The offices of President and Vice President of the United States are not included in a Straight Party vote. This contest must be voted separately.

PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

(You may vote for ONE)

Barack Obama
Joe Biden
DEMOCRAT
John McCain
Sarah Palin
REPUBLICAN
Bob Barr
Wayne A. Root
LIBERTARIAN
Write-in

PARTISAN OFFICES

US SENATE
(You may vote for ONE)

Kay Hagan
DEMOCRAT
Elizabeth Dole
REPUBLICAN
Christopher Cole
LIBERTARIAN
Write-in

GOVERNOR
(You may vote for ONE)

Bev Perdue
DEMOCRAT
Pat McCrory
REPUBLICAN
Michael C. Munger
LIBERTARIAN
Write-in

US HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
DISTRICT 1
(You may vote for ONE)

G.K. Butterfield
DEMOCRAT
Dean Stephens
REPUBLICAN
Write-in

ATTORNEY GENERAL
(You may vote for ONE)

Roy Cooper
DEMOCRAT
Bob Crumley
REPUBLICAN
Write-in

STRAIGHT PARTY VOTING

a. A Straight Party vote is a vote for all candidates of that party in partisan offices. Individual partisan office selections are not necessary if you select a Straight Party below.
b. You may select a Straight Party AND ALSO vote for a candidate of a different party in any individual office.
c. In any multi-seat race, a Straight Party vote is a vote for ALL candidates of that party. If you individually vote for any candidate in a multi-seat race, you must also individually select all other candidates in that race for whom you wish to vote in order for your vote to count.
d. If you do not select a Straight Party below, you may vote by marking each office separately.
e. A Straight Party vote does not vote for US President and Vice President, unaffiliated candidates, or nonpartisan offices, issues or referenda.

STRAIGHT PARTY
(You may vote for ONE)

DEMOCRATIC

Walter H. Dalton
DEMOCRAT
Robert Pittenger
REPUBLICAN
Phillip Rhodes
LIBERTARIAN
Roy Cooper
DEMOCRAT
Bob Crumley
REPUBLICAN
Beth A. Wood
DEMOCRAT
Leslie Merritt
REPUBLICAN
COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE
(You may vote for ONE)

Ronnie Ansley
DEMOCRAT
Steve Troxler
REPUBLICAN
COMMISSIONER OF INSURANCE
(You may vote for ONE)

Wayne Goodwin
DEMOCRAT
John Odom
REPUBLICAN
Mark McMains
LIBERTARIAN
COMMISSIONER OF LABOR
(You may vote for ONE)

Mary Fant Donnan
DEMOCRAT
Cherie Berry
REPUBLICAN
SECRETARY OF STATE
(You may vote for ONE)

Elaine F. Marshall
DEMOCRAT
Jack Sawyer
REPUBLICAN
SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
(You may vote for ONE)

June St. Clair Atkinson
DEMOCRAT
Richard Morgan
REPUBLICAN
TREASURER
(You may vote for ONE)

Janet Cowell
DEMOCRAT
Bill Daughtridge
REPUBLICAN
NC STATE SENATE DISTRICT 10
(You may vote for ONE)

Charles W. (Charlie) Albertson
DEMOCRAT
NC HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES DISTRICT 10
(You may vote for ONE)

Van Braxton
DEMOCRAT
Stephen LaRooke
REPUBLICAN
COUNTY COMMISSIONER AT-LARGE
(You may vote for TWO)

Reuben J. Davis
DEMOCRAT
Linda Rouse Sutton
REPUBLICAN
Eric S. Rouse
REPUBLICAN
Jeff Stephens
REPUBLICAN

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