

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS
FRANKLIN COUNTY, OHIO


Ohio Democratic Party, *et al.*, :
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 Relators :
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 v. : CASE NO. 06CVH 09-11609
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 J. Kenneth Blackwell : JUDGE PHELPS-WHITE
 Secretary, State of Ohio, :
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 Respondent. :

MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO FILE BRIEF

Pursuant to Franklin County Common Pleas Court Rule 13, Co-Counsel for Respondent J. Kenneth Blackwell, Secretary, respectfully requests an extension of time until Tuesday October 24, 2006 for the filing of a Brief in response to Relators Motion for a Writ of Mandus.

The basis of this Motion is set forth in the Affidavit attaches as Exhibit A.

Respectfully submitted,



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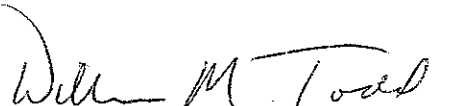
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that a copy of the foregoing Notice of Appearance was served facsimile and by first class U.S. Mail, postage prepaid, this 19th day of October, 2006 upon the following:

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