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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO EASTERN DIVISION

MICHAEL GONIDAKIS, et al.,	:
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Plaintiffs,	: Case No. 2:22-cv-0773
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v.	: Chief Judge Algenon L. Marbley
	: Judge Amul R. Thapar
OHIO REDISTRICTING	: Judge Benjamin J. Beaton
COMMISSION, et al.,	:
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Defendants.	:

ORDER

Per the schedule established at the preliminary injunction hearing, post-hearing response briefs are due Monday, April 11, 2022. In those same briefs, the parties shall address three additional questions posed by the panel:

- Is there a federal right to vote in a primary if state law requires a primary for state elections? Please provide the specific text in the Constitution or a constitutional doctrine that grounds this right.
- 2. May Ohio simply not hold a primary and have a general election? If so, how would Ohio law provide for a general election for those seats?
- 3. Does the federal court have authority to move a primary election? Where does this authority come from?

IT IS SO ORDERED.

ALGENON L. MARBLEY CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE On behalf of the three-judge panel

DATED: April 7, 2022