



considered the respective briefs in support of and in opposition to said motions, and having heard oral argument from the parties and proposed intervenors during a hearing on March 1, 2018, and for the purpose of memorializing the court's rulings as set forth on the record at the close of said hearing, it is hereby ORDERED that:

1. The motion (Doc. 5) to intervene filed by the League of Women Voters of Pennsylvania and eighteen individual Pennsylvania voters is GRANTED in part and DENIED in part as follows:
  - a. The motion (Doc. 5) is GRANTED as to the eighteen individual Pennsylvania voters.
  - b. The motion (Doc. 5) is DENIED as to the League of Women Voters of Pennsylvania.
2. The motion (Doc. 12) to intervene filed by the National Democratic Redistricting Committee is DENIED.
3. Both the League of Women Voters of Pennsylvania and the National Democratic Redistricting Committee are granted leave to file *amici curiae* briefs stating their respective positions on the matters raised *sub judice*.
4. Any *amici curiae* briefs submitted pursuant to paragraph 3 shall be filed no later than **12:00 p.m. on Wednesday, March 7, 2018.**
5. The Clerk of Court is DIRECTED to add the following individuals as intervenor-defendants in the above-captioned action: Carmen Febo San Miguel; James Solomon; John Greiner; John Capowski; Gretchen Brandt; Thomas Rentschler; Mary Elizabeth Lawn; Lisa Isaacs; Don Lancaster; Jordi Comas; Robert Smith; William Marx; Richard Mantell; Priscilla McNulty; Thomas Ulrich; Robert McKinstry; Mark Lichty; and Lorraine Petrosky.

**FOR THE COURT:**

/S/ KENT A. JORDAN

Kent A. Jordan, Circuit Judge  
*United States Court of Appeals  
for the Third Circuit*

/S/ CHRISTOPHER C. CONNER

Christopher C. Conner, Chief District Judge  
*United States District Court  
for the Middle District of Pennsylvania*

/S/ JEROME B. SIMANDLE

Jerome B. Simandle, District Judge  
*United States District Court  
for the District of New Jersey*