

the Court, if it deems it necessary to do so, may order that certain election deadlines be altered to some extent. *See, e.g., Holt v. 2011 Legislative Reapportionment Commission*, 614 Pa. 364, 372 (2012) (adjusting primary schedule). (Given the complexity and expense of any change in existing deadlines, however, the Court should only order such relief after close inquiry into its feasibility, and it would be preferable to put a new map in place by January 23, 2018 if one is required.)

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on December 4, 2017, I caused the foregoing Response to Plaintiffs' Motion for Reconsideration to be filed with the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Pennsylvania via the Court's CM/ECF system, which will provide electronic notice to all counsel and parties of record.

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