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**OFFICE OF
APPELLATE COURTS**

STATE OF MINNESOTA
IN SUPREME COURT

A20-1264

Jennifer Schroeder, et al.,

Petitioners,

vs.

Minnesota Secretary of State Steve Simon,

Respondent.

ORDER

Based upon all the files, records, and proceedings herein,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

1. The petition of Jennifer Schroeder, et al., for further review of the decision of the Court of Appeals be, and the same is, granted. The petitioners shall proceed as the appellants, and briefs shall be served and filed in the quantity, form and within the time limitations contained in Minn. R. Civ. App. P. 131 and 132. Counsel will be notified later of the date and time for argument before this court.

2. The motion of each entity listed below, for leave to serve and file a brief as amici curiae in the above-entitled matter in support of petitioners be, and the same are, each granted. Additionally, any state that wishes to join in the District of Columbia's amicus brief must do so on or before that brief is filed and must be identified as a joint amicus on the brief.

The League of Women Voters Minnesota, Common Cause Minnesota, and the Minnesota Second Chance Coalition (joint brief)

District of Columbia

City of Saint Paul, Minnesota and City of Minneapolis, Minnesota (joint brief)

ISAIAH

World Without Genocide

The Ramsey County Attorney's Office

Volunteers of America Minnesota and Wisconsin

The Legal Rights Center, the LAMP and Reentry Clinics at Mitchell Hamline School of Law, and All Square (joint brief)

Minnesota Association of Black Lawyers

Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians

3. The briefs of amici shall be served and filed in accordance with Minn. R. Civ. App. P. 129 and 132.01. Amici will not be permitted to participate in oral argument.

4. All amici are reminded that the principle espoused in Rule 37(1) of the Rules of the Supreme Court of the United States is applicable in this court as well:

An *amicus curiae* brief that brings to the attention of the Court relevant matter not already brought to its attention by the parties may be of considerable help to the Court. An *amicus curiae* brief that does not serve this purpose burdens the Court, and its filing is not favored.

Amici are therefore encouraged to coordinate their efforts to avoid redundant briefing.

Dated: August 10, 2021

BY THE COURT:



Lorie S. Gildea
Chief Justice