STATE OF COLORADO SECRETARY OF STATE ADMINISTRATIVE HEARING OFFICER 1700 Broadway #550 Denver, CO 80290 BEFORE THE SECRETARY OF STATE. COLORADO DEPARTMENT OF STATE, in re ED 2023-03, 2023-11 ▲ COURT USE ONLY ▲ ELECTIONS DIVISION OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE, CASE NUMBER Complainant, 2023 AHO 0019 vs. HUSCH BLACKWELL LLP, and JOHN DOE(S) Respondents.

## UNOPPOSED MOTION TO STAY

Consistent with the Court's Order dated November 21, 2023, counsel for the Elections Division and Husch Blackwell (collectively, the "parties") conferred by telephone on November 28, 2023. During that conferral, the parties discussed a resolution of the Division's Complaint. The conversation was productive, and the Parties have agreed to move forward with settlement discussions.

Accordingly, the Division requests a 30-day stay of all proceedings in this matter so that the parties may continue their settlement discussions to determine whether a settlement is feasible. Respondents do not oppose this request.

If the parties have not reached a settlement within 30 days, they will prepare and submit a proposed schedule for this matter consistent with the Court's Order dated November 21, 2023.

Respectfully submitted this 28th day of November, 2023.

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