Supreme Court of Pennsylvania

Miscellaneous Docket Sheet

Docket Number: 18 MM 2022

November 15, 2026

CAPTION

Gabriel Ingram, Ruth Moton, Mark Kirchgasser and Susan Powell, Petitioners

v.

2021 Legislative Reapportionment Commission, Respondent

CASE INFORMATION

Initiating Document: Petition for Review

Case Status: Closed

Journal Number:

Case Category: Administrative Agency

Case Type(s): Redistricting

CONSOLIDATED CASES

RELATED CASES

Docket No / Reason	Type
11 MM 2022 Same Issue(s) Benninghoff, K, Pet v. 2021 Legislative Reapp Comm	Related
14 MM 2022 Same Issue(s) Boscola, L., Pet. v. 2021 Legislative Reapp Comm	Related
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17 MM 2022 Same Issue(s) Donagi, R, etal, Pets, v 2021 Legislative Reap Com	Related
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7 WM 2022 Same Issue(s) Koger, T., Pet. v. 2021 Legislative Reapp Comm.	Related
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Fee Dt	Fee Name	Fee Amt	Receipt Dt	Receipt No	Receipt Amt
03/07/2022	Petition for Review	90.25	03/08/2022	2022-SUP-M-000599	90.25

AGENCY/TRIAL COURT INFORMATION

Court Below: Legislative Reapportionment Commission

County: Division: Legislative Reapportionment Commission

Date of Agency/Trial Court Order: February 2, 2022

Docket Number: 159 Legislative District

Judge(s): OTN:

Order Type: Order

ORIGINAL RECORD CONTENT

Original Record Item	Filed Date	Content/Description
Agency Record	March 07, 2022	Electroncially Filed @ 4 WM 2022

Record Remittal:

BRIEFING SCHEDULE

Amicus Curiae
Costa, Senator Jay
Brief
Due: March 11, 2022 Filed: March 11, 2022

Intervenor - Respondent
McClinton, Joanna E.
Brief
Due: March 11, 2022 Filed: March 11, 2022

Petitioner

Respondent

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Ingram, Gabriel
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Moton, Ruth
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Powell, Susan
Brief
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Respondent

2021 Legislative Reapportionment Commission
Brief
Due: March 11, 2022 Filed: March 11, 2022

DISPOSITION INFORMATION

Related Journal No:		Judgment Date:	March 16, 2022
Category:	Decided	Disposition Author:	Per Curiam
Disposition:	Order Denying Petition for Review	Disposition Date:	March 16, 2022
Dispositional Filing:	**Order**	Author:	Per Curiam
Filed Date:	March 16, 2022		

DOCKET ENTRY

Filed Date	Docket Entry / Representing	Participant Type	Filed By
March 7, 2022	**Petition for Review**		
		Petitioner	Ingram, Gabriel
		Petitioner	Moton, Ruth
		Petitioner	Kirchgasser, Mark
		Petitioner	Powell, Susan
March 7, 2022	**Petitioner's Brief/Brief in Support of Petition for Review**		
		Petitioner	Ingram, Gabriel
		Petitioner	Moton, Ruth
		Petitioner	Kirchgasser, Mark
		Petitioner	Powell, Susan
March 7, 2022	**Agency Record Received**		
			Legislative Reapportionment Commission

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March 8, 2022	**Praecipe for Appearance**		
	2021 Legislative Reapportionment Commission	Respondent	Mintz, Leah Ariel
March 10, 2022	**Notice of Intervention**		
		Intervenor - Respondent	McClinton, Joanna E.
March 11, 2022	**Intervenor McClinton Answer to Petition for Review**		
		Intervenor - Respondent	McClinton, Joanna E.
March 11, 2022	**Intervenor McClinton's Brief**		
		Intervenor - Respondent	McClinton, Joanna E.
March 11, 2022	**Brief of Amicus Curiae Senator Jay Costa**		
		Amicus Curiae	Costa, Senator Jay
March 11, 2022	**Respondent LRC Brief**		
		Respondent	2021 Legislative Reapportionment Commission
March 11, 2022	**Respondent LRC Answer to Petition for Review**		
		Respondent	2021 Legislative Reapportionment Commission
March 14, 2022	**Praecipe for Appearance**		
	Ingram, Gabriel	Petitioner	Shakley, Michael Donald
	Moton, Ruth	Petitioner	Shakley, Michael Donald
	Kirchgasser, Mark	Petitioner	Shakley, Michael Donald
	Powell, Susan	Petitioner	Shakley, Michael Donald
March 16, 2022	**Application to Strike Reports in Respondent - Intervenor Consolidated Answer**		
		Petitioner	Ingram, Gabriel
		Petitioner	Moton, Ruth
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March 16, 2022	**Order Regarding Petition for Review**		Per Curiam

Comments:
PER CURIAM

AND NOW, this 16th day of March, 2022, upon consideration of the above-captioned legislative reapportionment appeals filed pursuant to PA. CONST. art. II, § 17(d) (indicating that "[a]ny aggrieved person may file an appeal from the final plan [of the 2021 Pennsylvania Legislative Reapportionment Commission] directly to the Supreme Court"), this Court finds that the Final Reapportionment Plan of the Pennsylvania Legislative Reapportionment Commission filed on February 4, 2022, is in compliance with the mandates of the Pennsylvania Constitution and the United States Constitution and is not contrary to law, and, therefore, shall have the force of law. See PA. CONST. art. II, § 17(d) & (e) (specifying that "[i]f the appellant establishes that the final plan is contrary to law, the Supreme Court shall issue an order remanding the plan to the commission" and that "[w]hen the Supreme Court has finally decided an appeal...the reapportionment plan shall have the force of law..."). Further, it is hereby ordered that said Plan shall be used in all forthcoming elections to the General Assembly until the next constitutionally-mandated reapportionment shall be approved.

All outstanding motions filed in the above-captioned matters are hereby DISMISSED.

This Court's February 23, 2022 Order, at Judicial Administration Docket No. 569, which temporarily suspended the General Primary Election calendar relative to elections for seats in the General Assembly, is VACATED. Our adjustment to that calendar is resolved by separate order at that docket number and entered today.

Jurisdiction relinquished.

March 16, 2022	**Order Exited**		Office of the Prothonotary
March 31, 2022	**Reconsideration Time Expired/Case Closed**		Office of the Prothonotary

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