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Commonwealth Court of Pennsylvania

Docket Number: 75 MD 2012**Page 1 of 5****September 19, 2017****CAPTION**In re: Nomination Petition of
Barack ObamaIn re: Nomination Petition of
Patrick Meehan

Objection of: James D. Schneller

CASE INFORMATION

Initiating Document: Petition to Set Aside Nominating Petition

Case Status: Closed

Case Processing Status: March 2, 2012 Completed

Journal Number:

Case Category: Election Case Type(s): Election

CONSOLIDATED CASES**RELATED CASES****COUNSEL INFORMATION****Petitioner Schneller, James D.**

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IFP Status:

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Filed Date	Docket Entry / Filer	Representing	Participant Type	Exit Date
February 15, 2012	Petition to Set Aside Nominating Paper Filed Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	
February 22, 2012	Order Filed Per Curiam Document Name: Memorandum and Order : The PFR shall be limited to objections to the Nomination Petitions of Comment: Barack Obama and Patrick Meehan. Petitioner is granted leave, within 7 days of the date of this order, to file a separate original, appellate or dual jurisdiction action relating to the committee pursuant to Section 976 of the Election Code and the challenge to the 2006 amendment to Section 910 of the Election Code. In the event such separate petition is filed, with additional filing fee, the filing date of 2-15-12 shall be preserved for all of the requests currently contained at this docket number. Further, the caption is amended. See Order Filed			02/22/2012
February 22, 2012	Hearing Scheduled Per Curiam Document Name: Scheduling and Case Management Order : Hearing on the petition to set aside nomination petition is Comment: set for 3-1-12, 10:00 am, CR 3002, PJC, HBG. Objector is directed to secure the services of a court stenographer for the hearing. Failure of Objector to secure the services of a court stenographer may result in the dismissal of the matter. If signatures are challenged, Objector shall secure, by request by subpoena, the presence of a Statewide Uniform Registry of Electors system operator at the hearing. A pre-trial conference may be scheduled at any time after 2-24-12. No later than 5:00 pm, 2-27-12, Objector shall personally serve a copy of this order, a copy of the petition to set aside nomination petitions and, if signature line challenges are at issue, one digital media device containing the objections in spreadsheet format and a key to the codes used in the spreadsheet on Michael Untermeyer or an adult member of Candidate's Family. Objector shall file a proof of service with the chief clerk promptly thereafter. See Order Filed. Unless otherwise ordered, all filings required or permitted by paragraphs 2, 3, and 4 of this order shall be filed no later than 12:00 o'clock noon on 2-28-12 with the chief clerks at the Pa. Judicial Center in HBG. Parties may NOT file by facsimile or e-mail without express prior permission from the court.			02/22/2012
February 27, 2012	Praecipe Schneller, James D. Document Name: to change address		Petitioner	
February 27, 2012	Certificate of Service Filed Schneller, James D. Document Name: re: Case Management and Scheduling Order		Petitioner	
February 27, 2012	Letter Schneller, James D. Document Name: re: Motion for a request for extension of time		Petitioner	
February 27, 2012	Application for Extension of Time to File Schneller, James D. Document Name: Motion for Ext. of Time and Waiver of Postage Requirement		Petitioner	
February 28, 2012	Application to Strike Lavelle, John P., Jr. Document Name: and Dismiss	Obama, Barack	Respondent	

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February 29, 2012	Order Denying Application for Extension of Time to File Per Curiam			02/29/2012
	Document Name: upon consideration of objector's motion for ext. of time deadline and waiver of postage requirement Comment: to the extent objector seeks a continuance of the hearing on his petition to set aside nomination pet. scheduled for 3/1/12, the motion is denied.			
March 1, 2012	Application for Reconsideration Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	
	Document Name: of Order denying extension of time deadline			
March 1, 2012	Certificate of Service Filed Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	03/01/2012
	Document Name: Affidavit of Service			
March 1, 2012	Application for Relief Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	
	Document Name: Motion for Leave to File Motion for Reconsideration of Denial of Continuance by Fax			
March 1, 2012	Answer to Application to Dismiss Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	
	Document Name: Answer to Motion to Strike and Dismiss			
March 2, 2012	Dismissed Quigley, Keith B.			03/02/2012
	Document Name: after hearing on objector's petition to set aside nomination petition, and upon consideration Comment: of Candidate Obama's motion to strike and dismiss, and it appearing that objector is a registered Independent, it is clear that objector does not have standing to bring the petition to set aside nomination petition as to Candidate Obama. Candidate's Motion to strike and dismiss is granted and objector's petition to set aside nomination petition as to Candidate Obama is dismissed. Objector's motion for leave to file motion for reconsideration of denial of continuance by fax and motion for reconsideration of order denying ext. of time deadline, the motions are dismissed as moot.			
March 6, 2012	Post Trial Motions Filed Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	03/06/2012
	Document Name: Motion for Costs and Sanctions for Failure to Comply with Notice to Attend			
March 7, 2012	Order Filed Per Curiam			03/07/2012
	Document Name: upon consideration of objector's post trial motion with motion for costs and sanctions for failure Comment: to comply with notice to attend, and it appearing that the Rules of Civil Procedure do not apply to Election Code matters, the post trial motion is dismissed. To the extent objector seeks reconsideration of this Court's order of 3/2/12, there is no reconsideration practice in Election Code matters.			
March 12, 2012	Notice of Appeal to PA Supreme Court Filed Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	
	Document Name: 137 MT 2012 Comment: RECORD FORWARDED TO THE PA SUPREME COURT, MIDDLE DISTRICT ON 3/21/2012.			
March 21, 2012	Certificate of Service Filed Commonwealth Court Filing Office			
	Document Name: List of documents sent to counsel of record & unrepresented parties pursuant to Pa. R.A.P. 1931(d)			

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March 23, 2012	Quashed Supreme Court of Pennsylvania Document Name: 24 MAP 2012			
June 4, 2012	Notice of Appeal to PA Supreme Court Filed Schneller, James D.		Petitioner	

DISPOSITION INFORMATION

Final Disposition:	Yes	Judgment Date:	
Related Journal No:		Disposition Author:	Quigley, Keith B.
Category:	Decided	Disposition Date:	March 2, 2012
Disposition:	Dismissed		
Disposition Comment:	of Candidate Obama's motion to strike and dismiss, and it appearing that objector is a registered Independent, it is clear that objector does not have standing to bring the petition to set aside nomination petition as to Candidate Obama. Candidate's Motion to strike and dismiss is granted and objector's petition to set aside nomination petition as to Candidate Obama is dismissed. Objector's motion for leave to file motion for reconsideration of denial of continuance by fax and motion for reconsideration of order denying ext. of time deadline, the motions are dismissed as moot.		
Dispositional Filing:		Filing Author:	
Filed Date:			

REARGUMENT / RECONSIDERATION / REMITTAL

Filed Date: March 1, 2012
 Disposition:
 Disposition Date:
 Record Remittal: