

No. 18-15845

**IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS
FOR THE NINTH CIRCUIT**

THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL COMMITTEE; et al.,

Plaintiffs-Appellants,

v.

KATIE HOBBS; et al.,

Defendants-Appellees,
and

THE ARIZONA REPUBLICAN PARTY; et al.,

Intervenor-Defendants-Appellees

On Appeal from the United States District Court
for the District of Arizona
No. CV-16-01065-PHX-DLR

**INTERVENOR-APPELLEES' RESPONSE TO ORDER TO SHOW
CAUSE**

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Intervenor-Appellees Arizona Republican Party, Bill Gates, Suzanne Klapp, Debbie Lesko, and Tony Rivero hereby respond to this Court's Order to Show Cause why the mandate should not issue on April 27, 2020. (Doc. 138.) The Order expresses concern that, if Intervenor-Appellees do not file a petition for certiorari by the original 90-day deadline of April 27, 2020, the Supreme Court will not have the opportunity to rule on the petition before the November 3, 2020 general election. Intervenor-Appellees will file their petition by April 27, 2020. Accordingly, there is no reason for this Court to alter its February 11, 2020 Order staying issuance of the mandate pending certiorari. (Doc. 127.)

DATED this 17th day of April, 2020.

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I hereby certify that on April 17, 2020, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of the Court for the United States Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit by using the appellate CM/ECF system.

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