#### No. 20-3414

## IN THE UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE SEVENTH CIRCUIT

# DONALD J. TRUMP, candidate for President of the United States of America,

Plaintiff-Appellant,

vs.

THE WISCONSIN ELECTIONS COMMISSION, *et al.* 

Appeal from the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Wisconsin, Milwaukee Division

District Court No. 2:-20-cv-01785

The Honorable Brett H. Ludwig, Judge Presiding

Defendants-Appellees

## **MOTION FOR CLARIFICATION REGARDING ORAL ARGUMENT**

Counsel for Appellant respectfully requests the Clerk of the Court and/or the Court for clarification regarding whether this matter will be set for oral argument. In support of this motion Appellant states:

1. Appellant's motion for this case to be expedited was granted on December 14, 2020, and a schedule for expedited briefing issued on that date.

2. Expedited briefing was completed with the filing of Appellant's reply brief on December 20, 2020.

3. Fed. R. App. Proc. 34(a)(2)(C) contemplates that oral argument is typically held unless "a panel of three judges who have examined the briefs and record unanimously agrees that oral argument is unnecessary [because] the facts

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and legal arguments are adequately presented in the briefs and record, and the decisional process would not be significantly aided by oral argument."

4. No party has specifically requested oral argument. Appellant is prepared to participate in oral argument but defers to the panel's determination of whether oral argument would aid the decisional process and wishes to be able to plan availability and make arrangements in the event oral argument might be scheduled during a period when the availability of support staff will be more limited.

Therefore, counsel for Appellant respectfully requests clarification regarding whether the Clerk or Court anticipate this matter may be set for oral argument.

Respectfully Submitted,

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### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned, an attorney, certifies that on December 22, 2020, he caused the foregoing to be filed with the Seventh Circuit Court of Appeals' electronic filing system, which electronically served notification and copies of such filing upon all attorneys who have appeared and are of record.

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