| MARYLAND STATE BOARD OF | * | IN THE |
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| ELECTIONS, et al. | * | SUPREME COURT |
| V. | * | OF MARYLAND |
| ANTHONY J. AMBRIDGE, et al. | * | No. 26 |
| | * | September Term, 2024 |

ORDER

WHEREAS, on September 20, 2024, Appellant Maryland State Board of Elections filed an Emergency Motion to Stay the Circuit Court's Injunction Pending Appeal ("Emergency Motion to Stay"); and

WHEREAS, on September 21, 2024, Appellant Mayor and City Council of Baltimore filed a Response in Support of the Emergency Motion to Stay; and

WHEREAS, on September 23, 2024, Appellant MCB HP Baltimore LLC filed a Response in Support of the Emergency Motion to Stay; and

WHEREAS, on September 24, 2024, Appellees Anthony Ambridge, et al., filed an Opposition to the Emergency Motion to Stay; and

WHEREAS, the Emergency Motion to Stay seeks an order from this Court staying the order entered by the Circuit Court for Anne Arundel County, dated September 17, 2024, directing the Baltimore City Board of Elections to "not certify the results of Ballot Question F arising out of the 2024 General Election for the City of Baltimore[,]" and

WHEREAS, on October 7, 2024, this Court will hold oral argument on the merits presented on appeal; and

WHEREAS, it is the Court's intention to resolve the issues presented in this case in an expeditious manner, *see, e.g., Frederick v. Balt. City Bd. of Elec.*, No. 35, Sept. Term, 2023 (Aug. 29, 2024) (per curiam); *Balt. City Bd. of Elec. v. Mayor & City Council of Balt.*, No. 34, Sept. Term, 2023 (Aug. 29, 2024) (per curiam).

NOW, THEREFORE, it is this 3rd day of October, 2024, by the Supreme Court of Maryland,

ORDERED, that the Emergency Motion to Stay is DENIED.



/s/ Matthew J. Fader Chief Justice

*Justice Watts did not participate in the consideration of this matter.