

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF TENNESSEE
AT NASHVILLE

AKILAH MOORE, ET AL. v. WILLIAM LEE, ET AL.

**Chancery Court for Davidson County
No. 22-0287-IV**

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ORDER

On April 7, 2022, Defendants William Lee, as Governor of Tennessee, in his official capacity, Tre Hargett, as Tennessee Secretary of State, in his official capacity, and Mark Goins, as Tennessee Coordinator of Elections, in his official capacity, (hereinafter collectively “the State”) filed in the Court of Appeals an Application for Extraordinary Appeal pursuant to Rule 10 of the Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure from the trial court’s grant of a temporary injunction. The State also filed an Emergency Motion to Stay Pending Extraordinary Appeal pursuant to Rule 7 of the Tennessee Rules of Appellate Procedure, requesting that the injunction be stayed pending appeal and expedited review.

Pursuant to Tenn. Code. Ann. § 16-3-201(d)(3), this Court, upon its own motion, finds that the application raises issues of compelling public interest, and assumes jurisdiction over the case. The Court grants the State’s request to expedite review. The Court orders that Plaintiffs file an answer to the application and a response to the motion to stay by Monday, April 11, 2022, at 1:00 p.m. CDT.

PER CURIAM