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March 6, 2012

VIA ECF

Magistrate Judge Roanne L. Mann United States District Court Eastern District of New York 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, New York 11201

Re: Favors v. Cuomo, 11-CV-5632 (DLI) (RR) (GEL) (RLM)

Dear Magistrate Judge Mann:

We represent the Assembly Majority defendants in this action: New York State Assembly Speaker Sheldon Silver, Assemblyman John J. McEneny and LATFOR member Roman Hedges.

We write in response to the Court's Order to Show Cause dated March 5, 2012. The Assembly Majority has no comment regarding Your Honor's draft redistricting plan attached to said Order to Show Cause.

Respectfully submitted,

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By: /s/ C. Daniel Chill

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SO ORDERED: dated March 6, 2012 /s/ Roanne L. Mann, U.S. Magistrate Judge