## IN THE COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA

In Re: 2,349 Ballots in the

2020 General Election : No. 1162 C.D. 2020

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Appeal of: Nicole Ziccarelli :

## PER CURIAM

## **ORDER**

NOW, November 18, 2020, upon consideration of Appellant Nichole Ziccarelli's Emergency Application for Writ of Prohibition, which this Court treats as an Application for Injunction Pending Appeal, it is hereby ORDERED that the Emergency Application is GRANTED as follows:

- 1. The Allegheny County Board of Elections shall segregate the mail-in ballots at issue in this appeal.
- 2. The Allegheny County Board of Elections is enjoined from canvassing or counting the mail-in ballots at issue in this appeal until further order of the Court.

The Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County shall transmit the record in this action, to include the transcript, if any, of the proceeding held on November 17, 2020, by no later than 12:00 p.m. on November 19, 2020.

The parties shall file and serve simultaneous briefs on the merits of this appeal (4 copies) on or before 12:00 p.m. on November 19, 2020, in the Prothonotary's Office in Harrisburg. Briefs and other filings should be filed via PACFile (the Pennsylvania appellate court electronic filing system) OR by email to CommCourtFiling@pacourts.us. Briefs may also be filed in person in the Prothonotary's Office with advance notice by appointment by calling 717-255-

1650. Appellant is excused from filing a Reproduced Record.

In addition to transmitting and mailing copies of this order to counsel of record and any *pro se* party, the Prothonotary is directed to transmit and mail a copy to the Allegheny County Department of Court Records and to Judge Joseph M. James of the Court of Common Pleas of Allegheny County.