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VIA eCOURTS SUPREME

Heather Joy Baker, Clerk Supreme Court of New Jersey Richard J. Hughes Justice Complex 25 Market Street, P.O. Box 970 Trenton, New Jersey 08625

Re: Rebecca J. Reed and Amanda Curry v. Elizabeth M. Muoio, Caroline Benson, Colleen Lapp, Glenn A. Grant, J.A.D., B. Sue Fulton, Merari Guad, and Kate Chieffo

Supreme Court Docket No.: 090060

Appellate Division Docket No.: A-2319-22

On Petition for Certification to the Supreme Court from the Judgment of the Superior Court, Appellate Division

Sat Below: Hon. Patrick DeAlmeida, J.A.D.

Hon. Maritza Berdote-Byrne, J.A.D. Hon. Avis Bishop-Thompson, J.A.D.

Letter Brief on Behalf of Defendants-Respondents, Colleen Lapp, Chief Financial Officer, and Kate Chieffo, Court Administrator, in

Opposition to the Petition for Certification

Dear Ms. Baker:

This office serves as Township Attorney to the Township of Middletown and represents Defendants-Respondents Colleen Lapp, Chief Financial Officer ("Lapp",) and Kate Chieffo, Court Administrator ("Chieffo",) of the Township of

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Middletown, in the above-captioned matter. Defendants-Respondents Lapp and

Chieffo join in Opposition to the Petition for Certification filed by the Attorney

General's office on February 10, 2025 and all arguments proffered in the Letter Brief

by the State of New Jersey as part of its Opposition.

If you should have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,

DANA CITRON, ESQ.

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cc: All Counsel of Record (via eCourts Supreme)