IN THE SUPREME COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA MIDDLE DISTRICT

IN RE: PETITION TO SET ASIDE : Nos. 785 and 786 MAL 2007

NOMINATION PETITIONS OF EDWARD

A. BENKOSKI, SR. AND JEFFREY P. STEWART - INDEPENDENT : Petition for Allowance of Appeal from the

CANDIDATES - 4 YEAR TERM, BOARD

OF SUPERVISORS

PETITION OF: GARY M. ZINGARETTI, JOSEPH J. MASI AND RUTH ANN

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: Order of the Commonwealth Court : entered September 14, 2007, at No. : 1624 CD 2007.

ORDER

PER CURIAM DECIDED: October 10, 2007

The Petition for Allowance of Appeal is GRANTED, the Order of the Commonwealth Court is REVERSED, and the Luzerne County Board of Elections is directed to remove the names of Edward A. Benkoski, Sr., and Jeffrey P. Stewart from the November 6, 2007 general election ballot for the office of Supervisor for Bear Creek Township. Opinion to follow.