

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO
MAGISTRATE JUDGE MICHAEL E. HEGARTY

Civil Action No. 10-cv-00609-PAB-MEH
Courtroom Deputy: Cathy Coomes

Date: October 28, 2011
FTR – Courtroom A501

THE INDEPENDENCE INSTITUTE, *et al.*,

Lisa Sahli

Plaintiffs,

vs.

SCOTT GESSLER,

Matthew Grove
Maurice Knaizer
Melody Mirbaba

Defendants.

HEIDI VEROUGSTRAETE and
NATIONAL BALLOT ACCESS, INC.,

Robert Bruce

Interested Parties.

COURTROOM MINUTES/MINUTE ORDER

MOTION HEARING

Court in session: 10:03 a.m.

Court calls case. Appearances of counsel.

Argument and discussion regarding Motion for Protective Order (Doc. #263, filed 10/4/11) and discussion regarding the discovery deadline and the Final Pretrial Conference date.

The Court has determined that the Motion for Protective Order (#263) should be filed in the Northern District of Georgia.

- ORDERED:**
1. For reasons stated on the record, The Motion for Protective Order (Doc. #263, filed 10/4/11) is DENIED. The Court does not have jurisdiction over Ms. Verougstraete or National Ballot Access, Inc.
 2. The discovery deadline is extended up to and including **December 15, 2011**, to allow counsel time to complete the deposition of Heidi Verougstraete in Georgia.
 3. The Final Pretrial Conference set for November 29, 2011, is vacated and **reset to December 15, 2011, at 9:00 a.m.** The proposed Final Pretrial Order is due on or before **December 12, 2011**. A copy of the proposed

Final Pretrial order shall be filed with the Clerk of the Court, and a copy in Word or WordPerfect format shall be sent to Hegarty_Chambers@cod.uscourts.gov.

Court in recess: 10:15 a.m. (Hearing concluded)
Total time in court: 0:12