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IN THE SUPERIOR COURT FOR THE STATE OF ALASKA THIRD JUDICIAL DISTRICT AT ANCHORAGE

ALYSE S. GALVIN,) STATE OF ALASKA, THIRD DISTRICT
Plaintiff,	OCT 2 9 2020
	Clerk of the Trial Courts
V.) By Deputy
STATE OF ALASKA, DIVISION OF ELECTIONS, and Gail Fenumiai, Director of the Division of Elections,) Case No. 3AN-20-07991 CI)
Defendants.)

UNOPPOSED MOTION TO ACCEPT LATE-FILED ANSWER #5

The defendants, Director Gail Fenumiai and the Alaska Division of Elections ("the State"), move the Court to accept their answer to the complaint, which is being filed two days late. The reasons for the late filing are explained in the accompanying Declaration of Counsel. Specifically, the State inadvertently missed the deadline because the State's lead trial counsel suddenly left the country to attend to a family emergency, and the State's other attorneys were occupied by other expedited election litigation. The plaintiff's counsel has indicated that he does not oppose this motion. The State respectfully requests that the Court accept its late-filed answer.

DATED October 29, 2020.

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