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STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LEA FIFTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT

REPUBLICAN PARTY OF NEW MEXICO, ET AL., Plaintiffs,

V.

MAGGIE TOULOUSE OLIVER, ET AL., Defendants.

No. D-506-CV-202200041

## ORDER DENYING MOTION TO DISMISS PLAINTIFFS JENNINGS, VARGAS AND GARCIA FOR LACK OF STANDING

THIS MATTER having come before the Court on the Motion to Dismiss Plaintiffs Jennings, Vargas and Garcia for Lack of Standing ("Motion to Dismiss" filed on August 10, 2023 by Mimi Stewart, President Pro-Tempore of the New Mexico Senate and Javier Martinez, Speaker of the House of Representatives ("Legislative Defendants"), and the Court having read the pleadings and being sufficiently advised, finds the named Plaintiffs in the Motion to Dismiss do have standing, and hereby deny the Motion to Dismiss.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

HÖN. FRED VAN SOELEN DISTRICT JUDGE, DIVISION III