

UNITED STATES COURT OF APPEALS

FOR THE FOURTH CIRCUIT

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No. 07-1454
5:06-cv-00324-BR

NORTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO LIFE COMMITTEE FUND FOR INDEPENDENT
POLITICAL EXPENDITURES; NORTH CAROLINA STATE POLITICAL
ACTION COMMITTEE; W. RUSSELL DUKE, JR.

Plaintiffs - Appellants

and

BARBARA JACKSON

Plaintiff

v.

LARRY LEAKE, in his official capacity as the Chairperson of the North Carolina Board of Elections; LORRAINE G. SHINN, in her official capacity as a member of the North Carolina State Board of Elections; CHARLES WINFREE, in his official committee as a member of the North Carolina Board of Elections; GENEVIEVE C. SIMS, in her official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Board of Elections; ROBERT CORDLE, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Board of Elections; ROY COOPER, in his official capacity as the Attorney General for the State of North Carolina; C. COLON WILLOUGHBY, JR., in his official capacity as District Attorney for Wake County; ROBERT STUART ALBRIGHT, in his official capacity as District Attorney for Guilford County, and as a representative of the class of District Attorneys in the State of North Carolina; KEITH M. KAPP; J. MICHAEL BOOE, in his official capacity as Vice-Chairperson of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; DAVID BENBOW, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; DAVID YATES BINGHAM, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; GILBERT W. CHICHESTER, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; RENNY W. DEESE, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; JIM R. FUNDERBURK, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; JOHN E. GEHRIG, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; ISAAC HEARD, JR., in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar

Administrative Committee; PATRICIA L. HOLLAND, in her official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; MARGARET HUNT, in her official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; MARGARET MCCREARY, in her official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; DAVID T. PHILLIPS, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; FRED D. POISSON, SR., in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; DONALD C. PRENTISS, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; RICHARD ROOSE, in his official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; JAN H. SAMET, in her official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee; JUDY D. THOMPSON, in her official capacity as a member of the North Carolina Bar Administrative Committee;

Defendants - Appellees

JAMES R. ANSLEY; COMMON CAUSE NORTH CAROLINA

Intervenors/Defendants - Appellees

DEMOCRACY NORTH CAROLINA; AMERICAN JUDGES ASSOCIATION;
CAMPAIGN LEGAL CENTER, INCORPORATED; CENTER FOR CIVIC
POLICY; DEMOS: A NETWORK FOR IDEAS AND ACTION; ILLINOIS
CAMPAIGN FOR POLITICAL REFORM; LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF THE
UNITED STATES; LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS OF NORTH CAROLINA;
PROGRESSIVE MARYLAND; PUBLIC CITIZEN, Incorporated; REFORM
INSTITUTE

Amici Supporting Appellee

O R D E R

American Judges Association; Campaign Legal Center; Center for
Civic Policy; Demos: A Network for Ideas and Action; Illinois
Campaign for Political Reform; League of Women Voters of the United
States; League of Women Voters of North Carolina; Progressive
Maryland; Public Citizen, Incorporated; and Reform Institute have

filed an amicus curiae brief with the consent of the parties.

The Court grants leave to file the brief as amicus curiae.

For the Court - By Direction

/s/ Patricia S. Connor

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