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WALSH CAMPAIGN: CAMPBELL'S DESPERATE ADMINISTRATIVE WARFARE WILL FAIL

**Corrupt, Compromised SBLC Does Democrats' Dirty Work; Sloppy
Decision Will Not Survive Appeal**

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The Walsh for Attorney General campaign today called the State Ballot Law Commission's ruling a transparent act of political sabotage orchestrated by an increasingly desperate Andrea Campbell and announced it will appeal the decision.

"Andrea Campbell knows she cannot beat Michael Walsh in a fair and open election. Her record as Attorney General is indefensible, capped most recently by a unanimous Supreme Judicial Court ruling that her office produced a 'significantly misleading' ballot summary that silenced the voices of more than 85,000 Massachusetts residents who signed petitions to lower the state income tax. Rather than answer for that record, Campbell has chosen a different strategy: use the machinery of the Massachusetts government to keep her opponent off the ballot entirely," said a spokesman for the Walsh Campaign.

The machinery she chose could not be more compromised. 3 of the 5 Members of the State Ballot Law Commission have made documented campaign contributions to Andrea Campbell. According to records from the Office of Campaign and Political Finance (ocpf.us), the contributions are as follows:

Commissioner Joe Boncore contributed \$1,400 to Andrea Campbell's campaign.

Commissioner Jed Nosel contributed \$1,600 to Andrea Campbell's campaign.

Commissioner Kailyn Sprague, the commission's sole nominal Republican, contributed \$100 to Andrea Campbell's campaign.

"The fact that the SBLC has been reduced to little more than a political instrument is blatantly obvious. Three commissioners who gave money to Andrea Campbell sat in judgment of her sole opponent and not one recused themselves despite calls to do so. Friday's ruling is not a legal conclusion based on actual legal rules and procedures; it is a political operation designed to

clear Andrea Campbell's path to reelection before a single vote is cast," said the Walsh campaign.

"The decision will not survive judicial scrutiny. It is legally sloppy, evidentiary standards were applied selectively, and we are confident the courts will reach the correct conclusion. And Andrea Campbell knows it. The point of this ruling was never to permanently keep Michael Walsh off the ballot. It was to disrupt this campaign, drain its resources, and buy Campbell a few more weeks before she has to face a challenger she cannot beat. That strategy will fail. The Walsh campaign will not slow down for a single day."

Friday's ruling should be a wake-up call for every Massachusetts voter. The State Ballot Law Commission has become nothing more than a tool of the Beacon Hill political class. It is time to abolish it. Its functions should be transferred to the courts, where due process applies, where the rules of evidence are enforced equally, and where documented conflicts of interest disqualify decision-makers rather than empower them. Massachusetts voters deserve a system that protects ballot access rather than weaponizes it.

"Andrea Campbell can celebrate today. Mike Walsh will see her in November."

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