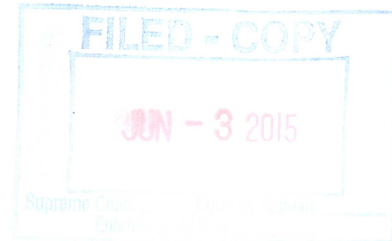


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**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF IDAHO**

COEUR D'ALENE TRIBE

Petitioner,

v.

LAWRENCE DENNEY, Secretary of  
State of the State of Idaho, in his official  
capacity,

Respondent.

No.

**PETITIONER'S MOTION FOR  
EXPEDITED BRIEFING AND  
HEARING**

COMES NOW Petitioner, the Coeur d'Alene Tribe, by and through counsel, and respectfully moves this Court to set an expedited schedule for briefing and a hearing on Petitioner's Verified Petition for Writ of Mandamus.

The Court should grant expedited review of the Petition because of the urgent nature of this request for extraordinary relief and the important constitutional questions currently surrounding the Idaho Secretary of State's refusal to certify Senate Bill 1011 into law. The Idaho Legislature intended for this law to take effect on July 1, 2015, and the citizens of Idaho deserve no less.

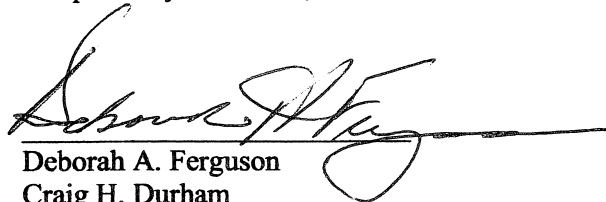
Similar expedited review has been undertaken by the Court under its original jurisdiction. *See, e.g., Gibbons v. Cenarrusa*, 140 Idaho 316, 319, 92 P.3d 1063, 1066 (2002); *Leavitt v. Craven*, 154 Idaho 661, 663, 302 P.3d 1, 3 (2012); *Sweeny v. C.L. Otter*, 119 Idaho 135, 137, 804 P.2d 308, 310 (1990) (less than three weeks between filing of petition, expedited response, oral argument and decision).

Idaho Appellate Rule 5(a) does not allow a response to a petition for a writ, unless the Supreme Court requests a party to respond. Rule 5(d) of the Idaho Appellate Rules further states that the Court may enter an order providing for briefing and oral argument.<sup>1</sup> Should the Court order further briefing and a hearing, Petitioner respectfully suggests the following schedule: Respondent's responsive brief due on or before June 11, 2015; Petitioner's reply due on or before June 18, 2015; and a hearing set before the Court during the week of June 22, 2015.

WHEREFORE, should the Court order further briefing and a hearing on the Petition for Writ of Mandamus, Petitioner request that this Court grant expedited review in this matter, including the setting of an expedited briefing and hearing schedule.

Dated: June 3, 2015.

Respectfully submitted,



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<sup>1</sup> Contemporaneously with its Petition for a Writ of Mandamus, the Petitioner has filed a motion for attorney fees and costs to preserve the issue, in the event it prevails on the merits of its action. Petitioner does not seek to include expedited briefing on the attorneys' fees motion with this request.