No. 23-11854-D

In the United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit

GRACE, INC.; ENGAGE MIAMI, INC.; SOUTH DADE BRANCH OF THE NAACP; MIAMI-DADE BRACH OF THE NAACP; CLARICE COOPER; YANELIS VALDES; JARED JOHNSON; ALEXANDRA CONTRERAS; AND STEVEN MIRO,

Plaintiffs/Appellees,

v.

CITY OF MIAMI,

Defendant/Appellant.

CITY OF MIAMI'S MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL

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Appellant, the City of Miami, furnishes this certificate of interested persons

and corporate disclosure statement.

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- 9. De Grandy, Miguel, Defendant/Appellant's expert
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- 11. Diaz de la Portilla, Alex, Defendant/Appellant
- 12. Engage Miami, Inc., Plaintiff/Appellee
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The City of Miami certifies that, to the best of its knowledge, no publicly

traded company or corporation has an interest in the outcome of the case or appeal.

MOTION TO DISMISS APPEAL

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Appellate Procedure 42(b)(2), Appellant, the City of Miami, respectfully moves to dismiss this appeal.

In this interlocutory appeal, the City of Miami sought review of a preliminary injunction prohibiting enforcement of the City's redistricting plan for city-commission districts. On June 14, 2023, while this appeal was pending, the Miami City Commission enacted a new redistricting plan that replaces the redistricting plan enjoined by the district court. Accordingly, the City no longer seeks appellate review of the district court's preliminary-injunction order. This appeal, moreover, remains in its earliest stages, as no briefs have been filed.

Appellees do not oppose dismissal of this appeal and do not oppose each side bearing its own costs. Appellees oppose resolution of the question of attorney's fees and plan to timely file a motion to transfer consideration of attorney's fees to the district court pursuant to Eleventh Circuit Rule 39-2(d). The City will oppose the motion to transfer.

WHEREFORE, Appellant, the City of Miami, respectfully moves to dismiss this appeal.

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Respectfully submitted,

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