STATE OF MICHIGAN

COURT OF CLAIMS

MACOMB INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL DISTRICT et al,

Plaintiffs,

v

Case No. 25-000175-MZ

STATE OF MICHIGAN, MICHIGAN DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, and STATE SUPERINTENDENT FOR PUBLIC INSTRUCTION, in her official capacity,

Hon. Sima G. Patel

Defendants.
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ORDER REOPENING PROCEEDINGS AND DIRECTING RESPONSE

At 4:35 p.m. on Friday, April 3, 2026,[1] plaintiffs filed an emergency motion for relief from judgment and to reopen these proceedings and an emergency motion to show cause why defendants should not be held in contempt for violating the Court's November 21, 2025 order regarding opt-in and rescission deadlines. The Court GRANTS the emergency motion to reopen these proceedings for the limited purpose of addressing plaintiffs' motion to show cause. Defendants are directed to file a response by **Friday, April 10, 2026, at 3:00 p.m.**

[1] The Court of Claims' business hours are 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. See https://www.courts.michigan.gov/courts/court-of-claims/.

Date: April 6, 2026

Sima G. Patel
Judge, Court of Claims