STATE OF MICHIGAN

COURT OF CLAIMS

THE MICHIGAN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Plaintiff,

v

Case No. 26-000007-MB

DEPARTMENT OF TECHNOLOGY, MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET, et al.,

Hon. Michael F. Gadola

Defendants.
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ORDER DENYING STATE DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO AMEND SCHEDULING ORDER AND GRANTING MOTION FOR EXPEDITED CONSIDERATION

On January 16, 2026, this Court granted plaintiff's motion for a preliminary injunction to preserve the status quo while the Court resolves with finality the legal questions regarding the constitutionality of MCL 18.1451a(3). On the same day, the Court entered an expedited briefing schedule for dispositive motions and scheduled a hearing on any motions for February 27, 2026. The State defendants have moved to amend the scheduling order to allow for a hearing the week of February 16 to 20, 2026, and for expedited consideration of their motion. The Court GRANTS the motion for expedited consideration and DENIES the motion to amend the scheduling order.

IT IS SO ORDERED. This is not a final order and does not close the case.

Date: February 13, 2026

Hon. Michael F. Gadola
Chief Judge, Court of Claims