

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF FLORIDA

Case No. SC08-1163 and SC08-1165

**ADVISORY OPINION TO THE
ATTORNEY GENERAL RE:
STANDARDS FOR
ESTABLISHING
LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT
BOUNDARIES**

**ADVISORY OPINION TO
THE ATTORNEY
GENERAL RE:
STANDARDS FOR
ESTABLISHING
CONGRESSIONAL
DISTRICT BOUNDARIES**

MOTION TO FILE A BRIEF LONGER THAN THE PAGE LIMITS

The Senate moves to file a brief which is longer than the 10-page limit required by the court's order of February 25, 2009. The Senate seeks to file a brief in support of the financial impact statements in these two cases. The Senate intends to argue for a different standard of review than has been used by the court in measuring past impact statements, and to show how the present statements satisfy that standard. Such arguments naturally are somewhat complex. Ten pages is insufficient for the task. Knowing the court's interest in brevity in matters such as these, the Senate has kept its brief to 18 pages including the certificate of service and certificate of type size and style.

Therefore, the Senate asks the court to accept its brief, although it exceeds the established page limit.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing has been served by U.S. mail on, on Attorney General Bill McCollum and Scott Makar, Solicitor General, PL-01, The Capitol, Tallahassee, FL 32399; Barry Richard and Hope Keating, Greenberg Traurig, 101 East College Ave., Tallahassee, FL 32301; and Mark Herron, Messer, Caparello & Self, 2618 Centennial Place, Tallahassee, FL 32308; and Jon Mills and Timothy McLendon, PO Box 2099, Gainesville, FL 32602-2099, on March 17, 2009.

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CERTIFICATE OF TYPE SIZE AND STYLE

The motion is printed in 14 point Times New Roman.

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