



Issued Pursuant to Court Order

DIRECTIVE 2017-07

April 25, 2017

To: All County Boards of Elections
Directors, Deputy Directors, and Board Members

Re: Pursuant to a Court Order – Directives 2016-39, 2016-41, and 2016-45 Apply to May 2,
2017 Primary/Special Election

SUMMARY

On October 19, October 25, and November 5, 2016, the Secretary of State issued Directives 2016-39, 2016-41, and 2016-45, respectively, pursuant to Court Orders in the case of *Ohio A. Philip Randolph Institute et al. v. Husted*, Case No. 2:16-cv-303. The Court Orders required the issuance of Directives 2016-39, 2016-41, and 2016-45 for the November 8, 2016 General Election and subsequent tabulation period. On April 25, 2017, the Court issued an additional Order requiring boards of elections to follow Directives 2016-39, 2016-41, and 2016-45 for the May 2, 2017 Primary/Special Election and subsequent tabulation period.

INSTRUCTIONS

Accordingly, pursuant to Court Order, Directives 2016-39, 2016-41, and 2016-45 shall be in effect for the May 2, 2017 Primary/Special Election.

If you have any questions regarding this Directive, please contact the Secretary of State's elections counsel assigned to your county.

Sincerely,


Jon Husted