

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
EASTERN DIVISION**

RODNEY D. PIERCE and  
MOSES MATTHEWS,

Plaintiffs,

v.

THE NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD  
OF ELECTIONS, et al.,

Defendants.

Case No. 4:23-cv-193-D

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

Notice is hereby given that Plaintiffs Rodney D. Pierce and Moses Matthews appeal to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fourth Circuit from this Court's Order (D.E. 61) denying Plaintiffs' Motion for Preliminary Injunction (D.E. 16). *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1292(a)(1) (courts of appeals have jurisdiction of appeals from orders denying injunctions).

Dated: January 26, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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