

STATE OF MAINE

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT  
Sitting as the Law Court  
Docket No. BCD-16-166

Robert Greenlaw et al.

v.

**ORDER ESTABLISHING COURSE  
OF APPEAL**

Secretary of State

Robert Greenlaw and others have appealed from the order of the Business and Consumer Docket (*Murphy, J.*) affirming the determination of the Secretary of State that the petition for initiated legislation entitled, “An Act to Allow Slot Machines or a Casino in York County” did not qualify for placement on the ballot in the November 2016 election. The appeal is governed by 21-A M.R.S. § 905 (2015) and the Maine Rules of Appellate Procedure. The Clerk of the Law Court has docketed the appeal under Law Court docket number BCD-16-166.

It is ORDERED as follows:

1. The Clerk of the Business and Consumer Docket must transmit the record on appeal to the Clerk of the Law Court on or before **Thursday, April 14, 2016** at 4:00 p.m.
2. Any interested person or organization may file a brief as an amicus curiae pursuant to M.R. App. P. 9(e) without consent of the parties or separate leave of the Court.

3. The parties and any amici must file their briefs on or before **April 21, 2016, at 3:00 p.m.** In addition to filing the required number of printed copies, each party and amicus must electronically transmit its brief, as a single text-based pdf file, to the Clerk of the Law Court, via email to [lawcourt.clerk@courts.maine.gov](mailto:lawcourt.clerk@courts.maine.gov). The electronic copy is due on the same date and at the same time as the printed copies.
4. Because of the statutory deadlines, no extensions, no reply briefs, and no other briefing is permitted.
5. The Court will hold oral argument on the appeal at **2:00 p.m. on Tuesday, April 26, 2016**, in Courtroom 7 at the Capital Judicial Center, 1 Court Street, Augusta.
6. The Court has established a High-Profile Case page on its website at [www.courts.maine.gov/casino](http://www.courts.maine.gov/casino). All briefs and all orders and notices issued by the Court will be posted on that page as expeditiously as possible.

Dated: April 13, 2016

For the Court,

/s/  
Chief Justice