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JOHN PAFF,

Plaintiff,

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v.

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SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION -
MERCER COUNTY

DOCKET NO. MER-L-1672-14

NEW JERSEY MOTOR VEHICLE
COMMISSION AND JOSEPH BRUNO,

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER

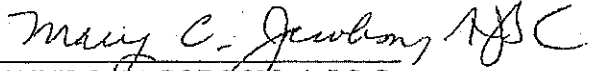
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THIS MATTER having been opened to the court by way of an order to show cause and verified complaint filed on behalf of plaintiff, John Paff, seeking records under the New Jersey Open Public Records Act ("OPRA"), N.J.S.A. 47:1A-1, et seq.; and defendants having denied the request for records pursuant to the Appellate Division's decision in Gannett N.J. Partners, L.P. v. County of Middlesex, 379 N.J. 205, 212 (App. Div. 2005); and counsel for defendants having filed a stay of the court's consideration of this matter due to the similarity of issues presented to the issues presented in a matter previously decided by the court in Scheeler v. Office of the Governor, docket number MER-L-992-14, on July 22, 2014; and the court having considered the arguments set forth by the parties on the papers and in an oral argument held on October 28, 2014; and for the reasons set forth on the record; and for good cause shown:

IT IS ON THIS 28th day of October, 2014, **HEREBY ORDERED** that:

1. Defendants' motion for a stay of consideration of the merits of this matter pending the Appellate Division's decision in Scheeler v. Office of the Governor is **DENIED**.
2. Defendants shall produce records responsive to plaintiff's June 2, 2014 OPRA request by November 14, 2014.
3. Plaintiff is a prevailing party in this matter, so plaintiff's application for counsel fees is granted. The parties shall negotiate in an effort to resolve the amount of the fee.


MARY C. JACOBSON, A.J.S.C.