**Can State Courts Cure Partisan Gerrymandering:**

**Lessons from *League of Women Voters v. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania* (2018)**

Jonathan R. Cervas

Bernard Grofman

Department of Political Science, University of California, Irvine

April 22, 2018

WORD COUNT: 17,834 (including footnotes); 15,402 (without footnotes)

KEYWORDS: Gerrymandering; Redistricting; Elections

\* Grofman is the Jack W. Peltason (Bren Foundation Endowed) Chair of Democracy Studies and Professor of Political Science at the University of California, Irvine. He has drawn remedial redistricting plans for federal courts and has testified as an expert in numerous redistricting cases. He is the co-author of an Amicus Brief in *League of Women Voters v. Commonwealth of Pennsylvania* (2018) on behalf of neither party. Cervas is a Ph.D. candidate in political science at UCI with an interest in elections and skills in geographic information systems. Grofman’s work on this project was supported by the Jack W. Peltason (Bren Foundation) Chair at the University of California, Irvine. Cervas’s work was supported by both the Peltason Chair and the UCI School of Social Sciences. The authors would like to thank Jonathan Lai for his helpful suggestions. The listing of authors is alphabetical. Questions or comments should be directed to [bgtravel@uci.edu](mailto:bgtravel@uci.edu).