


**IN THE COMMONWEALTH COURT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

In Re: Nomination Petition of :  
Gwendolyn Veronica Green :  
a Democratic Candidate for :  
State Representative in the : No. 204 M.D. 2022  
190th Legislative District :  
:  
Objection of: Bernard Williams :

**ORDER**

AND NOW, this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2022, Candidate Gwendolyn Veronica Green’s motion to dismiss Objector Bernard Williams’ petition to set aside the nomination petition of Candidate Green as Democratic Candidate for State Representative for the 190<sup>th</sup> Legislative District is hereby GRANTED. Objector Williams failed to timely serve the petition to set aside upon the Secretary of the Commonwealth in accordance with Section 977 of the Pennsylvania Election Code, Act of June 3, 1937, P.L. 1333, *as amended*, 25 P.S. § 2937. *In Re: Nomination Papers of James*, 944 A.2d 69 (Pa. 2008) (service is mandatory; objections not timely served on the Secretary will not be considered). It was stipulated in open court that Objector Williams failed to serve the Secretary until April 5, 2022, one day past the date by which service must be made in accordance with Section 977.

It is ORDERED that each party shall bear her/his own costs.

  
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BONNIE BRIGANCE LEADBETTER,  
President Judge Emerita

Certified from the Record

And Order Exit 4/9/2022