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# **LEGISLATIVE ACTION ALERT**

## **On Wednesday, January 17, 2018 the PA State Supreme Court -- which has a 5-2 Democratic majority -- will hear arguments in the 7-month-old Gerrymandering Case**

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According to an article posted online by the Patriot News© "Republicans who controlled the Legislature and governor's office

following the 2010 census broke decades of geographical precedent when redrawing the map."

"They shifted whole counties and cities into different districts and produced contorted boundaries in an effort to protect a Republican advantage in the congressional delegation. They succeeded, securing 13 of 18 seats in a state where registered Democratic voters outnumber Republicans 5 to 4."

The PA Conference of Teamsters will keep you updated on this issue.

View and read entire article at:

[http://www.pennlive.com/news/2018/01/gerrymandering\\_case\\_sows\\_doubt.html#incart\\_2box\\_politics](http://www.pennlive.com/news/2018/01/gerrymandering_case_sows_doubt.html#incart_2box_politics)

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