

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

STATE OF CALIFORNIA; STATE OF NEVADA; COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS; STATE OF ARIZONA; STATE OF COLORADO; STATE OF CONNECTICUT; STATE OF DELAWARE; STATE OF HAWAII; STATE OF ILLINOIS; STATE OF MAINE; STATE OF MARYLAND; PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN; STATE OF MINNESOTA; STATE OF NEW JERSEY; STATE OF NEW MEXICO; STATE OF NEW YORK; STATE OF RHODE ISLAND; STATE OF VERMONT; STATE OF WISCONSIN,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official capacity as President of the United States; TODD BLANCHE, in his official capacity as the Acting Attorney General of the United States; UNITED STATES ELECTION ASSISTANCE COMMISSION; DONALD L. PALMER, in his official capacity as Chairman of the U.S. Election Assistance Commission; THOMAS HICKS, in his official capacity as Vice Chair of the U.S. Election Assistance Commission; CHRISTY McCORMICK and BENJAMIN W. HOVLAND, in their official capacities as Commissioners of the U.S. Election Assistance Commission; PETE HEGSETH, in his official capacity as Secretary of Defense,

Defendants.

No. 1:25-cv-10810-DJC

**JOINT STIPULATION OF DISMISSAL WITHOUT PREJUDICE OF REMAINING
CLAIMS AND REQUEST FOR ENTRY OF FINAL JUDGMENT**

Plaintiffs California, Nevada, Massachusetts, Arizona, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Hawaii, Illinois, Maine, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, New Jersey, New Mexico, New York,

Rhode Island, Vermont, and Wisconsin (“Plaintiff States”), and Defendants Donald Trump, Todd Blanche, U.S. Election Assistance Commission, Donald Palmer, Thomas Hicks, Christy McCormick, Benjamin Hovland, and Pete Hegseth (“Defendants”), by and through their respective counsel of record, hereby stipulate that:

On June 24, 2026, the Court issued a memorandum and order on the Parties’ cross motions for summary judgment allowing in part and denying in part the Parties’ motions and entering declaratory and permanent injunctive relief. D. 190.

The Court did not resolve the claims of Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Minnesota, Vermont, and Wisconsin (“Non-Ballot Receipt States”) as to Section 7(b) of Executive Order No. 14248 (“EO”) asserted in the Sixth Cause of Action in the Complaint, as no Party moved for summary judgment on those claims. D. 190 at 58–59 & n.14. The Court directed that “[b]y July 10, 2026, the parties must notify the Court in writing of the States’ intent in this regard, whether the parties seek the entry of final judgment at that point or propose some other course in this proceeding.” *Id.* at 58 & n.14.

The Parties agree that the Non-Ballot Receipt States’ claims challenging Section 7(b) of the EO may be dismissed without prejudice and that entry of final judgment thereafter is proper.

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1)(A)(ii), the Parties stipulate to dismissal without prejudice of the claims brought by Connecticut, Delaware, Maine, Minnesota, Vermont, and Wisconsin concerning Section 7(b) of the EO in the Sixth Cause of Action in the Complaint.

The Parties further jointly request that the Court enter final judgment.

IT IS SO STIPULATED.

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