

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

DSCC, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

DONALD J. TRUMP, in his official
capacity as President of the United States, *et
al.*,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 26-1114 (CKK)

LEAGUE OF UNITED LATIN
AMERICAN CITIZENS, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF THE
PRESIDENT, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 26-1132 (CKK)

JOINT STATEMENT ON CONSOLIDATION

In response to the Court’s April 6, 2026 Order, Case No. 26-1114, ECF No. 18, the parties respectfully submit the following proposal on consolidation.

A. Background

On March 31, 2026, President Trump signed Executive Order 14,399 titled “Ensuring Citizenship Verification and Integrity in Federal Elections” (hereinafter, “Executive Order” or “EO”). Soon after, three groups of Plaintiffs filed suit seeking injunctive and declaratory relief against various executive officers and agencies responsible for implementation of the Executive Order. *See* Apr. 1, 2026 Compl., ECF No. 1 (Case No. 26-1114) (brought by the Democratic Party Plaintiffs);¹ Apr. 2, 2026 Compl., ECF No. 1 (Case No. 26-1132) (brought by the LULAC Plaintiffs);² Apr. 3, 2026 Compl., ECF No. 1 (Case No. 26-1151) (brought by the NAACP Plaintiffs).³

On April 6, 2026, the Court issued an order in the cases brought by the Democratic Party Plaintiffs and LULAC Plaintiffs, directing the parties to promptly meet and confer to discuss whether the cases should be consolidated and file a joint statement indicating their positions by April 8. *See* Case No. 26-1114, ECF No. 18. Although the Court’s order did not reference the case filed by the NAACP Plaintiffs (as that case had not yet been assigned to this Court when the Court issued its order, *see* Case No. 26-1151, ECF No. 4), counsel for all three Plaintiff groups conferred

¹ The Democratic Party Plaintiffs are DSCC, DCCC, Democratic National Committee, Democratic Governors Association, U.S. Senate Minority Leader Charles E. Schumer, and U.S. House of Representatives Minority Leader Hakeem S. Jeffries (collectively, the “Democratic Party Plaintiffs”).

² The LULAC Plaintiffs are League of United Latin American Citizens (“LULAC”), the Secure Families Initiative, and the Arizona Students’ Association (collectively, the “LULAC Plaintiffs”).

³ The NAACP Plaintiffs are the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Common Cause, Common Cause Education Fund, Black Voters Matter Fund, Inc., and BVM Capacity Building Institute, Inc. (collectively, the “NAACP Plaintiffs”).

by videoconference with counsel for all Defendants on April 7, 2026, to determine whether the actions should be consolidated. The NAACP Plaintiffs' case has now been assigned to this Court.

B. All parties agree consolidation is appropriate

All parties agree with the Court's conclusion that there are "extensive common questions of law and fact" between the cases brought by the Democratic Party Plaintiffs and the LULAC Plaintiffs and that consolidation will "promote the interests of judicial economy, consistency, timeliness," and "convenience" for the parties "without creating any undue risk of confusion or unfair prejudice to any party." Case No. 26-1114, ECF No. 18, at 2 (citation omitted). The parties therefore agree that the cases brought by the Democratic Party Plaintiffs and the LULAC Plaintiffs should be consolidated. The parties further respectfully request that the Court consolidate the case brought by the NAACP Plaintiffs, Case No. 26-1151, as well, because it involves the same "common question[s] of law [and] fact." Fed. R. Civ. P. 42(a). Consolidating all three cases will allow for a single, coordinated proceeding and ensure a consistent resolution of the shared issues regarding the Executive Order.

CONCLUSION

For the reasons described above, the parties respectfully request that the Court consolidate Case Nos. 26-1114, 26-1132, and 26-1151.

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Respectfully submitted,

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