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### Docket Text:

**TEXT ORDER: Defendants' letter motion [203] in the case of West Virginia v. James, No. 25-cv-168 seeking consolidation of the action in West Virginia v. James, No. 25-cv-168 with the action in Chamber of Commerce of the United States of America v. James, No 25-cv-1307 is GRANTED because the two actions involve common questions of law or fact and because consolidation is in the interest of judicial economy. Fed.R.Civ.P. 42(a). Accordingly, the Clerk of Court is respectfully directed to consolidate 25-cv-168 with 25-cv-1307 and to designate 25-cv-168 as the lead case and 25-cv-1307 as the member case, and it is further ORDERED that any future papers in the above cases must be filed under 25-cv-168. The parties' proposed briefing schedule (Dkt. [203] in Case No. 25-cv-168 and Dkt. 87 in Case No. 25-cv-1307) is GRANTED, and the briefing schedule is modified accordingly. SO ORDERED by Chief Judge Brenda K. Sannes on 10/20/2025. (nmk)**

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