

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
FORT WORTH DIVISION

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF
COSMETOLOGY SCHOOLS *et al.*,

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Plaintiffs,

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v.

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Civil Action No. 4:23-cv-01267-O

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
EDUCATION, *et al.*,
Defendants.

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ORDER

Before the Court is the Joint Status Report (ECF No. 21), filed July 2, 2024. Having carefully reviewed the report, and all files, records, and prior proceedings to date in this matter, and good cause appearing based on the record, the Court **ORDERS** that:

1. The following Related Actions shall be consolidated for all purposes: *American Association of Cosmetology Schools (“AACCS”) v. U.S. Department of Education, et al.*, No. 4:23-cv-1267 (N.D. Tex.) (O’Connor, J.) and *Ogle School Management, LLC (“Ogle School”) v. U.S. Department of Education*, No. 4:24-cv-00259 (N.D. Tex.) (O’Connor, J.).¹ The AACCS case is designated as the lead case. The Clerk is directed to close Case No. 4:24-cv-00259. All papers filed in the Related Actions shall be filed only in Case No. 4:23-cv-1267 and shall bear the above caption. The Parties shall submit an amended briefing schedule by July 12, 2024.

SO ORDERED this 2nd day of July, 2024.


Reed O’Connor
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

¹ Both AACCS and Ogle shall be able to file its own separate briefs and get separate oral argument time.