of law. Accordingly, the assignment of the matters to the same judge and magistrate judge is

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likely to effect a substantial savings of judicial effort and is also likely to be convenient for the parties.

The parties should be aware that relating the cases under Local Rule 123 merely has the result that actions are assigned to the same judge and magistrate judge; no consolidation of the actions is effected. Under the regular practice of this court, related cases are generally assigned to the judge and magistrate judge to whom the first filed action was assigned.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the action denominated CIV. NO. 2:11-cv-1807-GEB-JFM be, and the same hereby, reassigned to Judge Lawrence K. Karlton for all further proceedings. Henceforth, the caption on documents filed in the reassigned case shall be shown as CIV. NO. 2:11-cv-1807-LKK-JFM.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make appropriate adjustment in the assignment of civil cases to compensate for this reassignment.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: September 29, 2011.

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UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE