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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
COMMISSION,

No. 2:09-cv-03546-MCE-JFM

Plaintiff,

v.

RELATED CASE ORDER

KOBRA ASSOCIATES, INC. dba
JACK IN THE BOX,

Defendant.

In re:

FOOD SERVICE MANAGEMENT,
INC.,

No. 2:10-cv-01032-WBS

Debtor

Bankruptcy No. 09-40066-C-11

BEVERLY N. McFARLAND,

Appellant,

v.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY
COMMISSION,

Appellee.

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1 The Court has received the Notice of Related Case filed on
2 April 30, 2010.

3 Examination of the above-entitled civil actions reveals that
4 these actions are related within the meaning of Local Rule 123(a)
5 (E.D. Cal. 1997). The actions involve many of the same
6 defendants and are based on the same or similar claims, the same
7 property transaction or event, similar questions of fact and the
8 same questions of law, and would therefore entail a substantial
9 duplication of labor if heard by different judges. Accordingly,
10 the assignment of the matters to the same judge is likely to
11 effect a substantial savings of judicial effort and is also
12 likely to be convenient for the parties.

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

19 IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the action denominated 2:10-cv-
20 01032-WBS, Beverly N. McFarland v. Equal Employment Opportunity
21 Commission is reassigned to Judge Morrison C. England, Jr. for
22 all further proceedings. Henceforth, the caption on documents
23 filed in the reassigned case shall be shown as 2:10-cv-01032-MCE.

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

4 IT IS SO ORDERED.

5 Dated: May 18, 2010



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8 MORRISON C. ENGLAND, JR.
9 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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