UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

RELATED CASE ORDER

A Notice of Related Cases has been filed that the following cases are related within the meaning of Civil L.R. 3-12(b):

C 04-2693 MJJ (e-filing) Aaron Posey v. City of Oakland, et al.
C 05-0883 BZ (e-filing) Markus Brown v. City of Oakland, et al.

ORDER

The time for filing a statement to support or oppose the Notice has passed. On the basis of the material submitted to the Court, as the Judge assigned to the earliest filed case, I find that the cases:

[] **ARE NOT RELATED** as defined by Civil L.R. 3-12(b).

[X] **ARE RELATED** as defined by Civil L.R. 3-12(b). Pursuant to Civil L.R. 3-12(e), the Clerk of Court is ordered to reassign the later-filed action to the undersigned. Counsel are instructed that all future filings are to bear the initials **MJJ** immediately after the case number. All matters presently scheduled for hearing in the reassigned case(s) are vacated and must be renoticed for hearing before the undersigned.

DATED: 3/11/2005

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on the date stated below, I lodged a copy of this order with each judicial officer and I mailed a copy to each counsel of record in the cases listed above.

	Richard W. Wieking, Clerk
DATED:	By:
	Deputy Clerk
Copies to: Courtroom Deputies	
Case Systems Administrators	
Counsel of Record	
Entered into Assignment Program:	
(date)	

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