

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF FLORIDA  
PANAMA CITY DIVISION**

**HANCOCK BANK, a Mississippi  
banking corporation,**

**Plaintiff/ Counter-defendant**

vs.

**CASE NO. 5:11-cv-94/RS-CJK**

**BOYD BROTHERS, INC., a Florida  
corporation, et al.,**

**Defendants/ Counterclaimants**

---

**ORDER**

Before me is Plaintiff's Response to Show Cause Order (Doc. 35).

From the pleadings, it appears that common questions of law or fact are involved in these five suits filed in this Court:

*Hancock Bank v. Boyd Brothers et al., 5:11-cv-94-RS-CJK*

*Hancock Bank v. Boyd Brothers et al., 5:11-cv-95-RS-GRJ*

*Hancock Bank v. Boyd Brothers et al., 5:11-cv-96-RS-CJK*

*Hancock Bank v. Boyd Brothers et al., 5:11-cv-97-RS-EMT*

*Hancock Bank v. Boyd Brothers et al., 5:11-cv-98-RS-CJK*

Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 42 (a) (2), the five cases shall be consolidated.

**IT IS ORDERED:**

1. The Clerk shall consolidate the cases.
2. The Clerk shall file a copy of this Order in each of these cases.
3. All future pleadings should be filed **only** in case 5:11-cv-94-RS-CJK.

**ORDERED** on June 14, 2011.

/S/ Richard Smoak  
**RICHARD SMOAK**  
**UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE**