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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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JERRY LARICCHIUTA, as Local President of the CSEA Nassau County Local 830; and Civil Service Employees Association, Inc., Local 1000, AFSCME, AFL-CIO, DANNY DONOHUE as President of the Civil Service Employees Association, Inc., Local 1000, AFSCME, AFL-CIO,

LONG ISLAND OFFICE

## MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

Plaintiffs,	CV 11-1900
	CV 13-1331
	CV 13-3898

-against-

(Wexler, J.)

NASSAU COUNTY INTERIM FINANCE AUTHORITY, et al.,

Defendants.

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JOHN JARONCZYK, as President of the Nassau County Sheriff's Correction Officers Benevolent Association, Nassau County Sheriff's Correction Benevolent Association,

Plaintiffs,

## -against-

NASSAU COUNTY INTERIM FINANCE AUTHORITY, et al.,

Defendants.

**APPEARANCES:** 

MEMORANDUM AND ORDER

CV 11-2743 CV 13-1091 CV 13-4097

(Wexler, J.)

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WEXLER, District Judge

In a Memorandum and Order dated September 25, 2013, this court asked Plaintiffs in

Carver v. NIFA, 11-1614, to inform the court as to their intent with respect to pursuing their state

law statutory construction claim in a state forum. The Carver Plaintiffs have since informed the

court that they will soon commence a state action. In view of the Carver Plaintiffs' election and the

opinion of the Second Circuit in Carver v. Nassau County Interim Finance Authority, No. 13-0801,

13-840 (September 20, 2013), this court exercised its discretion to stay this federal action pending completion of the state court proceedings.

The cases captioned herein raise the same potentially dispositive state law statutory construction claim. Instead of reaching the Constitutional issues raised in these cases, the court will close the files in these cases pending a decision by the New York state court as to the merits of the state law claim. Accordingly, the Clerk of the Court is directed to close the files and terminate all outstanding motions in these cases at this time. The closing and terminations are without prejudice to re-opening these cases, upon letter application, at the conclusion of the state court proceedings.

SO ORDERED.

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LEONARD D. WEXLER UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: Central Islip, New York October 7, 2013