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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA ASHEVILLE DIVISION

| 1:11cv | 168 | |
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| JENNIFER PACE, and KATHY |) | |
| KING, |) | |
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| Plaintiffs, |) | |
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| v. |) | ORDER |
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| C.H. ROBINSON WORLDWIDE, |) | |
| INC., et al., |) | |
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| Defendants |) | |
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Pending before the Court is the Joint Motion to Waive Initial Attorneys Conference and to Consolidate [# 18]. Previously, the Court consolidated a number of cases arising out of the same automobile accident into Civil Case No. 1:08cv429. The parties now jointly move to consolidate this action with 1:08cv429. The parties agree that the Scheduling Order in place in 1:08cv429 is appropriate for this case and that they will use the discovery previously taken in 1:08cv429.

Upon a review of the pleadings and the record in this case, the Court **GRANTS** the parties' motion [# 18]. The Court **DIRECTS** the Clerk to **CONSOLIDATE** this case with Civil Case No. 1:08cv429 and **ADMINISTRATIVELY CLOSE** Civil Case No. 1:11cv168. All future filings shall be in 1:08cv429. Any party may move at an appropriate time to sever this action upon a showing of good cause.

Signed: August 30, 2011

Dennis L. Howell United States Magistrate Judge