

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA
CHARLOTTE DIVISION**

COMPOSITE RESOURCES, INC.,

Plaintiff,

vs.

**COMBAT MEDICAL SYSTEMS, LLC and
ALHAPOINTE,**

Defendants.

Case No. 3:17-cv-00072-FDW-DSC

ALHAPOINTE,

Plaintiff,

vs.

COMPOSITE RESOURCES, INC.,

Defendant.

Case No. 3:17-cv-00310-FDW-DSC

ORDER GRANTING CONSOLIDATION OF CASES

THIS MATTER is before the Court upon Plaintiff and Co-Defendant Alhapointe's Response to this Court's Order to Show Cause, and the parties' Joint Motion to Consolidate the above-captioned cases pursuant to Rule 42 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure. Alhapointe vs. Composite Resources, Inc., Case No. 3:17-cv-00310-FDW-DSC, Doc. No. 29; Composite Resources, Inc. v. Combat Medical Systems, LLC, et al., Case No. 3:17-cv-00072-FDW-DSC, Doc. No. 33. For good cause shown, the Motion to Consolidate is GRANTED. IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that these cases be consolidated. The Clerk is respectfully DIRECTED to consolidate Case No. 3:17-cv-310-FDW-DSC into the earlier-filed related Case No. 3:17-cv-

00072-FDW-DSC. Case No. 3:17-cv-00072-FDW-DSC is designated as the lead docket number. All further proceedings will be docketed and filed in the designated lead case only. The parties are advised that all documents filed subsequent to this Order should bear the caption and case number of the lead consolidated case.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Signed: June 26, 2017

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Frank D. Whitney", written over a horizontal line.

Frank D. Whitney
Chief United States District Judge

