

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

Dilevon Lo, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

County of Siskiyou et al.,

Defendants.

No. 2:21-cv-00999-KJM-AC

Ger Chong Ze Chang, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

v.

County of Siskiyou, et al.,

Defendants.

No. 2:22-cv-01378-DB

RELATED CASE ORDER

Examination of the above-captioned actions reveals that they are related within the meaning of Local Rule 123(a). “[B]oth actions involve similar questions of fact and the same question of law and their assignment to the same Judge or Magistrate Judge is likely to effect a substantial savings of judicial effort.” Local Rule 123(a)(3). Accordingly, the assignment of these matters to the same judge is likely to effect a substantial savings of judicial effort and is likely to be convenient for the parties.


1 Relating cases under Rule 123 causes the actions to be assigned to the same judge—it  
2 does not consolidate the actions. Under Rule 123, related cases are generally assigned to the  
3 judge and magistrate judge to whom the first filed action was assigned.

4 As a result, it is hereby ORDERED that Case No. 2:22-cv-01378-DB is reassigned from  
5 Magistrate Judge Deborah Barnes to the undersigned and Magistrate Judge Allison Claire. The  
6 caption on documents filed in the reassigned case shall be shown as 2:22-cv-01378-KJM-AC.

7 It is further ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court make appropriate adjustment in the  
8 assignment of civil cases to compensate for this reassignment.

9 IT IS SO ORDERED.

10 DATED: September 15, 2022.

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CHIEF UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE