

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

MINUTE ENTRY:
JUNE 17, 2008
BRADY, J.

YVONNE MARIE BOYD

CIVIL ACTION

VERSUS

NO. 65-3164-JJB-DLD

POINTE COUPEE PARISH
SCHOOL BOARD, ET AL.

This matter came on this day for an evidentiary hearing on the Motion to Transfer
(doc. no. 244) filed by Pointe Coupee Parish School Board.

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Stipulations read into the record.

The following witnesses are sworn and testify:

Rodney Watson
Kenneth Campbell
Joe Neary

Paul Pastorek

The States rests and moves for a directed verdict.

The parties present argument.

The court takes this matter under advisement.

The following witnesses are sworn and testify:

Daniel Rawles

Larry Oliver

The United States and the plaintiff rests.

Joe Neary testifies on rebuttal.

For oral reasons given, the court GRANTS Motion to Transfer School Authority (doc. no. 241). The court reserves the right to supplement the record with written reasons at a later time.

The court instructed the Recovery School District to comply with the reporting requirements set forth in the Consent Decree insofar as it relates to Pointe Coupee Central High School.

The court will schedule a status conference at a later date with the Boyd plaintiffs and the school board to work toward achieving unitary status in Pointe Coupee Parish.

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