

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
BATON ROUGE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
Plaintiff,

v.

BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF THE
STATE OF LOUISIANA, ET AL.
Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION NO. 2866

PRE-TRIAL ORDER

Pre-trial conference was held on August 6, 1964. John Boer, David Norman and Alexander Ross, attorneys for the United States Department of Justice, appeared for the plaintiff and Harry J. Kron, Jr., Assistant Attorney General, State of Louisiana, appeared for the defendants.

1. IT IS ORDERED that the depositions taken in this case and relevant testimony from the trials of other cases in Louisiana brought by the United States under 42 U.S.C. 1971(a) will be submitted and received in evidence subject to the right of either party to make timely objections as to relevancy and materiality.

2. IT IS ORDERED that the Court will take judicial notice of all statistics from the official reports of the Bureau of the Census, United States Department of Commerce, and of all registration statistics appearing in the reports of the Secretary of State of the State of Louisiana and the reports of the State Board of Registration of the State of Louisiana. The contents of the annual reports of the State Department of Education of the State of Louisiana may be cited and referred to, although the defendants reserve the right to object to the relevancy of such material.

3. IT IS ORDERED that the stipulation marked Exhibit L attached hereto is approved.

4. IT IS ORDERED that the plaintiff on or before October 1, 1964 will file all depositions, transcripts and exhibits on which it will rely at the trial, together with summaries of this evidence and a Trial Brief; on or before November 16, 1964, Defendants will file all depositions, transcripts and exhibits on which they will rely at the trial, together with a Trial Brief and all objections to the evidence filed by the plaintiff; on or before November 30, 1964, the date of the trial, plaintiff may file its rebuttal evidence and brief. Final trial on the merits is set for 10:00 A.M. November 30, 1964 at the Federal Courthouse in New Orleans, in the Courtroom of the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Louisiana, at which time the Court will consider all objections to the evidence, will consider any additional evidence which may be offered, and will hear oral argument.

It is the intent of this Court that this case will be then and there submitted.

DONE THIS _____ DAY OF _____, 1964.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT JUDGE

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