UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS MCALLEN DIVISION

MEXICAN AMERICAN LEGISLATIVE	§	
CAUCUS, TEXAS HOUSE OF	§	
REPRESENTATIVES,	§	
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Plaintiff,	§	
VS.	§	CIVIL ACTION NO. 7:11-CV-144
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STATE OF TEXAS, et al,	§	
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Defendants.	§	

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ORDER ON DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO TRANSFER

Before the Court is Defendants the State of Texas, Rick Perry, David Dewhurst, and Joe Straus's Motion to Transfer this case to the United States District Court for the Western District of Texas, San Antonio Division, Consolidated Case Nos. SA-11-CA-360-OLG-JES-XR (lead case), SA-11-CA-361-OLG-JES-XR, and SA-11-CA-490-OLG-JES-XR pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1404(a). After considering the motion, the Court is of the opinion it should be GRANTED.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Defendants' Motion to Transfer is hereby GRANTED and this case is transferred to the Western District of Texas for further disposition in relation to Consolidated Case Nos. SA-11-CA-360-OLG-JES-XR (lead case), SA-11-CA-361-OLG-JES-XR, and SA-11-CA-490-OLG-JES-XR

SO ORDERED this 28th day of March, 2013, at McAllen, Texas.

Randy Crane

United States District Judge