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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EXECUTIVE OFFICE FOR IMMIGRATION REVIEW [CITY, STATE]

In the Matters of:)
JOHN SMITH)
&)
JANE SMITH)
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Respondents)
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File No. A# XXX-XXX-XXX File No. A# XXX-XXX-XXX

In Removal Proceedings

MOTION TO CONSOLIDATE

It is hereby requested that the matters referenced above be consolidated so that both may be heard together on [ENTER DATE], at [ENTER TIME OF HEARING]., the [INDIVIDUAL OR MASTER] hearing date and time now set for JOHN SMITH, A 123-456-789, the spouse/father of respondents.

Respondents JOHN SMITH and JANE SMITH are married and living together. The facts and circumstances that form the basis of the respondents' asylum applications are substantially the same. [PROVIDE BRIEF EXPLANATION AS TO COMMONALITY OF FACTS: EXAMPLE: BOTH MR. AND MRS. SMITH HAD THEIR HOME BURNED DOWN BY MEMBERS OF THE MEXICAN POLICE FORCE AFTER MRS. SMITH PUBLISHED A CRITIQUE OF THE

GOVERNMENT'S HANDLING OF NARCO-RELATED CRIMES]. As a matter of judicial economy, and so as to avoid duplication of evidence, it is requested that respondents' cases be heard jointly.

Respondent JANE SMITH is currently scheduled for an individual hearing on DATE. For the reasons stated above, it is requested that her matter be consolidated with JOHN SMITH'S case and heard by Immigration Judge XXX on DATE, at TIME.

Dated: XXXX

Respectfully submitted,

XXXXXXXX, Esq. Attorney for Respondent

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, _____, do hereby certify that on _____, a copy of the foregoing motion was delivered to the Department of Homeland Security, Office of the Chief Counsel by email on _____.

Dated: XXXX

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U.S. DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE EXECUTIVE OFFICE OF IMMIGRATION REVIEW [CITY] IMMIGRATION COURT

In the Matter of:)
JOHN SMITH &)
JANE SMITH)
Respondent)
)

File Nos. A#

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ORDER OF THE IMMIGRATION JUDGE

Upon consideration of the Respondent's Motion to Consolidate, it is HEREBY ORDERED that the motion be granted. The Matters of John Smith (A# XXX-XXX) and Jane Smith (A# XXX-XXX) will be heard together on DATE.

Judge

Date