

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

CHRISTOPHER SCARVER,

Plaintiff,

v.

JON LITSCHER, GERALD BERGE,
TWYLA HAGEN, BLACKBURN,
TIM HAINES and JOHN DOES 1-100,

Defendants.

ORDER

01-C-0497-C

The parties in this case have filed a stipulation and a request for an order staying proceedings in this matter pending resolution of closely-related issues in the class action entitled Jones' El v. Berge, 00-C-421-C.

It appears appropriate to grant the request for stay. It would be a waste of resources for the parties to prepare this case for trial until they have a sense of the outcome of the issues raised on appeal in Jones' El.

The clerk of court is directed to close the case administratively, with the parties' retaining full rights to reopen it anytime upon a showing of good cause. If the case is reopened, the parties shall have all such rights as they would have had had the case not been administratively closed.

Entered this 18th day of March, 2003.

BY THE COURT:

BARBARA B. CRABB
District Judge