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Subject: MARSHALL et al v. PRESTAMOS CDFI, LLC

Larry and Bart:

Have you considered the Court's request below? We agree with the Court's suggestion that plaintiffs should drop *Drevnak* and amend *Marshall* to include the *Drevnak* claims "because proceeding as a single case will promote judicial economy as is the goal of class actions."

Best,
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Counsel,

During our March 12 discovery conference, the Court shared its intention to consolidate this case with Drevnak (23-2777) based on the history of these related cases and Plaintiffs' expressed support for consolidation. Upon further consideration, the Court is uncertain whether consolidation is appropriate given that the named Plaintiffs and claims are distinct. Instead, the Court directs the parties to meet, confer, and discuss dismissing Drevnak (23-2777) and amending this case to incorporate Drevnak's allegations.

On the second page of the Drevnak complaint, plaintiffs state: "This case is brought by Plaintiffs who reside in or were injured by the alleged misconduct in additional states that are not included in Prestamos I, and who therefore may otherwise be denied the opportunity to obtain any relief for the alleged misconduct." The Court requests that Plaintiffs consider whether this goal may be achieved by amending in Marshall because proceeding as a single case will promote judicial economy as is the goal of class actions.

Thank you.

Be well!

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