UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE NASHVILLE DIVISION

TENNESSEE STATE CONFERENCE OF THE NAACP, et al.,

Plaintiffs,

Case No. 3:23-cv-00832

v.

Judge Eli J. Richardson Judge Benita Y. Pearson Judge Eric E. Murphy

WILLIAM B. LEE, et al.,

Magistrate Judge Alistair E. Newbern

Defendants.

ORDER

Plaintiffs and ten subpoenaed non-party officials have moved to set a briefing schedule to address a dispute regarding certain subpoenas duces tecum and anticipated deposition subpoenas. (Doc. No. 56.) The presiding three-judge panel has referred this matter to the undersigned Magistrate Judge for resolution. (Doc. No. 57.)

The Magistrate Judge finds good cause to waive the informal discovery dispute resolution procedures set by the initial case management order (Doc. No. 47) and to allow the parties to address the subject dispute by discovery motion.

Accordingly, the motion (Doc. No. 56) is GRANTED, and briefing shall proceed on the parties' proposed schedule, including the proposed page limits.

The Magistrate Judge will set a hearing on the discovery dispute if one is required. It is so ORDERED.

ALISTAIR D. NEWBERN
United States Magistrate Judge