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**MINUTE ORDER.** Presently pending before this Court are three related cases: South Coast Air Quality Management District v. Chao, No. 19-cv-3436; Environmental Defense Fund v. Chao, No. 19-cv-2907; California v. Chao, No. 19-cv-2826. These three cases are currently at similarly early stages, and the claims in each case concern the same facts and involve several identical legal issues. The Court is therefore inclined to consolidate the cases. See Fed. R. Civ. P. 42(a)(2) (authorizing a court to consolidate multiple actions when they "involve a common question of law or fact"). Accordingly, the Court is hereby providing notice that these three cases will be consolidated on December 16, 2019, unless the parties object. Any objection shall be filed on the docket on or before December 13, 2019. Signed by Judge Ketanji Brown Jackson on 12/06/2019. (lckbj2)

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