

7—2506.10(17A) Consolidation—severance.

2506.10(1) *Consolidation.* The presiding officer may consolidate matters at issue in two or more contested case proceedings if:

- a. The matters involve common parties or common questions of fact or law;
- b. Consolidation would expedite and simplify consideration of the issues involved; and
- c. Consolidation would not adversely affect the rights of any of the parties to those proceedings.

2506.10(2) *Severance.* The presiding officer may, for good cause shown, order any contested case or portion of a contested case severed.

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