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## 641—33.12 (17A) Consolidation—severance.

**33.12(1)** *Consolidation.* The presiding officer may consolidate any or all matters at issue in two or more contested cases where:

- 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.
- **33.12(2)** *Severance.* The presiding officer may, for good cause shown, order any contested case proceeding or portions thereof severed.

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