

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ALABAMA
WESTERN DIVISION

STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs,

v.

U.S. DEPARTMENT OF THE
TREASURY, *et al.*,

Defendants.

Case No. 7:21-cv-00465-LSC

JOINT NOTICE

On March 31, 2021, Plaintiffs filed a complaint challenging a provision of the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, *see* ECF No. 1, and on April 13, 2021, Plaintiffs filed a preliminary-injunction motion seeking to enjoin that provision, *see* ECF No. 21. At a telephonic hearing on April 30, 2021, the Court ordered the parties to confer on the issues raised by this lawsuit. The Court ordered such conference to take place no later than May 7, 2021, and offered to supervise the discussion via the Court's videoconferencing system.

The parties have conferred and jointly notify the Court that they intend to discuss the issues raised by this lawsuit as ordered on May 5, 2021. The parties would prefer to confer without the assistance of the Court in order to facilitate a candid and productive conversation subject to Federal Rule of Evidence 408. The parties respectfully request that the Court notify the parties if the planned conference does not satisfy the Court's order.

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Respectfully submitted,

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