

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS**

AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH  
ASSOCIATION; IBIS REPRODUCTIVE  
HEALTH; INTERNATIONAL UNION,  
UNITED AUTOMOBILE, AEROSPACE, AND  
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENT WORKERS  
(UAW); BRITTANY CHARLTON; KATIE  
EDWARDS; PETER LURIE; and NICOLE  
MAPHIS,

*Plaintiffs,*

v.

NATIONAL INSTITUTES OF HEALTH; JAY  
BHATTACHARYA, *in his official capacity as  
Director of the National Institutes of Health;*  
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES; and  
ROBERT F. KENNEDY, JR., *in his official  
capacity as Secretary of the United States  
Department of Health and Human Services,*

*Defendants.*

Case No. 1:25-cv-10787-WGY

**ORDER CONCERNING REMAINING CLAIMS**

Upon consideration of the parties' joint stipulation and request for relief regarding the remaining claims of this litigation ("Joint Stipulation"), pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(2), it is hereby **ORDERED** that:

I. APHA Plaintiffs and Defendants shall comply with and carry out their respective obligations as set forth in Part II of the parties' Joint Stipulation.

II. Count I.B, the portions of Count III relating to applicants, and Count V of the APHA Plaintiffs' Complaint (ECF No. 1) are dismissed without prejudice. All Phase Two trial dates and/or Phase Two pretrial deadlines are hereby vacated.

III. The Court shall retain jurisdiction to enforce the terms of this order and the parties' Joint Stipulation until such time as Defendants have considered and disposed of all identified applications as set forth in the Joint Stipulation.

/s/ William G. Young  
District Judge  
January 6, 2026