

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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MATTHEW SHAFFER, RALPH FLYNN,  
PETER ROBBINS, CHARLES POMPEY,  
*and FIREARMS POLICY COALITION, INC.,*

Plaintiffs,

**SO-ORDERED  
STIPULATION OF  
DISCONTINUANCE**

v.

Civil Action No. 24-cv-01123-LJV

JAMES B. QUATTRONE, in his official capacity as Sheriff of Chautauqua County,  
JUDITH M. HUNTER, in her official capacity as County Clerk of Stueben County,  
GARY W. HOWARD, in his official capacity as Sheriff of Tioga County,  
PAUL ARTETA, in his official capacity as Sheriff of Orange County,  
*and STEPHEN G. JAMES, in his official capacity as Superintendent of the New York State Police,*

Defendants.

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between the undersigned, the Plaintiffs Matthew Shaffer, Ralph Flynn, Peter Robbins, Charles Pompey (the “Individual Plaintiffs”), Firearms Policy Coalition, Inc. (“FPC” and collectively with the Individual Plaintiffs, the “Plaintiffs”), and Defendant Stephen G. James, Superintendent of the New York State Police (the “Superintendent” and collectively with the Plaintiffs, the “Parties”), that the Plaintiffs hereby voluntarily dismiss their claims against the Superintendent in the above-captioned action without prejudice, pursuant to the Settlement Agreement entered into by the Parties.

The Parties further STIPULATE AND AGREE that the United States District Court for the Western District of New York shall retain exclusive and continuing jurisdiction over any claims arising out of the Parties’ Settlement Agreement, and any action related to the Settlement Agreement shall be brought before the Hon. Lawrence J. Vilardo.

Dated: McLean, Virginia  
September 17, 2025

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SO ORDERED:

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Hon. Lawrence J. Vilardo  
United States District Judge