

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
FORT WORTH DIVISION**

**AMERICANS FOR BENEFICIARY CHOICE, et al.,**

## Plaintiffs

V.

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES; et  
al.,**

## Defendants.

**Civil Action No. 4:24-cv-00439-O**

## COUNCIL FOR MEDICARE CHOICE, et al..

## Plaintiffs

V.

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF  
HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES; et  
al.,**

## Defendants.

**Civil Action No. 4:24-cv-00446-O**

## **ORDER**

Before the Court is Notice of Proposed Briefing Schedule (“Notice”) which was filed in both *Americans for Beneficiary Choice v. United States Department of Health and Human Services*, No. 4:24-cv-00439- O and *Council for Medicare Choice v. United States Department of Health and Human Services*, No. 4:24-cv-446-O. Notice, ECF Nos. 14, 18.

The Court **ORDERS** the government to respond to ABC Plaintiffs' motion and the CMC Plaintiffs' motion, via a single consolidated response not to exceed 50 pages, **by 1 p.m. Central**

**on June 3, 2024.** The ABC Plaintiffs and the CMC Plaintiffs **SHALL** file their respective reply briefs, each not to exceed 15 pages by **June 7, 2024.** A hearing will be set at a later date if necessary.

**SO ORDERED** on this **22nd** day of **May, 2024.**

  
Reed O'Connor  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE