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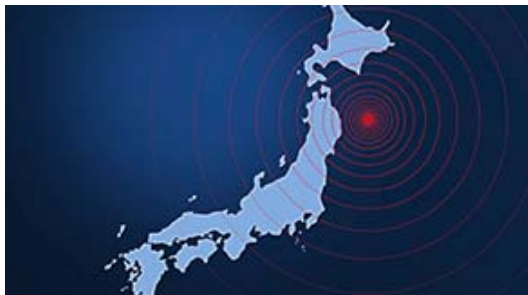
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(grouping them where logical and appropriate) and rule on the predominance [and commonality] question[s] in light of the claims asserted and the available evidence." (citation omitted); Tobias Barrington Wolff, *Discretion in Class Certification*, 162 U. Pa. L. Rev. 1897, 1898 (2014) ("[D]istrict courts sometimes exercise discretion in defining the parameters of the class definition and deciding when subclasses are necessary, often acting independently of any proposals made by the parties." (footnote omitted)).²⁵ We note, however, "[t]he court has no *asa sponte* obligation so to act." *U.S. Parole Comm'n v. Geraghty*, 445 U.S. 388, 408 (1980).

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