UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
WESTERN DIVISION
AT DAYTON

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| Plaintiff(s), | | |
| | : | _____ |
| vs. | | Case No. |
| | : | |
| _____ | | RULE 26(f) REPORT OF PARTIES (to be filed not later than seven (7) days prior to the preliminary pretrial conference) |
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| Defendant(s). | | |

1. Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(f) a meeting was held on _____, and was attended by:

_____, counsel for plaintiff(s) _____

_____, counsel for plaintiff(s) _____

_____, counsel for plaintiff(s) _____

_____, counsel for defendant(s) _____

_____, counsel for defendant(s) _____

_____, counsel for defendant(s) _____

_____, counsel for defendant(s) _____

2. The parties:

___ have provided the pre-discovery disclosures required by Rule 26(a)(1), including a medical package (if applicable).

___ will exchange such disclosures by _____.

___ are exempt from disclosure under Rule 26(a)(1)(E).

3. The parties:

___ unanimously consent to the jurisdiction of the United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c).

___ do not unanimously consent to the jurisdiction of the United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c).

___ unanimously give contingent consent to the jurisdiction of the United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c), for trial purposes only, in the event that the assigned District Judge is unavailable on the date set for trial (e.g., because of other trial settings, civil or criminal).

4. Recommended cut-off date for filing of motions directed to the pleadings: _____

5. Recommended cut-off date for filing any motion to amend the pleadings and/or to add additional parties: _____

6. Recommended discovery plan:

a. Describe the subjects on which discovery is to be sought and the nature, extent and scope of discovery that each party needs to: (1) make a settlement evaluation, (2) prepare for case dispositive motions and (3) prepare for trial:

b. What changes should be made, if any, in the limitations on discovery imposed under the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure or the local rules of this Court, including the limitations to 25 interrogatories/requests for admissions and the limitation of 10 depositions, each lasting no more than one day consisting of seven (7) hours?

c. Additional recommended limitations on discovery:

d. Recommended date for disclosure of lay witnesses.

e. Describe the areas in which expert testimony is expected and indicate whether each expert has been or will be specifically retained within the meaning of Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2).

f. Recommended date for making primary expert designations:

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g. Recommended date for making rebuttal expert designations:

_____

h. Recommended discovery cut-off date:

_____

6. Recommended dispositive motion date: _____

7. Recommended date for a status conference (if any): _____

8. Suggestions as to type and timing of efforts at Alternative Dispute Resolution. _____

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9. Recommended date for a final pretrial conference. _____

10. Has a settlement demand been made? _____ A response? _____

Date by which a settlement demand can be made: _____

Date by which a response can be made: _____

11. Other matters pertinent to scheduling or management of this litigation:

Signatures:

Attorney(s) for Plaintiff(s):

Ohio Bar #
Trial Attorney for

Ohio Bar #
Trial Attorney for

Ohio Bar #
Trial Attorney for

Ohio Bar #
Trial Attorney for

Attorney(s) for Defendant(s)

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