

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION**

In re: WHIRLPOOL CORP. FRONT-)	CASE NO. 1:08WP65000
LOADING WASHER PRODUCTS)	
LIABILITY LITIGATION)	MDL NO. 2001
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)	JUDGE CHRISTOPHER A. BOYKO
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CHRISTOPHER A. BOYKO, J:

On March 31, 2014, the parties submitted their Joint Proposed Scheduling Order Through Trial (ECF # 280). The Court adopts in part and modifies in part the parties' proposed schedule. The Court limits dispositive and decertification motions and responsive briefs to no more than 30 pages in accordance with the Court's Local Rules for cases designated "complex." The Court sets the remaining schedule below.

REVISED SCHEDULING ORDER

1. Deadline for Plaintiffs to file their Reply to Whirlpool's Supplemental Brief in Opposition to Plaintiffs' Motion to Modify the Class Definition (ECF No. 276): April 7, 2014 at 2:30 p.m.;
2. Hearing on Plaintiffs' Motion to Modify the Class Definition (ECF No. 263): April 23, 2014 at 2:30 p.m., Courtroom 15-B;

3. Deadline for *Daubert* motions: May 2, 2013
4. Deadline for completion of limited fact discovery: May 16, 2014;
5. Deadline for dispositive motions: May 23, 2014;
6. Deadline for responses to *Daubert* motions: June 2, 2013
7. Deadline for other pretrial motions (other than motions *in limine*, but including Whirlpool's motion to decertify the class, in whole or in part): June 13, 2014;
8. Deadline for responses to all dispositive motions: June 20, 2014;
9. Deadline for replies in support of *Daubert* motions: June 27, 2014
10. Deadline for replies in support of dispositive motions: July 14, 2014;
11. Deadline for responses to other pretrial motions, including Plaintiffs' opposition to Whirlpool's motion to decertify the class, in whole or in part: July 21, 2014;
12. Deadline for replies in support other pretrial motions, including in support of Whirlpool's motion to decertify the class, in whole or in part: August 4, 2014;
13. Deadline for trial briefs (which shall include (a) a statement of the facts, (b) a discussion of the controlling law with particular emphasis on those legal issues which might justify a complete or partial motion under Rule 50 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, (c) a list of proposed witnesses along with a brief description of the subject matter of the testimony of each witness, (d) an index of all proposed exhibits containing a brief description of each exhibit, (e) a discussion of any evidentiary issues likely to arise at trial, (f) an estimate of the length of the trial, (g) proposed

voir dire questions, (h) proposed jury instructions, and (i) proposed special interrogatories and verdict forms), motions *in limine*, joint preliminary statement of the case, stipulations of fact, and any additional pretrial disclosures set forth in Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(a)(3)(A) including deposition designations: August 15, 2014;

14. Deadline for parties to file responses to (a) motions *in limine*, (b) objections to proposed *voir dire* questions, (c) objections to proposed jury instructions, (d) counter deposition designations, (e) objections to proposed special interrogatories and verdict forms, and (f) objections to the opposing party's pretrial disclosures as set forth in Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(a)(3)(B): August 29, 2014;
15. Deadline for party sponsoring designated deposition testimony to file brief addressing use of such deposition testimony for those portions of any deposition designations to which the opposing party objects: August 29, 2014;
16. Deadline for party opposing use of designated deposition testimony to file opposition to use of such deposition testimony: September 5, 2014;
17. Deadline for parties to submit supplemental juror questionnaire: September 5, 2014;
18. Final pretrial conference: September 16, 2014, at 11:00 a.m., Chambers 15-B;
19. All exhibits, other than demonstrative exhibits, made available to opposing party: September 26, 2014;
20. Parties to provide one copy of each trial exhibit to the Court (need not file exhibits with the Clerk of Court): October 1, 2014;
21. Jury trial: October 7, 2014, at 9:00 a.m., Courtroom 15-B.

The Court will determine whether to hold any additional hearings upon review of the

motions and opposition briefs.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Christopher A. Boyko
CHRISTOPHER A. BOYKO
United States District Judge

Dated: April 8, 2014