

STANDARD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO
EASTERN DIVISION

Plaintiff(s),)
v.) Case No.
) Judge Pamela A. Barker
)
) REPORT OF PARTIES' PLANNING
) MEETING UNDER FED. R. CIV.
) P. 26(f) AND LR 16.3(b)(3)
Defendant(s).)
)

1. Pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(f) and LR 16.3(b)(3), a meeting was held on _____
_____, and was attended by:
_____ counsel for plaintiff(s) _____
_____ counsel for plaintiff(s) _____
_____ counsel for defendant(s) _____
_____ counsel for defendant(s) _____

2. The parties:
_____ have exchanged the pre-discovery disclosures required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1) and the
Court's prior order;
_____ will exchange such disclosures by _____;

_____ have not been required to make initial disclosures.

3. The parties recommend the following track:

_____Expedited _____Standard _____Complex
_____Administrative _____Mass Tort

4. This case is suitable for one or more of the following Alternative Dispute Resolution (“ADR”) mechanisms:

_____Early Neutral Evaluation _____Mediation _____Arbitration
_____Summary Jury Trial _____Summary Bench Trial
_____Case not suitable for ADR

5. The parties _____do/ _____do not consent to the jurisdiction of the United States Magistrate Judge pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(c).

6. Electronically Stored Information. The Parties: **(indicate one)**:
_____ agree that there will be no discovery of electronically-stored information; or
_____ have agreed to a method for conducting discovery of electronically-stored information;
or
_____ have agreed to follow the default standard for discovery of electronically-stored information (Appendix K to Northern District of Ohio Local Rules).

7. Recommended Discovery Plan:

(a) Describe the subjects on which discovery is to be sought and the nature and extent of discovery.

(b) Discovery cut-off date: _____

8. Recommended dispositive motion date: _____

9. Recommended expert discovery date: _____

Expert report(s) by party initially seeking to introduce expert testimony
recommended due date _____

Responsive expert report(s) due date: _____

10. Recommended cut-off date for amending the pleadings and/or adding additional
parties: _____

11. Recommended date for Status Hearing: _____

12. Recommended date for Settlement Conference: _____

13. Other matters for the attention of the Court:

Attorney for Plaintiff(s) _____

Attorney for Plaintiff(s) _____

Attorney for Defendant(s) _____

Attorney for Defendant(s) _____