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SUPERIOR COURT

THEES, ELLEN MARIE  
V.  
KROBOT, DAVID J.JUDICIAL DISTRICT OF FAIRFIELD  
AT BRIDGEPORT

9/23/2020

ORDER

The following order is entered in the above matter:

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REVISED SCHEDULING ORDER

In light of the interruption of jury trials due to the pandemic suspensions, the October 7, 2020 pretrial conference and the October 28, 2020 trial dates are marked off and the court issues the revised scheduling orders. Failure to comply with these orders may result in sanction, which may include fine, exclusion of evidence at trial, dismissal, default or non-suit.

1. All discovery and all issues regarding discovery shall be completed at least 30 days before the trial date. The court may decline to entertain any issues regarding discovery after this date.

**FURTHER CONTINUANCES OF THE TRIAL DATE MAY NOT BE ENTERTAINED BASED ON INCOMPLETE DISCOVERY.**

2. Caseflow is directed to reschedule jury selection on the next available date on the trial docket and schedule a trial management/judicial settlement conference at least three weeks before the trial date. Any party may request an earlier judicial pretrial through the clerk's office by filing a Caseflow Request Form.

Caseflow is also directed to schedule a judicial settlement conference before Judge Jacobs after January 15, 2020. The parties are **ORDERED** to confer regarding their settlement positions before the conference and the parties and adjusters, as applicable, are **ORDERED** to be immediately available during the conference.

3. No dispositive motions may be filed absent leave of court.

This scheduling order can be modified **ONLY** with leave of court. Because rescheduling may substantially delay trial, motions to continue trial must be timely filed and supported by good cause. Any problems regarding completing discovery must be brought to the court's attention promptly through appropriate motion or conference request.

The parties shall make good faith efforts to resolve discovery disputes before filing any motions or objections regarding same. Affidavits must be filed in compliance with P.B. §13-8(c) and § 13-10(i), for objections to interrogatories or requests for production to be placed on the short calendar.

All discovery disputes should be resolved through motions or objections available under Chapter 13 of the Practice Book before the date for completion of discovery. Motions in limine or to preclude filed at the time of trial may not be considered when directed to discovery issues that could have been addressed through pretrial remedies available under Chapter 13.

PRESIDING JUDGE CIVIL

Mailed to all appearing parties.

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Judge: BARRY STEVENS

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