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SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK COUNTY OF WESTCHESTER

ANITHA ROY,

Plaintiff(s),

DAVID LENT MD, et al.,

-against-

Defendant(s).

COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE PART

FIRST COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE REFEREE REPORT & ORDER FOR MEDICAL, DENTAL AND PODIATRIC MALPRACTICE ACTIONS

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R.J.I. DATE: Dec. 20, 2018 **COMPL. CONF. DATE:** April 1, 2019 **NEXT COMPL. CONF:** May 7, 2019

WOOD, C.A.R.:

APPEARANCES:

Plaintiff(s) William Grace, Esq. Defendant(s) Gerry Heubel, Esq.

THIS ACTION having come on for a First Compliance Conference in order to establish a schedule for the completion of disclosure and other related matters, in accordance with CPLR 3104 and the DCM Rules of this Court, I recommend that the Court confirm the following Report:

This action is entitled to a preference pursuant to CPLR 3403(a)(5), and it is further

There is to be timely compliance with each of the items below within the time set forth unless the time is extended by a "so-ordered" OR court-approved written stipulation.

I. EXAMINATIONS BEFORE TRIAL

(1) The plaintiff's deposition shall be completed on or before June 3, 2019.

(2) The <u>defendant(s</u>) will be deposed in the following caption order (unless ordered otherwise by the Court) on or before the designated date:

Unless for good cause shown all defendants shall be deposed within 5 months of the completion of plaintiff(s) deposition. Firm dates for each defendant shall be set at the Second Compliance Conference.

Ten (10) days prior to the Second Compliance Conference all defense counsel shall communicate proposed dates for the depositions of their client(s). All defense counsel shall appear at the conference prepared to give firm dates of his/her client(s) availability within the on or before dates.

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II. <u>COMPLIANCE CONFERENCE</u>

A Second Compliance Conference to establish firm deposition dates for defendants shall be held on <u>May 7, 2019</u>.

III. ADDITIONAL DIRECTIVES

IV. <u>FURTHER DIRECTIVES</u>:

Failure to comply with the terms of this Report and Order may result in sanctions as authorized by CPLR 3126.

Any parties failing to appear at the Compliance Conference shall be bound by the terms hereof and any disclosure demands not raised at the Compliance Conference are deemed waived.

The foregoing constitutes the Report of the Court-Attorney-Referee.

Dated: White Plains, New York 4-1-19

Dated: White Plains, New York

Court Attorney-Refere Dorian Wood,

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SO ORDERED:

HØN/JOAN B. LEFKOWITZ JUSTICE OF THE SUPRIEME CO