

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MARSHALL DIVISION**

BELL NORTHERN RESEARCH, LLC,

Plaintiff,

v.

SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS CO., LTD, and  
SAMSUNG ELECTRONICS AMERICA,  
INC.

Defendants.

Civil Action No. 2:19-CV-00286-JRG

**DOCKET CONTROL ORDER**

In accordance with the scheduling conference held in this case, it is hereby ORDERED that the following schedule of deadlines is in effect until further order of this Court:

<b>Date</b>	<b>Amended Date</b>	<b>Deadline/Event</b>
March 1, 2021		*Jury Selection – 9:00 a.m. in <b>Marshall, Texas</b>
January 25, 2021		*Pretrial Conference – 9:00 a.m. in <b>Marshall, Texas</b> before Judge Rodney Gilstrap
January 20, 2021		* If a juror questionnaire is to be used, an editable (in Microsoft Word format) questionnaire shall be jointly submitted to the Deputy Clerk in Charge by this date. <sup>1</sup>

<sup>1</sup> The Parties are referred to the Court's Standing Order Regarding Use of Juror Questionnaires in Advance of *Voir Dire*.

January 20, 2021		<p>*Notify Court of Agreements Reached During Meet and Confer</p> <p>The parties are ordered to meet and confer on any outstanding objections or motions <i>in limine</i>. The parties shall advise the Court of any agreements reached no later than 1:00 p.m. three (3) business days before the pretrial conference.</p>
January 19, 2021		<p>*File Joint Pretrial Order, Joint Proposed Jury Instructions, Joint Proposed Verdict Form, and Responses to Motions <i>in Limine</i>, Updated Exhibit Lists, Updated Witness Lists, and Updated Deposition Designations</p>
January 11, 2021		<p>*File Notice of Request for Daily Transcript or Real Time Reporting.</p> <p>If a daily transcript or real time reporting of court proceedings is requested for trial, the party or parties making said request shall file a notice with the Court and e-mail the Court Reporter, Shelly Holmes, at shelly_holmes@txed.uscourts.gov.</p>
January 4, 2021	January 6, 2021	<p>File Motions <i>in Limine</i></p> <p>The parties shall limit their motions <i>in limine</i> to issues that if improperly introduced at trial would be so prejudicial that the Court could not alleviate the prejudice by giving appropriate instructions to the jury.</p>
January 4, 2021	January 6, 2021	Serve Objections to Rebuttal Pretrial Disclosures
December 28, 2020	December 18, 2020	Serve Objections to Pretrial Disclosures; and Serve Rebuttal Pretrial Disclosures
December 14, 2020	December 4, 2020	Serve Pretrial Disclosures (Witness List, Deposition Designations, and Exhibit List) by the Party with the Burden of Proof

November 9, 2020		*Response to Dispositive Motions (including <i>Daubert</i> Motions). Responses to dispositive motions that were filed <u>prior</u> to the dispositive motion deadline, including <i>Daubert</i> Motions, shall be due in accordance with Local Rule CV-7(e), not to exceed the deadline as set forth in this Docket Control Order. <sup>2</sup> Motions for Summary Judgment shall comply with Local Rule CV-56.
October 26, 2020		*File Motions to Strike Expert Testimony (including <i>Daubert</i> Motions)  No motion to strike expert testimony (including a <i>Daubert</i> motion) may be filed after this date without leave of the Court.
October 26, 2020		*File Dispositive Motions  No dispositive motion may be filed after this date without leave of the Court.  <u>Motions shall comply with Local Rule CV-56 and Local Rule CV-7. Motions to extend page limits will only be granted in exceptional circumstances. Exceptional circumstances require more than agreement among the parties.</u>
October 26, 2020	October 23, 2020	Deadline to Complete Expert Discovery
October 13, 2020	October 9, 2020	Serve Disclosures for Rebuttal Expert Witnesses
September 28, 2020	September 25, 2020	Deadline to Complete Fact Discovery and File Motions to Compel Discovery
September 28, 2020	September 25, 2020	Serve Disclosures for Expert Witnesses by the Party with the Burden of Proof
September 22, 2020		Comply with P.R. 3-7 (Opinion of Counsel Defenses)

<sup>2</sup> The parties are directed to Local Rule CV-7(d), which provides in part that “[a] party’s failure to oppose a motion in the manner prescribed herein creates a presumption that the party does not controvert the facts set out by movant and has no evidence to offer in opposition to the motion.” If the deadline under Local Rule CV 7(e) exceeds the deadline for Response to Dispositive Motions, the deadline for Response to Dispositive Motions controls.

September 1, 2020		*Claim Construction Hearing – 1:30 p.m. in Marshall, Texas before Judge Rodney Gilstrap
August 18, 2020		*Comply with P.R. 4-5(d) (Joint Claim Construction Chart)
August 11, 2020		*Comply with P.R. 4-5(c) (Reply Claim Construction Brief)
August 4, 2020		Comply with P.R. 4-5(b) (Responsive Claim Construction Brief)
July 21, 2020		Comply with P.R. 4-5(a) (Opening Claim Construction Brief) and Submit Technical Tutorials (if any)  Good cause must be shown to submit technical tutorials after the deadline to comply with P.R. 4-5(a).
July 21, 2020		Deadline to Substantially Complete Document Production and Exchange Privilege Logs  Counsel are expected to make good faith efforts to produce all required documents as soon as they are available and not wait until the substantial completion deadline.
July 7, 2020	July 8, 2020	Comply with P.R. 4-4 (Deadline to Complete Claim Construction Discovery)
June 30, 2020		File Response to Amended Pleadings
June 16, 2020		*File Amended Pleadings  It is not necessary to seek leave of Court to amend pleadings prior to this deadline unless the amendment seeks to assert additional patents.
June 9, 2020	June 10, 2020	Comply with P.R. 4-3 (Joint Claim Construction Statement)
May 19, 2020	May 20, 2020	Comply with P.R. 4-2 (Exchange Preliminary Claim Constructions)
April 28, 2020	April 29, 2020	Comply with P.R. 4-1 (Exchange Proposed Claim Terms)

March 10, 2020		Comply with P.R. 3-3 & 3-4 (Invalidity Contentions)
February 18, 2020	added	Serve Initial Disclosures (as set forth in the Court's Discovery Order)
February 18, 2020		*File Proposed Protective Order and Comply with Paragraphs 1 & 3 of the Discovery Order (Initial and Additional Disclosures)  The Proposed Protective Order shall be filed as a separate motion with the caption indicating whether or not the proposed order is opposed in any part.
February 11, 2020		*File Proposed Docket Control Order and Proposed Discovery Order  The Proposed Docket Control Order and Proposed Discovery Order shall be filed as separate motions with the caption indicating whether or not the proposed order is opposed in any part.
February 4, 2020		Join Additional Parties
January 14, 2020		Comply with P.R. 3-1 & 3-2 (Infringement Contentions)

(\*) indicates a deadline that cannot be changed without showing good cause. Good cause is not shown merely by indicating that the parties agree that the deadline should be changed.

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