

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

GESTURE TECHNOLOGY PARTNERS,
LLC

v.

HUAWEI DEVICE CO., LTD., ET AL.

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Case No. 2:21-CV-0040-JRG-RSP

**Pretrial Conference
MAG. JUDGE ROY PAYNE PRESIDING
January 31, 2022**

OPEN: 9:03 am

ADJOURN: 12:32 pm

ATTORNEYS FOR PLAINTIFF:

Fred Williams
Todd Landis
John Wittenzellner
Michael Simons
Daniel Garza

ATTORNEY FOR DEFENDANTS:

Chris Kennerly
Allan Soobert
Gil Gillam

LAW CLERK:

Daniel Shuminer

COURT REPORTER:

Susan Zielie

COURTROOM DEPUTY:

Becky Andrews

Court opened. Case called. Fred Williams announced ready for plaintiff and introduced co-counsel. Gil Gillam announced ready for defendants and introduced co-counsel.

Jury Selection will be March 7, 2022 at 9:00 a.m. before Judge Gilstrap.

The parties informed the Court of any agreements made thus far and the disputes still at issue.

The parties will be allowed 11 hours of evidence per side. The parties will have 30 minutes per side for voir dire. Eight jurors will be seated. The parties will have four preemptory strikes each side. The parties will have 30 minutes for opening statements.

The parties will provide 10 juror notebooks at the beginning of the trial. Each notebook shall contain a sheet with a photo of each witness with the name under the photo and lines for taking notes, a copy of the patent, the Court's claim construction and a 3-hole punched note pad. The

notebooks shall be delivered to chambers on Thursday, March 3, 2022.

Plaintiff's counsel was instructed to file their final reduction of claims by February 14, 2022 and Defendants' counsel was instructed to file their final prior art elections by February 21, 2022.

Mr. Kennerly brought up the issue regarding interpreters and proposed one interpreter for both sides. Fred Williams confirmed that this is acceptable.

The Court heard Defendants' objections to Plaintiff's Motions in Limine. Fred Williams, Michael Simons and John Wittenzellner argued for plaintiff. Chris Kennerly and Allan Soobert argued for defendants. The Court made rulings.

After the break, the Court heard Plaintiff's objections to Defendants' Motions in Limine. The Court made rulings.

Chris Kennerly and Allan Soobert then argued Defendants' Motion for Partial Summary Judgment of No Infringement and No Damages (Dkt. No. 140). John Wittenzellner responded.

The next pretrial conference will be held on February 25, 2022 at 9:00 a.m.