

SUPERIOR COURT OF NEW JERSEY
LAW DIVISION: MIDDLESEX COUNTY
ASBESTOS LITIGATION

Docket No: L-900-14 (AS)

Civil Action

CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER VIII

NANCY CAIRO, vs. AMERICAN INTERNATIONAL IND., et al	<i>Plaintiff(s),</i> <i>Defendant(s).</i>
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This matter coming in for a Case Management Conference before Special Master Agatha N. Dzikiewicz and the following parties on June 24, 2016:

FIRM	ATTORNEY	CLIENT
Levy Konigsberg	Joseph J. Mandia	Plaintiff(s)
Caruso Smith	Alexandra Caruso	Union Carbide; CertainTeed
Gordon & Silber	Russell Porter	American International
Lynch Daskal	Alexander Broche	Georgia Pacific
Marshall Dennehey	Paul Johnson	Kaiser Gypsum

IT IS on this 1st day of July, 2016 effective from the conference date;

ORDERED as follows:

Counsel receiving this Order through computerized electronic medium (E-Mail) shall be deemed by the court to have received a copy of the filed original court document. Any document served pursuant to this Order shall be deemed to be served by mail pursuant to R.1:5-2.

DISCOVERY

September 30, 2016 Fact discovery, including depositions, shall be completed by this date. Plaintiff's counsel shall contact the Special Master within one week of this deadline if all fact discovery is not completed.

September 30, 2016 Depositions of corporate representative depositions shall be completed by this date.

EARLY SETTLEMENT

November 30, 2016 Settlement demands shall be served on all counsel and the Special Master by this date.

SUMMARY JUDGMENT MOTION PRACTICE

October 21, 2016 Summary judgment motions shall be filed no later than this date by those defendants permitted by the court to re-file their motions.

November 18, 2016 Last return date for summary judgment motions.

LIABILITY EXPERT REPORTS

September 30, 2016 Plaintiff shall serve supplemental expert reports, if any, by this date.

December 23, 2016 Defendants shall identify its liability experts and serve liability expert reports, if any, by this date or waive any opportunity to rely on liability expert testimony.

EXPERT DEPOSITIONS

January 27, 2017 Expert depositions shall be completed by this date. To the extent that plaintiff and defendant generic experts have been deposed before, the parties seeking that deposition in this case must file an application before the Special Master and demonstrate the necessity for that deposition. To the extent possible, documents requested in a deposition notice directed to an expert shall be produced three days in advance of the expert deposition. The expert shall not be required to produce documents that are readily accessible in the public domain.

PRE-TRIAL AND TRIAL

September 14, 2016 The settlement conference previously scheduled on this date is **cancelled**.

January 31, 2017 @ 10:00am Settlement conference. All defense counsel shall appear with authority to negotiate settlement and have a representative authorized to negotiate settlement available by phone. Any request to be excused from the settlement conference shall be made to the Special Master no later than 4:00pm of the day prior to the conference.

February 27, 2017 Trial Date. (*The October 24, 2016 trial is adjourned to this date.*)

Plaintiff's counsel shall serve a copy of this Order upon any additional counsel immediately upon receipt.

/s/ Ana C. Viscomi
ANA C. VISCOMI, J.S.C.

cc: Clerk, Mass Tort