

November 6, 2000

TO ALL COUNSEL:

**Re: Latex Litigation
Statute of Limitations Motions**

The court has designated three motion days as return dates for the statute of limitations motions in the latex litigation. The case recommendations provided for a series of filing deadlines. Please adjust these deadlines so that the various cases can be grouped as follows.

<u>Return date</u>	<u>Case Name and Docket Number</u>	
January 5, 2001	De'Meo	L-4724-98
	Ukaigwe	L-4949-98
	Varjan	L-2371-99
	Guervara	L-3632-98
	Wojtowicz-Praga	L-5103-99
February 2, 2001	Morrison	L-3356-99
	Hyder	L-4072-99
	Lukaitis	L-570-97
	Collins	L-4163-98
	Suchowacki	L-5027-00
	Harkins	L-4608-98
March 2, 2001	Poggi	L-434-99
	Gerity	L-2256-99
	Cabalquinto	L-7782-99
	Naphys	L-9933-99
	McAuley	L-8807-99
	Taggert	L-6130-98
	Campbell	L-5881-98

This adjustment in the return date should not affect the discovery deadlines in preparation for this motion, except for the Taggert and Campbell cases, which were on a slower schedule. I will organize a conference call with counsel in these cases so as to accelerate the discovery schedule to allow statute of limitations motions, if necessary, to be filed for the March return date.

All defense counsel are to coordinate their statute of limitations motions with Diane Sullivan, Esq., liaison counsel for the defense. Only one motion need be filed for each case.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Hon. Marina Corodemus