STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA GUILFORD COUNTY

IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE SUPERIOR COURT DIVISION _____CvS_____

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Plaintiff(s),)
Vs)
))
Defendant(s).)

CONSENT ORDER FOR EXPEDITED TRIAL

This matter is before the Court for scheduling purposes. The parties hereto have consulted and hereby represent to the court that:

- 1. The parties will exchange trial exhibits and witness lists within _____ days of the date of this Order.
- 2. Each side is limited to _____ Interrogatories and _____ Requests to Produce Documents, which if used shall be filed within _____ days of the date of this order. No extensions of time to answer will be sought or allowed.
- Each side may take the deposition of the other named party. The deposition of the plaintiff will be taken on ______, and the deposition of the defendant will be taken on ______. No other depositions will be taken.
- 4. The case will shortly be ready for jury non-jury trial. ______ is an agreeable date to all parties for trial.
- 5. All counsel, parties, and witnesses are available for trial on this date.
- 6. The parties agree to limit peremptory strikes to _____ per side, to limit opening statement to ______ minutes per side to summary presentation of evidence by counsel, except for live testimony by _______, with plaintiff's evidence totaling ______ hours and defendant's evidence totaling ______ hours; and to limit closing arguments to ______

minutes per side.

7. The parties further agree to a jury of \Box six \Box eight \Box ten persons.

It is therefore ORDERED that:

- 1. The case is scheduled for trial on ______.
- 2. The Clerk shall provide a filed copy of this Order to all counsel of record and any pro se parties.

This ______, 20_____,

WE CONSENT:

Superior Court Judge Presiding

Plaintiff/Counsel for Plaintiff

Defendant/Counsel for Defendant

Appendix C