FORM # 14

NORTH CAROLINA	**IN THE GENERAL COURT OF JUSTICE**
28 JUDICIAL DISTRICT	**DISTRICT COURT DIVISION**
COUNTY OF _____	**CASE NUMBER_____**

_____	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
-vs-	)	**STATUS CONFERENCE ORDER**
	)	
_____	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

THIS MATTER COMING ON TO BE HEARD before the undersigned Judge Presiding on the date shown below for a status conference concerning the pending claim or claims for equitable distribution.

1. The Plaintiff appeared through counsel, _____, and the Defendant also appeared through counsel, _____.

2. This is an action for equitable distribution filed by the ____ Plaintiff/____ Defendant (herein referred to as "Moving Party").

Based upon a review of the file, and after hearing the contentions and position of the parties through counsel, the Court determines that the interests of justice and the expeditious handling of this matter require the entry of the following Order.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED, ADJUDGED AND DECREED as follows:

1. Moving Party ____ has/____ has not filed an equitable distribution affidavit. If not, Moving Party is Ordered to file and serve an equitable distribution affidavit by _____.

2. Opposing party ____ has/____ has not filed an equitable distribution affidavit. If not, opposing party is Ordered to file and serve an equitable distribution affidavit by

_____.

3. The parties ____ have/____ have not agreed to an ADR procedure. _____is hereby appointed as _____ in this case and the parties and counsel are Ordered to complete the ADR process no later than _____.

4. A proposed Pretrial Order ____ has/____ has not been filed. If not, Moving Party is Ordered to file and serve a proposed Pretrial Order, accurately incorporating the contentions of the parties as set forth in their equitable distribution affidavits by _____.

5. A Pretrial Order ____ has/____ has not been entered. If not, a pretrial conference is scheduled for the _____. Parties and counsel are directed to appear at such time, prepared to submit for inclusion in the Pretrial Order their final contentions, to be binding upon the parties at the trial, unless the Court at such time allows amendment for good cause shown. Counsel are directed that if they are unable to appear for such pretrial conference, they are to arrange to have associate counsel, fully apprised of the issues to be resolved, appear on their behalf.

6. The trial of this cause ____ has/____ has not been scheduled. If not, this matter is ____tentatively / ____specifically scheduled for trial on _____. Parties and counsel are directed to appear at such time for trial without further notice.

Made and entered, this the ____ day of _____, _____.

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DISTRICT COURT JUDGE PRESIDING