

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

**Docket No: L-6661-15 (AS)**

**Civil Action**

**CASE MANAGEMENT ORDER I  
AMENDED**

DENISE SELBY,	<i>Plaintiff(s),</i>
vs.	
AFC HOLCROFT LLC, et al	<i>Defendant(s).</i>

*This matter having come in for a Case Management Conference before Special Master Agatha N. Dzikiewicz and the following parties on February 9, 2016:*

<b>FIRM</b>	<b>ATTORNEY</b>	<b>CLIENT</b>
<i>Simmons Hanly Conroy</i>	<i>Laurence Nassif</i>	<i>Plaintiff(s)</i>
<i>Baginski Mezzanotte</i>	<i>Mark Macdonald</i>	<i>HM Royal</i>
<i>Bonner Kiernan</i>	<i>Sheila King</i>	<i>Occidental Chemical Corp.</i>
<i>Breuninger &amp; Fellman</i>	<i>Raymond Chow</i>	<i>Genuine Parts Co.</i>
<i>Hawkins Parnell</i>	<i>Roy Viola</i>	<i>Pneumo Abex</i>
<i>Landman Corsi</i>	<i>Joseph Tomaino</i>	<i>Federal Mogul</i>
<i>Lynch Daskal</i>	<i>Dan Galiardi</i>	<i>AFC Holcraft</i>
<i>Margolis Edelstein</i>	<i>Jeanine Clark</i>	<i>JCI</i>
<i>Maron Marvel</i>	<i>Carolyn Williams</i>	<i>Industrial Holdings Corp.</i>
<i>Marshall Dennehey</i>	<i>Paul Johnson</i>	<i>Riley Power</i>
<i>McElroy Deutsch</i>	<i>Andrew F. Bain</i>	<i>Allen Bradley; Eaton; Sprinkman</i>
<i>McGivney Kluger</i>	<i>Marc J. Wisel</i>	<i>Brand Insulation</i>
<i>Pascarella DiVita</i>	<i>Charles P. Savoth, III</i>	<i>Crane Co.; Trane USA</i>
<i>Reilly Janiczek</i>	<i>Edward Henry</i>	<i>Cleaver Brooks</i>
<i>Sedgwick LLP</i>	<i>Nicole Nielson-Pachkofsky</i>	<i>Borg Warner; CBS/Westinghouse; Foster Wheeler</i>
<i>Wilbraham Lawler</i>	<i>Tristin Fabro</i>	<i>Plastics Engineering Co.</i>

IT IS on this 25<sup>th</sup> day of MAY, 2016, Case Management Order I is hereby

**AMENDED** 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**

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| June 30, 2016 | Plaintiff shall serve answers to standard interrogatories, provide the information required by paragraph VII.B.1.a. of the General Order, and shall advise defendants whether the plaintiff is available for deposition and, if not, the reasons therefore by this date. |
| July 8, 2016  | Defendants shall serve answers to standard interrogatories by this date.   |
| July 22, 2016 | Plaintiff shall propound supplemental interrogatories and document requests by this date.  |

August 22, 2016 Defendants shall serve answers to supplemental interrogatories and document requests by this date.

July 22, 2016 Defendants shall propound supplemental interrogatories and document requests by this date.

August 22, 2016 Plaintiff shall serve answers to supplemental interrogatories and document requests by this date.

September 30, 2016 Plaintiff depositions shall be concluded by this date. Plaintiff's counsel shall contact the Special Master within one week of this deadline if plaintiff depositions are not completed by this date.

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 representatives shall be completed by this date.

### **EARLY SETTLEMENT**

October 3, 2016 Settlement demands shall be served on all counsel and the Special Master by this date.

### **SUMMARY JUDGMENT MOTION PRACTICE**

October 7, 2016 Summary judgment motions shall be filed no later than this date.

November 4, 2016 Last return date for summary judgment motions.

### **MEDICAL DEFENSE**

June 30, 2016 Plaintiff shall serve executed medical authorizations (along with answers to interrogatories) by this date.

June 30, 2016 Plaintiff shall serve a diagnostic medical report and any medical records in plaintiff's possession by this date.

October 31, 2016 Plaintiff shall serve medical expert reports by this date.

October 31, 2016 Upon request by defense counsel, plaintiff is to arrange for the transfer of pathology specimens and x-rays, if any, by this date.

December 2, 2016 Defendants shall identify its medical experts and serve medical reports, if any, by this date. **In addition, defendants shall notify plaintiff's counsel (as well as all counsel of record) of a joinder in an expert medical defense by this date.**

### **LIABILITY EXPERT REPORTS**

October 31, 2016 Plaintiff shall identify its liability experts and serve liability expert reports or a certified expert statement by this date or waive any opportunity to rely on liability expert testimony.

December 2, 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.

## ECONOMIST EXPERT REPORTS

- October 31, 2016 Plaintiff shall identify its expert economists and serve expert economist report(s), if any, by this date or waive any opportunity to rely on economic expert testimony.
- December 2, 2016 Defendants shall identify its expert economists and serve expert economist report(s), if any, by this date or waive any opportunity to rely on economic expert testimony.

## EXPERT DEPOSITIONS

- December 30, 2016 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

- August 11, 2016 The settlement conference previously scheduled on this date is **cancelled**.
- December 13, 2016 @ 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.
- 10 business days prior to trial Pretrial Information Exchange Form due.
- January 23, 2017 **Trial-Ready Date.** (*The trial date of September 19, 2016 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