

UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
(NORTHERN)/(SOUTHERN) DIVISION

In re:

Chapter

,

Case No.

Debtor(s).

Hon.

_____ /

,

Adversary Proceeding No.

Plaintiff(s),

v.

,

Defendant(s).

_____ /

REPORT OF PARTIES' RULE 26(f) CONFERENCE

Pursuant to Fed. R. Bankr. P. 7026 and Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(f), a conference was held on _____, 20____, at (place) (or indicate if by telephone or other means) and was participated in by:

(name) for plaintiff(s)

(name) for defendant(s) (party name)

This is submitted as the required report of that conference.

(1) Initial Disclosures required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(1).

[] The parties will provide such by _____, 20____; or

[] The parties agree to provide the following at the times indicated:

(2) Discovery Plan. The parties jointly propose to the Court the following discovery plan in conformance with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(f)(3): (Use separate paragraphs or subparagraphs as necessary if parties disagree.)

(a) Discovery will be needed on the following subjects: (brief description of subjects on which discovery will be needed).

- (b) All discovery commenced in time to be completed by _____, 20____. [Discovery on (issue for early discovery) to be completed by _____, 20____.]
- (c) Maximum of _____ interrogatories by each party to any other party. [Responses due _____ days after service.]
- (d) Maximum of _____ requests for admission by each party to any other party. [Responses due _____ days after service.]
- (e) Maximum of _____ depositions by plaintiff(s) and _____ by defendant(s).
- (f) Each deposition [other than of _____] limited to maximum of _____ hours unless extended by agreement of parties.
- (g) Reports from retained experts under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)(2) due:
from plaintiff(s) by _____, 20____
from defendant(s) by _____, 20____.
- (h) Supplementation under Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(e) due (time(s) or interval(s)).
- (i) Discovery of electronically stored information
 - (i) This adversary proceeding does ____ does not ____ involve the discovery of electronically stored information
 - (ii) Pursuant to E.D. Mich. LBR 7026-4, the Model Order Relating to the Discovery of Electronically Stored Information approved by the District Court will ____ will not ____ apply.

(3) Other Agreed Upon Items. [Use separate paragraphs or subparagraphs as necessary if parties disagree.]

- (a) Plaintiff(s) is granted leave through, and the deadline is, _____, 20____ to join additional parties and to amend the pleadings.
- (b) Defendant(s) is granted leave through, and the deadline is, _____, 20____ to join additional parties and to amend the pleadings.
- (c) All potentially dispositive motions must be filed by _____, 20____.
- (d) The proceeding will be ready for trial by _____, 20____. The trial is expected to take approximately _____ trial days.
- (e) Jury Trial Matters.

- (i) a jury trial was not timely demanded and is waived; or
 - a jury trial was timely demanded, but is waived; or
 - a jury trial was timely demanded but not waived.
- (ii) the parties consent to the Bankruptcy Court conducting the jury trial; or
 - the parties do not at this time consent to the Bankruptcy Court conducting the jury trial.

(f) The parties agree that:

- This is a core proceeding; or
- This is a non-core proceeding otherwise related to the bankruptcy case.

(g) The parties consent to the Bankruptcy Court entering a final order or judgment in this proceeding; or

- The parties do not consent to the Bankruptcy Court entering a final order or judgment in this proceeding.

(4) Other matters.

(5) Matters not agreed upon or insufficiently addressed by the foregoing.

Attorney for _____

Attorney for _____

Attorney for _____

[Signatures of all participants required]

Dated:

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