# STATE COURT OF DEKALB COUNTY Judge Dax Lopez

#### PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE

**January 30, 2017** 

3:00 pm

Division 6 Judicial Tower 3<sup>rd</sup> floor, Courtroom D

Summer Schmidt Civil Case Manager 404.687.7135

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#### IN THE STATE COURT OF DEKALB COUNTY STATE OF GEORGIA

#### ORDER OF INSTRUCTIONS FOR DIVISION VI PRETRIAL CONFERENCE AND CIVIL JURY CALENDAR

Consolidated Pretrial Order filed by: January 23, 2017 Mandatory Pretrial Conference: January 30, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. Trial Weeks: February 13, 2017 & February 21, 2017

This is a **TWO WEEK** Trial Calendar. All cases should expect to be reached during the week of trial. Cases may be called out of order as scheduling demands. Parties are directed to contact the Civil Case Manager, Summer Schmidt, at 404-687-7135 (slschmidt@dekalbcountyga.gov) regarding the calendar, trial matters and instructions.

Parties must submit a <u>CONSOLIDATED</u> Pretrial Order by January 23, 2017 in conformity with Uniform State Court Rule 7.2. Failure to respond to this calendar, or to file the proposed Consolidated Pretrial Order, may result in the parties and/or their counsel being held in <u>CONTEMPT</u> and/or in the <u>DISMISSAL</u> of the complaint, answer, counterclaim, cross claim or third party, as appropriate.

Lead Counsel is required to be present at the Mandatory Pretrial Conference on January 30, 2017 at 3:00 p.m. The Parties are instructed to discuss settlement options prior to the Pretrial Conference. Prior to trial, counsel shall make a good faith effort to resolve any objections in depositions to be presented at trial. All unresolved objections, together with argument and citations, shall be filed, with a copy to the Court, no later than five days prior to trial. Any objections not brought before the Court prior to trial shall be deemed waived. All Motions in Limine shall be filed on or before January 23, 2017. The parties are reminded to review the Court's <u>STANDING ORDER</u> as they prepare the proposed Consolidated Pre-Trial Order and in anticipation of their attendance at the Pre-Trial Conference.

The removal of a case from the Pre-Trial/Jury calendar for any reason shall <u>ONLY BE BY</u>
<u>ORDER OF THE COURT AND MUST BE FILED WITH THE COURT BY JANUARY 25, 2017.</u> A
Motion for Continuance and/or Extension of Discovery must be by consent of all parties and a Consent
Order submitted, at the same time as the Motion is filed with the Clerk of the Court.

Standing Order and Calendar may be viewed at: www.dekalbstatecourt.net.

SO ORDERED, this 5<sup>th</sup> day of January, 2017.

Dax E. López, Judge

State Court of DeKalb County



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**Attorneys Parties** (1)14A52877 **CHAYKA BETTIS** JULIE OINONEN --- VERSUS ---DEKALB COUNTY SCHOOL **NEERU GUPTA** DISTRICT State General Civil **CPTO** (2) 14A53456 JAMES SWARTZ James Nicholas Sadd --- VERSUS ---DADS LOGISTICS INC MICHAEL D HOSTETTER; WILLIAM S ALLRED **CPTO** Personal Injury FRANK F PAPE, Jr. (3) 15A55548 SYLVESTER SINCLAIR --- VERSUS ---**MVP GERMAN AUTO** W Bryant Green, III. SPECIALIST, INC Sceduling Order filed - case continued from the 12/05 PTC State General Civil 15A55731 JASMINE COLLINS DONALD PHILIP EDWARDS (4)--- VERSUS ---**BRANDEN MILLER** TIMOTHY J GARDNER Personal Injury CPTO FILED 08.01.15



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