

STATE COURT OF DEKALB COUNTY

Judge Dax Lopez

PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE

July 30, 2018

3:00 pm

Division 6
Judicial Tower
3rd 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: July 20, 2018

Mandatory Pretrial Conference: July 30, 2018 at 3:00 p.m.

Available Trial Dates: August 21st through August 23rd; and August 28th through August 31st

Parties are hereby notified to set all other business aside and to appear in the courtroom of Judge Dax E. López, located in Courtroom 3D at the DeKalb County Courthouse, 556 N. McDonough Street, Decatur, Georgia 30030.

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.

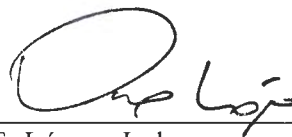
Parties must submit a **CONSOLIDATED** Pretrial Order by July 20, 2018 in conformity with Uniform State Court Rule 7.2. **Failure to respond to this calendar, or to file the proposed Consolidated Pretrial Order**, may result in the parties and/or their counsel being held in **CONTEMPT** and/or in the **DISMISSAL** 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 July 30, 2018 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 July 20, 2018.** The parties are reminded to review the Court's Standing Order 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 ONLY BE BY ORDER OF THE COURT AND MUST BE FILED WITH THE COURT BY JULY 20, 2018. 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 17th day of May, 2018.



Dax E. López, Judge
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Case	Parties	Attorneys
(1)	15A54289	DENISE HICKSON
	---	VERSUS ---
	GRADY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL	Keenan Nix
		Paul E Weathington
	Tort -Medical Malpractice	
(2)	15A55539E6	AUNECA W KIRBY
	---	VERSUS ---
	CHRISTOPHER IBIKUNLE, M.D.	Robert Monyak; Robert Monyak; Kathleen W Simcoe; Kathleen W Simcoe
	Tort -Medical Malpractice	
(3)	16A58742E6	DOMONIQUE HARDY
	---	VERSUS ---
	HILLANDALE CTR LLC	James A Rice, Jr.
		Robert E Casey, Jr.; Robert E Casey, Jr.; Timothy S Walls
	Tort - Other	
(4)	16A59789	Tyree Mormon
	---	VERSUS ---
	Jantz Miller	Sanford M Hill
		Jason Barrett Green
	Tort - Auto Accident	



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(5)	16A61607	Trust Ojeiwa
	---	VERSUS ---
	Brandon Smith	Michael D Hoffer
	Tort - Auto Accident	Disco exp: 04.06.18 - all dispositive motions filed by 05.06.18
(6)	16A62314	Brian Childers
	---	VERSUS ---
	Glenn Bundesmann	Ann Cox Mandel
	Allstate Fire and Casualty Insurance Company	
	Tort - Auto Accident	
(7)	16A62456	Shussana Palmer
	---	VERSUS ---
	Medusa Restaurant and Lounge LLC	Brantley C Rowlen; Brantley C Rowlen; Brantley C Rowlen
	Personal Injury	
(8)	17A63231	Justin Hayes
	---	VERSUS ---
	Faustin Rubanda	Romero Pearson
	Allstate Fire and Casualty Insurance Company	
	Appeal from a Lower Court	



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(9) 17A63422	Timothy Murray --- VERSUS --- Goodwill of North Georgia, Inc.	Kristen M Pitts MATTHEW T MOFFITT
	Tort - Premise Liability	Disco exp: 05.04.18
(10) 17A63424	SHARON PURCELL RIVERA --- VERSUS --- GREGORY J HILL Allstate Property & Casualty Insurance Company; Georgia Farm Bureau Mut. Ins. Co.	Ralph E Hughes Allison Bloom Shear
	Tort - Auto Accident	
(11) 17A63673	Dorothy Kim Underwood --- VERSUS --- Thomas Brinkley Parrott, M.D.	Trent B Speckhals Daniel J Huff; Timothy H Bendin; Timothy H Bendin
	Tort -Medical Malpractice	
(12) 17A64473	Everett Burris --- VERSUS --- Josephine Threat	Melissa Auzine Sylvia Hoard Cobb; Brendan Thompson
	Personal Injury	



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(13) 17A64583	Hilda Williams --- VERSUS --- George Gordon State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company Tort - Auto Accident	William M Cheves, Jr. James W Hardee; James W Hardee
(14) 17A64647	Tammy Harden --- VERSUS --- Ruijie Li Tort - Auto Accident	Norman M Sawyer, Jr. Veronica L Hoffler; Timothy J Gardner
(15) 17A64864	Yaasmeen Sandefur --- VERSUS --- The Central Mutual Insurance Agency Personal Injury	JOSEPH R. NEAL, JR. David I Matthews; David I Matthews; David I Matthews
(16) 17A65007	MANSOUR TOUTI --- VERSUS --- FRANK SHAW Tort - Auto Accident	John W Greer, III. Peter E Bennion



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(17) 17A65412	Jalesha Smith --- VERSUS --- Shah Hospitality, LLC	Andrae P Reneau Charles Medlin
	Tort - Wrongful Death	Disco exp: 05.31.18
(18) 17A65458	WILLIE F EVANS --- VERSUS --- James Edward Mattingly	E GILMORE MAXWELL
	Magistrate Transfer to State Court	
(19) 17A65558	Stephan Cooper --- VERSUS --- Forrest A Jackson	Robert A Falanga Nadia Nickerson
	Tort - Auto Accident	
(20) 17A65767	Cory D Hinton --- VERSUS --- Kaiser Edmond	Kwame T Thompson Alisa Steinberg Connell; Alisa Steinberg Connell
	Tort - Auto Accident	



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(21) 17A65798	Frankie Benton --- VERSUS --- Mildred Ruffin	Brandy L Porter Kenneth C Wilson
State General Civil		
(22) 17A65945	Tiburcio Zelaya --- VERSUS --- Tamara A. Poole	L Blade Thompson Pro Se
Tort - Auto Accident		
(23) 17A66035	NICHELLE TAMEKA JONES --- VERSUS --- JANIE SHONEYE	Waymon Sims; Waymon Sims; Waymon Sims; Waymon Sims Kenneth C Wilson
Personal Injury		
(24) 17A66120	Aisha Reynolds --- VERSUS --- Leon Smith	Stephen Fowler Todd M Ladouceur; Peter E Bennion
Tort - Auto Accident		



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Case	Parties	Attorneys
(25) 17A66163	Venkata Mahesh Chukka --- VERSUS --- Alex O'Sullivan	MICHAEL A YOUNG Virginia Jane Reed
Personal Injury		
(26) 17A66204	Akhil Anumolu --- VERSUS --- Jameica Russell State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company; State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company	W Calvin Smith, II. Alaina S Howard
Tort - Auto Accident		
(27) 17A66313	Lloyd Swain --- VERSUS --- Deanna Chaney State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company	Willace D Magee; Willace D Magee Pro Se
Personal Injury		



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(28) 17A66575	Patricia Roper	Lee S Goldstein
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Jean Georges	Charles D Jones
Tort - Auto Accident		
(29) 18A68783	Anthony Frazier	Matthew R Hagen
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Admashu Leema Fersha	Michael J Lober; Michael J Lober
Incoming Transfer		