

**STATE COURT
OF DEKALB COUNTY**

**JUDGE JANIS C. GORDON
DIVISION VII**

CIVIL PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE CALENDAR

FEBRUARY 13, 2019

AT 1:30 P.M.

**COURTROOM B
OF THE
JUDICIAL TOWER LOCATED
ON THE 2ND FLOOR AT
556 N. MCDONOUGH STREET
DECATUR, GEORGIA 30030**

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THE STATE COURT OF DEKALB COUNTY
STATE OF GEORGIA

ORDER

(Civil Pre-Trial Conference Calendar)

Counsel and pro se litigants in all listed cases are directed to appear in Court for the Division VII Civil Pre-trial Conference Calendar on **February 13, 2019, at 1:30 P.M.** The purpose of this Conference is to determine the status of the case, resolve remaining issues, and schedule the case for trial.¹

At the Pre-trial Conference, counsel and parties representing themselves must be prepared to address any remaining discovery issues, all pending or anticipated motions, chances of settlement, length of trial, number of jurors, jury pre-qualifications, and court reporting of the case. Counsel and parties are expected to confer, exchange documents and resolve any discovery disputes. Further, they must have express authority to settle the pending claim(s) and be prepared to confidentially reveal the terms of settlement to the Court.

THE ATTORNEYS WHO WILL ACTUALLY TRY THE CASE, AND PARTIES REPRESENTING THEMSELVES,² ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND THE PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE AND WILL BE EXPECTED TO COMMIT TO A SPECIALLY-SET TRIAL DATE.

No continuances will be granted except on prior written order of the Court for legal cause shown. A Motion for Continuance must be made in writing at least ten days before the Pre-Trial Conference, and an Order must be submitted.

Failure to respond to this notice may result in the dismissal of the complaint, answer, or counterclaim, and may subject counsel or parties to sanctions.

If a case is settled or otherwise resolved, the parties must notify **Jacqueline Simpson, Civil Case Manager, Division VII, at (404) 687-3985** or **idsimpso@dekalbcountyga.gov**, and follow-up with a pleading confirming the dismissal or settlement.

SO ORDERED this 10th day of January, 2019.



JANIS C. GORDON, JUDGE
State Court of DeKalb County

¹ A Consolidated Pre-Trial Order will be due sixty (60) days before trial, but the Order need not be prepared for the Pre-Trial Conference.

² Corporations must be represented by counsel in all actions filed on or after June 5, 1997. Eckles v. Atlanta Technology Group, Inc., 267 Ga. 801, 485 S.E.2d 22 (1997).



State Court Civil Calendar
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| Case | Parties | Attorneys |
|-----------------------------|--|--|
| (4) 17A65398 | William G Haynie Ellen Jean Gates-Haynie --- VERSUS --- Edward A Dreisbach Nancy Dreisbach GEICO General Insurance Company | Reynolds E Pitts, Jr Bianca Motley Broom Janki Patel Matthew Williams |
| State General Civil | | |
| (5) 17A65497 | Essie Murphy --- VERSUS --- El-Milagro of Atlanta Inc | Michael D Barber, Jr Renee A Morgan Joseph D Perrotta |
| Personal Injury | | |
| (6) 17A65594 | Charmaine Francis --- VERSUS --- Denise Major | Adam H. Long Darrell L Burrow April A Robinson |
| Tort - Auto Accident | | |



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| (7) | 17A65666 | Deasia Jackson |
| | | Roodgine D Bray Robert O Bozeman |
| | --- VERSUS --- | |
| | Marcus C. Drake and Sheppard Trucking Inc | Broderick W Harrell |
| Personal Injury | | |
| (8) | 17A65676 | Frederick Girard |
| | | Michael G Kaufman Mark L Stuckey |
| | --- VERSUS --- | |
| | Nia Tunstall | Jennifer W DeBaun |
| Tort - Auto Accident | | |
| (9) | 17A65709 | Linda Long |
| | | Pro Se |
| | --- VERSUS --- | |
| | Big Painting, Big Painting Inc d/b/a Big Painting, Howard McMullen, XYZ Corporation and John Doe | Allison McDonald |
| Tort - Auto Accident | | |



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Case

Parties

Attorneys

(10) 17A66063 Corey Pruitt W Bryant Green, III
Anthony R Showell
Semra Kebede

--- VERSUS ---

Signature Braiding and Hair
Salon,
Omar Davis,
John Does 1-5,
XYZ Corporation 1-3,
Mary African Hair Braiding

Tort - Premise Liability

(11) 17A66229 Akilah Lewis, Xenia Lewis and
Jotanna Williams, guardian
and next friend of Jacob A
Williams, a minor child Susan M Witt

--- VERSUS ---

Emmanuel Badru and Samuel S Johnson
Elizabeth Okikola

Personal Injury

(12) 17A66880 Arlevia Wallace David T Dorer

--- VERSUS ---

Yvonne Davy Hemanth Digumarthi

Tort - Auto Accident



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Case **Parties** **Attorneys**

(13) 17A67101 Brittnee and Jeffrey Edwards,
Parents of Destan Edwards
and anticipated
Administrators of the Estate
of Destan Edwards Pro Se

--- VERSUS ---

Emory Healthcare Inc David Ladner
John Does 1-5 Paige McKinney

Tort - Wrongful Death

(14) 17A67298 Alicia M. Daley Adam H. Long
Joshua M Samuels

--- VERSUS ---

Keandre J. Hooker Brandee L Strothers

Tort - Auto Accident

(15) 18A67516 Thomas Blanton C Benjamin Avery
J Blair Craig

--- VERSUS ---

Angelica McGhee Ashley Rice
Andrea Baker

Tort - Auto Accident



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| (16) 18A67568 | Edith O Clark and Albert C Clark, Jr --- VERSUS --- Majmar Dunwoody Inc | Heidi A Honis Daniel G Cheek John P Real |
| Tort - Premise Liability | | |
| (17) 18A67912 | Moses Tejuoso --- VERSUS --- Tracy Holden | Johnny G Phillips Assunta S Fiorini |
| Tort - Auto Accident | | |
| (18) 18A68286 | George Benson --- VERSUS --- Norfolk Southern Railway a/k/a Norfolk Southern Corporation | Cameron N Woodward Mark E Toth Amanda M Morris Andrew W Reinhart David A Damico Daniel B Donahoe |
| Personal Injury | | |
| (19) 18A71942 | Leslie Weaver --- VERSUS --- Terraces at Brookhaven LLC | Amanda Evans J Mike Williams |
| Incoming Transfer | | |