

**STATE COURT  
OF DEKALB COUNTY**

**JUDGE KIMBERLY A. ALEXANDER  
DIVISION VII**

**CIVIL PRE-TRIAL CALENDAR**

**DECEMBER 6, 2023**

**AT 1:30 PM**

**COURTROOM B  
(VIA ZOOM)  
OF THE  
JUDICIAL TOWER LOCATED  
ON THE 2<sup>ND</sup> FLOOR AT  
556 N. MCDONOUGH STREET  
DECATUR, GEORGIA 30030**

**MICHELLE CHEEK  
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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 **December 6, 2023, at 1:30 P.M.** (Via Zoom) The purpose of this Conference is to determine the status of the case, resolve remaining issues, and schedule the case for trial.<sup>1</sup>

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.

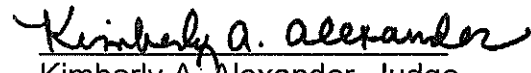
**THE ATTORNEYS WHO WILL ACTUALLY TRY THE CASE, AND PARTIES REPRESENTING THEMSELVES,<sup>2</sup> ARE REQUIRED TO ATTEND THE PRE-TRIAL CONFERENCE AND WILL BE EXPECTED TO COMMIT TO A SPECIALLY-SET TRIAL DATE.**

**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 **Michelle Cheek, Civil Case Manager, Division VII, at (404) 687-3985** or **macheek@dekalbcountyga.gov**, and follow-up with a pleading confirming the dismissal or settlement.

**SO ORDERED this 9th day of November, 2023.**

  
Kimberly A. Alexander, Judge  
State Court of DeKalb County

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<sup>1</sup> 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.

<sup>2</sup> 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).



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**Case**

**Parties**

**Attorneys**

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( 1 )	19A77959	Derek Bakarich & Staci Bakarich, as individuals and Natural parents of Kai Bakarich, formerly a minor, and Kai Bakarich	Jared L Mitnick David A Anton
--- VERSUS ---			
		Joseph Riley, and  Wendy Stanton as Legal and natural guardians of E R, a minor  Auto-Owners Insurance Company	Warner S Fox Andrew McClintock Jeffrey M Reilly, Jr.  Chad Brock Michael C Kendall

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**Tort - Premise Liability**

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( 2 )	20A78449	James Steffany	John E Alday Robert D Johnson
--- VERSUS ---			
		Cheryl Chien	Paul L Groth

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**Tort - Premise Liability**

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( 3 )	20A79660	Venedicta Munoz Balderas, And Luis Juarez Mata	Jody B Everette
--- VERSUS ---			
		Syeda Nabi	
		State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company	Lori E Brennan

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**Personal Injury**

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Case	Parties	Attorneys
( 4 ) 20A80660	Darul Quinn	Steven D Loube Bret S Moore
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Anthony Brown, and Donald R Brown	Christine V Proctor
Tort - Auto Accident		
( 5 ) 20A82397	Danielle Williams	Harry Daniels
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Stephanie Ramey	Alexis Guidry
Tort - Auto Accident		
( 6 ) 20A82835	Evan Piano, individually and as Parent and/or guardian of Kailey Piano, a minor	Shaheen Wallace
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Hertz Claims Management d/b/a Hertz Rental Car, John Doe 1-5, and XYZ Corporation	Thomas Eugene Brennan
Personal Injury		



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( 7 )	20A83537	Nikesha Devaughn	Ross Moore, II.
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Victoria Sellers	Joseph D Stephens

Tort - Auto Accident

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( 8 )	20A83710	Tremayne Anderson	James A Rice, Jr.
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Hardison Landscaping and Maintenance Services, LLC, and	M Steven Heath Matthew A Mosley
		Gavin Hardison	

Tort - Auto Accident

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( 9 )	21A01707	Puspa Acharya	C Napoleon Barnwell
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Ammar Issa	Trenton W Edwards

Personal Injury

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( 10 )	21A01762	Larita Jones	Roodgine D Bray Robert O Bozeman
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Eliana Tyre	Andrew W Panella Kevin Reardon
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Tort - Auto Accident

( 11 )	21A02564	Brianna Brown, individually, and as parent and next friend of Grayson Johnson, a disables minor	Geoffrey E Pope J Marcus Howard Earl Merritt Lentz
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Emory Healthcare, Inc, and  Et Al	Anna Sumner Pieschel Caroline Gieser Timia A Skelton Devon G Zawko R Page Powell, JR Taylor M Tribble
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Tort -Medical  
Malpractice

( 12 )	21A03196	Juana Rodriguez	Maurice "Reece" Riden, II. Rebecca Rea
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--- VERSUS ---

Valeta Parker	Michael S Broun
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Tort - Auto Accident



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Case	Parties	Attorneys
( 13 )     21A03201	Latasha Johnson, individually and as administrator of the Estate of Sarah L Johnson, deceased	Joshua F Silk Laura M Shamp
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Brooke Augustin, MD, and  Et Al	Stephen B Moseley Robert L Berry Elizabeth A Stein Paul E Weathington Sharonda B Barnes Sarah E Akinosho
	Tort -Medical Malpractice	
( 14 )     21A03306	Sherina Kimbro	J Curt Law
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Kevin Carruters	William S Cowsert Michael S Broun
	Personal Injury	
( 15 )     21A04921	Sheria Moye	Steven Keith Leibel Paul Menair
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Emily Anne Black, MD, and  Et Al	Lindsey L Costakos M Scott Bailey Sheila K Kazemian Terrell W Benton, III.
	Tort -Medical Malpractice	



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( 16 )	22A00337	Ricardo Robinson, and Morayo Oshode	Careton R Matthews, Sr.
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Stephen Hines	R David Sammons
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Mid-Century Insurance Company	Andrea Baker
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Tort - Auto Accident

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( 17 )	22A00844	David Doss, Kelli Doss, individually and as Next Friend of Kinsley Doss and Kingston Doss	DeMone Lee
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--- VERSUS ---

Jahkaya Stuart

Progressive Premier Insurance Company of Illinois	Jason D Darneille
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Tort - Auto Accident

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( 18 )	22A00863	Yafang Tao Qiu	Aaron Freedman
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Miguel Dwight Robinson	Alaina S Howard
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( 19 )     22A00945	David Campbell	Kathryn N Guzner Stephen C Berger Marina Melman
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Kevin Dixon, and  Joe Green	Laura Whitman
	Crestbrook Insurance Company	Jennifer W DeBaun Ramona D Terry
Tort - Auto Accident		
( 20 )     22A00973	Jay Puga	Rebecca D Clements
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Latonya Nicole Woodard, and  J & M Contractors Cleaning SVC, Inc	Thomas Eugene Brennan
Tort - Auto Accident		
( 21 )     22A01002	Susan Spring	David T Dorer
	--- VERSUS ---	
	Zahavi Property Management, Inc. d/b/a The Goldin Group Property Management, and  Et Al	Christina M Curreli David N Nelson
Tort - Premise Liability		



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( 22 ) 22A01023	Relawnda Rodgers  --- VERSUS ---  Kannesha Rodgers, and  Ruby Liversidge	Noah J Moore    Deidra Kelley  Trenton W Edwards
Tort - Auto Accident		
( 23 ) 22A01119	Sharontay Wright  --- VERSUS ---  Barry Stephens	William T Joyner Benjamin Middleton   Nicholas Noble
Tort - Auto Accident		
( 24 ) 22A01143	Patricia Saunders as legal and next friend of Jermaine Hughes, a minor and sole surviving child of Michelle Hughes, deceased  --- VERSUS ---  William Bamberg, and  BHL Limo, Inc	Andre Dennis      James T Budd William S Carson
Tort - Auto Accident		



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( 25 )	22A01194	Eric Logan McCrackin	William Brent Ney
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Irby Allen Meadors	Allen Meadors

**Contract / Account**

( 26 )	22A01478	Sadie Scott	Marcus Blake Fluevog
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Erica Haber	Matthew Ashby
		Geico General Insurance Company	Julie E Monaghan

**Tort - Auto Accident**

( 27 )	22A01535	Larry Copeland, and Mary Copeland	Michael A Young
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Gregory Cheech	Lauren Travis

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( 28 )	22A01549	Ebony Travis	Sarah P Cornejo
		--- VERSUS ---	
		Isaac Dimmock	Shyamal Patel

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( 29 )     22A01756	Donte Simmons  --- VERSUS ---  John Doe  Federal Insurance Company	Leonid Felgin      Laura N Gable Stephen M Schatz
Tort - Auto Accident		
( 30 )     22A03593	Kristina Nugent Horn, individually, as Surviving Spouse and as Executor of the Estate of Ryan M Horn  --- VERSUS ---  Anand D Shah, MD, and  Et Al	Andrew B Cash Laura L Voght   Michael T Sumner Hunter S Allen Jr. Jeffrey D Braintwain
Tort -Medical Malpractice		
( 31 )     22A03842	Alexia Strong  --- VERSUS ---  Shanicka Martin, and  Michael Ward	J Curt Law   Andrea Baker
Tort - Auto Accident		