

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF INDIANA
SOUTH BEND DIVISION

IN RE: BIOMET M2a MAGNUM HIP)
IMPLANT PRODUCTS LIABILITY)
LITIGATION (MDL 2391)) CAUSE NO. 3:12-MD-2391
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MEMORANDUM OF NOVEMBER 18, 2013
CASE MANAGEMENT CONFERENCE

The plaintiffs were represented at the November 18, 2013 case management conference by Thomas Anapol and Robert Dassow. At plaintiffs' request, remote attendance was limited to lead counsel Mark Lanier and various members of the Plaintiffs' Steering Committee. Defendants were represented by John Winter, John LaDue, Erin Linder Hanig, and Blaine Dart. Topics addressed included: the status of discovery, proposed scheduling deadlines, plaintiffs' requests for a special master and production of unredacted Defendants' Fact Sheets, defendants' request to suspend or dismiss non-revision cases and proposed order regarding disposition of cases in which the statute of limitations is an issue, and reappointment of the Plaintiffs' Steering Committee.

Following discussion, the court:

(1) took the proposed scheduling orders [Doc. Nos. 935 and 951] and plaintiffs' request for appointment of a special master and related discovery issues under advisement;

(2) took defendants' request to place non-revision cases on a suspended docket and proposed scheduling order regarding statute of limitations cases [Doc. No. 952] under advisement;

(3) approved plaintiffs' request to submit a single application for reappointment of existing members of the Plaintiffs' Steering Committee and advised the parties that applications for new appointments to the Committee may be filed separately, in accordance with the court's order of November 13, 2013 [Doc. No. 987]; and

(4) scheduled the next case management conference for **Monday, January 6, 2014, at 9:30 a.m. (E.S.T.)**, in South Bend, Indiana.

ENTERED: November 19, 2013

/s/ Robert L. Miller, Jr.
Judge, United States District Court
Northern District of Indiana