

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLORADO
Magistrate Judge Michael J. Watanabe**

Civil Action No. 14-cv-00245-MSK-MJW

FTR - Courtroom A-502

Date: November 17, 2015

Courtroom Deputy, Ellen E. Miller

Parties

Counsel

REVEREND MATT HALE,
#15177-424

Pro Se (by telephone)

Plaintiff(s),

v.

FEDERAL BUREAU OF PRISONS,

Susan B. Prose

Defendant(s).

COURTROOM MINUTES / MINUTE ORDER

HEARING: RULE 16(b) SCHEDULING CONFERENCE

Court in session: 10:58 a.m.

Court calls case. Appearances of *Pro Se* plaintiff and defense counsel.

The following will confirm the actions taken and dates set at the scheduling conference held this date:

Joinder of Parties/Amendment to Pleadings: **DECEMBER 29, 2015**

Discovery Cut-off: **AUGUST 17, 2016**

Dispositive Motions Deadline: **SEPTEMBER 19, 2016**

Each side shall be limited to four (4) expert witnesses, without further leave of Court.

Parties shall designate experts **on or before APRIL 18, 2016**

Parties shall designate rebuttal experts **on or before MAY 23, 2016**

The disclosure of Experts shall be consistent with Fed. R. Civ. P. 26(a)2(B).

Interrogatories, Requests for Production, and Requests for Admissions shall be served on or before **JULY 15, 2016**.

Each side shall be limited to twenty-five (25) Interrogatories, twenty-five (25) Requests for Production, and twenty-five (25) Requests for Admissions, without leave of Court.

Each side shall be limited to twelve (12) depositions, including experts. Each deposition shall be limited to one (1) day of a maximum of seven (7) hours, absent leave of Court.

All depositions, fact and expert, shall be completed no later than **AUGUST 17, 2016**

- Depositions shall be conducted pursuant to Fed.R.Civ.P. 30. Plaintiff shall be aware that [1] any costs associated with a deposition, including any court reporter fees, are the responsibility of the party noticing the deposition and that [2] Plaintiff must confer with defense counsel regarding available dates and times for any depositions he/she may wish to take. Permission must also be obtained from the prison facility.

Any **FINAL PRETRIAL CONFERENCE, TRIAL PREPARATION CONFERENCE,** and **TRIAL** will be set by Chief Judge Marcia S. Krieger at a future date.

- Parties are directed to www.cod.uscourts.gov regarding Judicial Officers' Procedures and shall fully comply with the procedures and Practice Standards of the judicial officer assigned to try this case on the merits.

[X] Scheduling Order is signed and entered with interlineations **NOVEMBER 17, 2015**

Plaintiff makes an Oral Motion regarding his commissary privileges.
Plaintiff's Oral Motion is DENIED WITHOUT PREJUDICE.

Hearing concluded.

Court in recess: 11:25 a.m.
Total in-court time: 00:27

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