

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT

EASTERN DISTRICT OF ARKANSAS
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Re: *Premcor Refining Group, Inc. v. Flash Oil Company of Arkansas, Inc.* --
3:07-CV-00158-WRW

Dear Counsel:

After being more fully advised in the premises, I believe it would be appropriate for Flash Oil's counsel to depose Premcor's counsel.

I am disinclined to disqualify Premcor's counsel from testifying at the trial itself because of giving these depositions.

The parties can submit briefs on this issue if they desire. If briefing is desired, simultaneous briefs should be filed precisely at 11:00 a.m., Monday, December 14, 2009.

Cordially,

/s/ Wm. R. Wilson, Jr.